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Senate

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Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3–6

Resolutions submitted: Three resolutions were submitted, as follows: S. Res. 203–205. Page 4

Procedural Resolutions Adopted: Three procedural resolutions, as follows, were adopted:

Notification of quorum: S. Res. 203, providing for the appointment of two Senators to advise the President that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to receive any message. Senators Mansfield and Dirksen were appointed to this committee;

Legislative program: S. Res. 204, advising the House that a quorum of the Senate is present and ready to transact business; and

Hour of meeting: S. Res. 205, setting the hour of 12 o'clock meridian as the hour of daily meeting of the Senate unless otherwise ordered. Page 4

Adjournment to Wednesday: By 53 yeas to 3 nays, Senate adopted Mansfield motion to adjourn. Pursuant to previous order this resulted in Senate adjourning until 8 p.m. Wednesday, January 17. Page 6

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 14594–14611; 13 private bills, H.R. 14612–14624; and 16 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 606–611; and H. Res. 1012–1021, were introduced. Pages 7–9, 24, 54–55

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive Papers (H. Rept. 1051);

Seventeenth annual report of the activities of the Joint Committee on Defense Production (H. Rept. 1052); and

Report on the activities of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 90th Congress, first session (H. Rept. 1053). Pages 54–55

Resignation: Read a letter of resignation from Hon. Abraham J. Multer, effective December 31, 1967; and a letter of resignation from Representative John Bell Williams, effective January 16, 1968. Page 7

Notification of President: Adopted H. Res. 1012, authorizing the appointment of three Members to join with a committee of the Senate to notify the President that a quorum of each House is assembled and is ready to receive communications. Representatives Albert, Boggs, and Gerald R. Ford were appointed to this committee by the Speaker. Pages 7, 8

Notification of Senate: Adopted H. Res. 1013, instructing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House is present and ready to transact business. Page 8

Hour of Meeting: Adopted H. Res. 1014, fixing, unless otherwise ordered, the daily hour of meeting of the House of Representatives at 12 o'clock meridian. Page 8

Joint Session: Adopted H. Con. Res. 606, providing for a joint session of Congress on Wednesday, January 17, 1968, at 9 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the President's state of the Union message. The calling of a recess at any time on that day by the Speaker was made in order. Page 9

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate, amended:

U.S. property: H.R. 4892, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. to the city of Leavenworth, Kans.

U.S. property: H.R. 8364, to amend the joint resolution of March 24, 1937, to provide for the termination of the interest of the U.S. in certain real property in Allen Park, Mich.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 10277.

Objected to: H.R. 150. Pages 25–27

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of January 17, 1968. Page 10

Employees' Compensation: Adopted H. Res. 1015, authorizing compensation for certain employees of the House. Pages 24–25

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Tuesday, January 16, 1968

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

ADMINISTRATIVE OMBUDSMAN

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings on S. 1195, to create an Administrative Ombudsman of the U.S. to investigate practices and procedures of selected Government agencies, with testimony from Prof. Jerre S. Williams, Chairman of the Administrative Conference of the United States; Randy H. Hamilton, Institute for Local Self Government, Berkeley, Calif.; Guy S. Williams, Assistant Director for Contact and Foreign Affairs, Veterans' Administration; and Myrl E. Alexander, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices began hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, with testimony from W. D. Hagenstein, Industrial Forestry Association, Portland, Oreg.; John C. Hampton, Portland, Oreg., who represented the Western Wood Products Association; Bert Cole, Washington State Land Commissioner, Olympia; Ralph D. Hodges, National Forest Products Association; Rolin Pratt, Clackamas Lumber Co., Clackamas, Oreg.; and Glen Park, Park Lumber Co., Estacada, Oreg.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 14625–14645; 18 private bills, H.R. 14646–14663; and 11 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 612–613; H.J. Res. 972–977; and H. Res. 1022–1024, were introduced. Pages 81, 113–114

Subpena: Adopted H. Res. 1022, relative to compliance of Clerk and Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives with subpenas duces tecum issued by the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. Pages 80–81

Subpena: Adopted H. Res. 1023, relative to compliance of Chief Clerk, Committee on House Administration, with subpena duces tecum issued by the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. Page 81

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment H.R. 7042;

Sent to the Senate amended S. 234;

Cleared for Presidential action S. 964.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2661, 8091, 6325, 4386, 8257, 2281, 2288, 4936, 11381, 12119, 7210, 4058; S. 503, 155, 233, and 1580.

Recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary S. 811 and S. Con. Res. 36. Pages 90–91

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by William H. Sullivan, U.S. Ambassador to Laos, on the situation in Laos.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act to provide for increase in benefits.

Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on H.R. 14563. Testimony was heard from Howard Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, and other public witnesses.

Wednesday, January 17, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

State of the Union Message: H. Con. Res. 606, providing for joint session of Congress on Wednesday, January 17, to hear the President deliver message on the state of the Union, was adopted.

Pursuant to the provisions of this resolution, Senate met jointly with House in the Hall of the House to hear the President deliver his message on the state of the Union. Pages 127–128

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Edward M. Shulman, to be General Counsel, Department of Agriculture.

Committee also approved with amendments H.R. 13094, proposing numerous amendments to the Commodity Exchange Act.

INTERNAL REVENUE LAWS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings on the constitutional and administrative problems of enforcing Internal Revenue statutes, having as its witnesses, Laughlin Waters, former U.S. attorney for Los Angeles, and presently a practicing attorney in that city; Reuben Lenske, an attorney of Portland, Oreg.; William H. Smith, Deputy Commissioner, and Lester R. Uretz, Chief Counsel, both of the Internal Revenue Service; and Vincent Connery, National Association of Internal Revenue Employees.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices continued its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, with testimony from Arnold Ewing, Northwest Timber Industries Association, Eugene, Oreg.; Aaron Jones, Seneca Lumber Co., Eugene; Don Fisher, Bohemia Lumber Co., Culp Creek, Oreg.; John D. Ritchie, American Plywood Association; F. M. Thompson, Peninsula Plywood Corp., Port Angeles, Wash.; David P. Houlihan, representing the Japan Lumber Importers Association; and Ray Johnson, West Tacoma Newsprint Co., Steilacoom, Wash.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 14664–14681; 15 private bills, H.R. 14682–14696; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 978–983, H. Con. Res. 614, and H. Res. 1025, were introduced. Pages 144–145

Bill Reported: A report was filed as follows: H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act, amended (H. Rept. 1054). Page 144

President's Message: Before a night joint session of Congress President Johnson delivered his state of the Union message. He was escorted to and from the House Chamber by a committee comprised of Senators Mansfield, Byrd of West Virginia, Fulbright, Long of Louisiana, Russell, Aiken, Kuchel, and Young of North Dakota; Representatives Albert, Boggs, Celler, Gerald Ford, and Arends.

The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 211).

Pages 140–144

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PROGRAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met and considered the committee program.

POLLUTION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development, held hearings on environmental pollution. Testimony was heard from Dr. Donald F. Hornig, Director, Office of Science and Technology, and Dr. John Buckley, Committee on Environmental Quality, Federal Council on Science and Technology.

Thursday, January 18, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 200–232, 236–317

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 5 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2823–2841; S. Con. Res. 53; and S. Res. 206–209. Pages 212–213

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13094, proposing numerous amendments to the Commodity Exchange Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 947);

S. Res. 207, authorizing Committee on Finance to extend for 1 year employment of six of its clerical assistants (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 208, requesting an additional $10,000 for expenses of Committee on Finance (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

Report of Joint Committee on Defense Production entitled "Seventeenth Annual Report of the Activities of the Joint Committee on Defense Production, Congress of the United States, With Material on Mobilization from Departments and Agencies." Pages 211–212

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 201, 208

Senator Russell: Numerous Senators spoke in tribute to Senator Russell on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of his service in the Senate. Pages 202–206

Public Lands—Alabama: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 793, providing for conveyance of certain U.S. land to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 201–202

Public Lands—Arkansas: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 10864, a private bill relating to land conveyance in Arkansas, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Jordan of North Carolina, Aiken, and Young of North Dakota. Page 206

D.C.: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 13042, to provide for an elected school board in the District of Columbia, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Morse, Kennedy of New York, and Prouty. Page 237

Civil Rights: Senate debated H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. Pages 316–336

Authority To Report: Time for filing report of Special Committee on the Aging was extended from January 31 to March 15. Page 212

Nominations: The following nominations were received: H. Gardner Ackley, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to Italy; Edward D. Re, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; William H. Chartener, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; William W. Sherrill, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Merton J. Peck, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers; Elizabeth Jane Kuck, of Illinois, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; nine postmasters; and numerous Army and Marine Corps. Pages 339–346

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee reported to the Senate S. Res. 207, authorizing committee to extend for 1 year employment of six of its clerical assistants; and S. Res. 208, requesting an additional $10,000 for committee expenses.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices continued its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, having as its witnesses D. W. Van Brunt, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union, Portland, Oreg.; Ray Johnson, West Tacoma Newsprint Co., Steilacoom, Wash.; C. Girard Davidson, a D.C. attorney, and a former Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Roy Heinke, representing the port of Tacoma, Wash., and E. W. Clocksin, representing the port of Grays Harbor, both appearing on behalf of the Washington Public Ports Association; John O. Daley, Alaska Lumbermen's Association, Ketchikan; A. M. Brooks, Ketchikan Pulp Co.; A. Momma, Alaska Lumber & Pulpwood, Inc., Sitka; and Patrick Soderberg, Alaska Loggers' Association, Ketchikan.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Alaskan witnesses.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Willard F. Mueller, Director, Bureau of Economics, Federal Trade Commission, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Committee Meetings

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 14697–14709; nine private bills, H.R. 14710–14718; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 984 and 985, and H. Res. 1026–1032, were introduced. Page 200

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 997, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works (H. Rept. 1055); and

H. Res. 1032, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 8696, to provide for the regulation of savings and loan holding companies and subsidiary companies (H. Rept. 1056). Page 200

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of January 24. Page 161

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:53 p.m.

Chamber Action

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education, held hearings on H.R. 13293, to amend the National School Lunch Act to strengthen and expand food service programs for children. Testimony was heard from Rodney E. Leonard, Administrator, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department

of Agriculture, and Howard P. Davis, Deputy Administrator, Consumer Food Programs, Department of Agriculture.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information, received a briefing on the Alliance for Progress aid program from officials of AID and GAO.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Parks and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks, ordered reported for full committee action H.R. 6347, relating to the acquisition of property for the Independence National Historical Park; H.R. 14463, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to exchange certain property at Acadia National Park in Maine with the owner of certain adjacent property; H.R. 5558, to authorize an exchange of lands at Acadia National Park, Maine; prior to reporting the bills a hearing was held and testimony was heard from Representative Eilberg and other public and Government witnesses.

SAVINGS AND LOAN HOLDING COMPANIES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule on H.R. 8696, to provide for the regulation of savings and loan holding companies and subsidiary companies, with 2 hours of general debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment; further, making it in order to discharge the Committee on Banking and Currency from further consideration of S. 1542, move to strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the House-passed language.

RETIREMENT BENEFITS OF MEMBERS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 983, creating a select committee to investigate and study the retirement benefits available to Members of the House.

PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported, amended, H. Res. 997, supplemental investigative resolution, public works.

ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental pollution and the status of research relating to water and air and solid waste disposal and Federal program coordination relating to these areas. Testimony was heard from Dr. John Middleton, Director, National Center for Air Pollution Control, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and Walter Hibbard, Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior.

Friday, January 19, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 369–385

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2842–2844; and S. Res. 210.

Pages 374-375

Civil Rights: Senate continued debate on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 385–399

Confirmation: One civilian nomination was confirmed.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: Three civilian, two Army in the rank of general, one Navy in the rank of admiral, and 67 Air Force in the rank of general. Pages 400–401

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT HEARINGS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee held an executive meeting where a briefing was received from Richard Helms, Director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Committee announced that it expects to begin hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for defense procurement activities as soon as practicable after budget estimates thereon are submitted to the Congress.

LAOS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to receive a briefing on the general situation in Laos from Ambassador to Laos William H. Sullivan.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices continued its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, having as its witnesses Charles MacDonald, Alaska Lumber & Pulpwood, Inc., Sitka; Frank H. Murkowski, Commissioner, Alaska Department of Economic Development; Clarence F. Kramer, Alaska State Chamber of Commerce; John Reekie, Ketchikan, representing the

Alaska Bankers Association; Dean C. Brice, Pacific Power & Light Co., Portland; Pete Terzick, International Brotherhood of Carpenters, AFL–CIO, Washington, D.C.; Julius Viancour, Lumber & Sawmill Workers, AFL–CIO, Portland; Al Hartung, International Woodworkers of America, AFL–CIO, Portland; and Kenneth Ford, Roseburg Lumber Co., Roseburg, Oreg.

Hearings continue on Monday, January 22.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Prof. Leonard Schifrin, William and Mary College, Virginia; and Prof. Henry B. Steele, University of Houston.

Hearings continue on Thursday, January 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental pollution and the status of research relating to water and air and solid waste disposal and Federal program coordination relating to these areas. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert Eckhardt, American Petroleum Institute, and Dr. Harold N. MacFarland, National Coal Association.

Monday, January 22, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 480–532

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and 10 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2845–2858; S.J. Res. 132–133; and S. Res. 211–218. **Pages 497–499**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows and referred to Committee on Rules and Administration:

S. Res. 209, authorizing $145,000 for expenses of Committee on Banking and Currency (S. Rept. 948);

S. Res. 206, authorizing $163,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of the Committee on Banking and Currency (S. Rept. 949);

S. Res. 211, authorizing $125,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures of Committee on Government Operations (no written report);

S. Res. 212, authorizing $90,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations (no written report);

S. Res. 214, authorizing $130,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations (no written report);

S. Res. 216, authorizing $860,000 for expenses of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations (no written report); and

S. Res. 217, authorizing printing of additional copies of committee print entitled "United States Foreign Aid in Action—A Case Study" (no written report).

Pages 497–498

President's Message—Foreign Aid: Message was received from President transmitting annual reports of foreign assistance program for fiscal years 1966 and 1967—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

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President's Message—Coffee: President transmitted Third Annual Report on the Operation of the International Coffee Agreement—referred to Committee on Finance. **Pages 494–495**

Economic Report: S.J. Res. 132, to extend until February 5 date for transmission of President's Economic Report, and to March 22 date for report thereon by Joint Economic Committee, was submitted, and, by unanimous consent, taken up and passed without amendment.

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Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. **Pages 532–548**

Nomination: Nomination of Clark M. Clifford, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Defense, was received.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 206, requesting $163,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs; S. Res. 209, requesting $145,000 for expenses of the full committee; and S. Con.

Res. 33, declaring the sense of the Congress that the Joint Economic Committee have jurisdiction to study population changes in the U.S.

Committee also approved for reporting the nomination of William W. Sherrill, of Texas, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Prior to this action, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Sherrill, where favoring testimony was received from Senator Yarborough. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SUBCOMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported original resolutions requesting funds for operating expenses of its subcommittees, as follows:

S. Res. 216—Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, $860,000;

S. Res. 212—National Security and International Operations, $90,000; Intergovernmental Relations, $148,000;

S. Res. 214—Executive Reorganization, $130,000; Government Research, $87,000; and

S. Res. 211—Foreign Aid Expenditures, $125,000.

Committee also approved for reporting original resolutions (1) S. Res. 213, to authorize the printing of additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Planning—Programming—Budgeting," and (2) S. Res. 217, to authorize printing of additional copies of a committee print entitled "United States Foreign Aid in Action."

Committee also approved for filing as a Senate report a report entitled "Federal Role in Traffic Safety."

Also, committee adopted rules of procedure for the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings on S. 47 and S. 2116, establishing a Commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, with testimony from Bertram M. Gross, Maxwell Graduate School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices resumed its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, having as its witnesses Joseph McCracken, Leonard Netzorg, legal counsel, Wayne Gaskins, and Dr. Paul Graves, State University College of Forestry, Syracuse University, all representing Western Forest Industries Association, Portland, Oreg.; Dr. Michael Sumicharast, National Homebuilders Association; and Dr. John Mensch and Ralph Hodges, both of the National Forest Products Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public laws, H.R. 14719–14747; 19 private bills, H.R. 14748–14766; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 986–995, H. Con. Res. 615 and 616, and H. Res. 1033.

Pages 479–480

President's Message—Foreign Assistance: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a report to Congress on the Foreign Assistance Program. The message was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed with illustrations as a House document (H. Doc. 210, 228). Page 423

Committee To Sit: The Committee on Science and Astronautics was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Inaugural Ceremonies: H.R. 827, to amend the Presidential Inaugural Ceremonies Act, was cleared for Presidential action by House agreement to Senate amendments thereto. Page 424

Minimum Wage: By a record vote of 283 yeas to 9 nays the House passed H.R. 10337, to amend the District of Columbia Minimum Wage Act to authorize the computation of overtime compensation for hospital employees on the basis of a 14-day work period.

Pages 424–428

Travel Authority: By a voice vote passed H. Res. 997, with committee amendments, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works.

Pages 428–429

President's Message—International Coffee Agreement: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a report to Congress on the Operation of the International Coffee Agreement. The message was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 430

Economic Report: By a voice vote the House passed S.J. Res. 132, extending the dates for transmission of the Economic Report and the report of the Joint Economic Committee, thus clearing the measure for the President.

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Referral: One Senate passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 430

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONTRACTS—CHANGE NAME

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearings and ordered reported for full committee action the following bills: H.J. Res. 937, to approve long-term contracts for delivery of water from Navajo Reservoir in the State of New Mexico; H.J. Res. 297, to change the name of Twin Buttes Dam and Twin Buttes Reservoir on the San Angelo project, Texas, to Bryant Dam and Bryant Reservoir; H.J. Res. 358 (amended), to change the name of San Angelo Reservoir project, Texas, to Culbertson Deal Reservoir project, Texas; and H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in the States of North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fisher, Morris, and Walker, and Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of Interior.

SURCHARGE PROPOSAL

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed consideration of the President's surcharge proposal. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of Treasury, Charles L. Schultze, Director, Bureau of the Budget, William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and Gardner Ackley, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held hearings on the following watershed projects: (1) Black-Kickapoo, Wis., (2) Cross Creek, Kans., (3) Garrison Creek, Okla., (4) Mustang Creek, Calif., (5) Old Town Creek, Ala., (6) Tesnatee Creek, Ga. Testimony was heard from Representatives George Andrews, Mize, Thomson, and public and governmental witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Landrum, McFall, and Sisk.

Tuesday, January 23, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 592–657

Bills Introduced: Six bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2859–2864; and S. Res. 219–223. **Pages 600–601**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Con. Res. 33, declaring the sense of the Congress that the Joint Economic Committee have jurisdiction to study population changes in the U.S. (S. Rept. 950);

S. Res. 219, authorizing $125,000 for expenses of Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 221, authorizing $148,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. **Page 600**

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. **Page 600**

President's Message—Manpower: President transmitted message recommending enactment of a $2.1 billion manpower program, and the Nation's first comprehensive occupational health and safety program—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Pages 589–592**

Commodity Exchange: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 13094, proposing numerous amendments to the Commodity Exchange Act. **Pages 592–593**

Senator Carlson: Numerous Senators spoke in tribute to Senator Carlson on the occasion of his 75th birthday in light of his recent announcement that he will not seek reelection after six terms as a Member of the House of Representatives, two terms as Governor of Kansas, and continuous membership in the Senate since January 1951. **Pages 656–668**

Senate Schedule: Majority leader submitted for printing in the Congressional Record the holiday recesses scheduled to be observed by the Senate, which has been distributed to each senatorial and committee office. He stated that he and the minority leader are agreed to make every effort to see that there will be legislation considered, if available, on Mondays and Fridays this year. **Page 617**

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. **Pages 656, 668–670, 672–679**

Confirmation: Nomination of William W. Sherrill, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, was confirmed. **Page 684**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices held hearings on S. 1975 and H.R. 10915, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic

relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment. Witnesses heard were Senator Montoya; Eugene V. Rostow, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; J. Banks Young, National Cotton Council of America; and Bradley Watkins, Commission on Ecumenical Mission and Relations, United Presbyterian Church, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from officials of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 47 and S. 2116, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses J. Herbert Holloman, president-elect, University of Oklahoma, and former Assistant Secretary of Commerce; and Rufus E. Miles, Jr., Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, and former Assistant Secretary of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUDGET

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held an executive meeting to discuss budgetary matters, and ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 219) requesting $125,000 for expenses for this session of the Congress.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, having as its witnesses Miss Susanna McBee, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Frederick Wolff, director of research, Washington Hospital Center, Washington, D.C.; and Dr. Norman Gross, Hartford, Conn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices continued its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, having as its witnesses Howard P. Cliff, Chief, and Arthur W. Greeley, Associate Chief, both of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and John R. Petty, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs.

Witnesses expected to be heard in an evening session were Stanley Nehmer, Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Joseph A. Greenwald, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for International Trade Policy and Economic Defense; and Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 14767–14783; nine private bills, H.R. 14784–14792; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 996–1002, H. Con. Res. 617, and H. Res. 1034–1042, were introduced. Page 785

Bills Reported: The following bills were reported from the Committee on Rules:

H. Res. 1035, providing for consideration of H.R. 14563 (H. Rept. 1057);

H. Res. 1036, providing for consideration of H.R. 3274 (H. Rept. 1058);

H. Res. 1037, providing for consideration of H.R. 5605 (H. Rept. 1059);

H. Res. 1038, providing for consideration of S. 306 (H. Rept. 1060);

H. Res. 1039, providing for consideration of H.R. 1340 (H. Rept. 1061);

H. Res. 1040, providing for consideration of S. 2419 (H. Rept. 1062); and

H. Res. 983, creating a select committee to investigate and study the retirement benefits available to Members of the House (H. Rept. 1063). Pages 784–785

President's Message—Manpower Program and Occupational Health and Safety Program: Received and read a message from the President on the manpower program and occupational health and safety program. The message was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 242). Pages 688–691

Committees To Sit: The Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and Subcommittee No. 2 of the Select Committee on Small Business was authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on Tuesday. Page 686

Regulation of Savings and Loan Holding Companies: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 8696, to amend section 408 of the National Housing Act, as amended, to provide for the regulation of savings and loan holding companies and subsidiary companies. This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 1542, a similar bill, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the House-passed language.

A request for a separate vote on an amendment offered by Representative Widnall relative to the definition of the term "debt security" resulted in a rejection of the amendment by a record vote of 156 yeas to 198 nays.

The House in committee rejected the following amendments:

1. Relative to certain multiple savings and loan holding companies;

2. Relative to the time for divestiture by certain savings and loan holding companies;

3. Relative to the definition of "diversified savings and loan holding companies";

4. Relative to self-dealing between subsidiary companies and savings and loan holding companies.

H. Res. 1032, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 691–715

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and approved for full committee action 12 watershed projects.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held hearings on six watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edwin Edwards, Slack, Stubblefield, and USDA officials. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Nichols, Passman, and Senator Byrd of West Virginia.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session to consider antisubmarine warfare. No announcements were made. Testimony was heard from military witnesses.

"GOLD COVER" LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Began hearings on "gold cover" legislation. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury, and William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

POLICE AND FIREMEN

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 10761, and related bills, to amend the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act of 1958, as amended, to increase salaries, to adjust pay alinement. Testimony was heard from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the District of Columbia, and other D.C. officials.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 11308 (amended), to amend the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa and Members of the House met informally in executive session with the Vice President and discussed his recent trip to Africa.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

BRAIN DRAIN

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Research and Technical Programs held hearings on "brain drain" of scientists, engineers, and physicians from developing countries into the United States.

EXCESS PAYMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation reported for full committee action S. 2402, to provide for credit to the Kings River Water Association and others for excess payments for the years 1954 and 1955.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and received a briefing on certain legislative matters concerning natural resources from officials of the National Association of Counties.

FREIGHT FORWARDERS AND RAILROADS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held hearings on H.R. 10831, to amend section 409, part IV, of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MAILING MASTER KEYS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 14404, to amend title 39, United States Code, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches. Testimony was heard from Timothy May, General Counsel, U.S. Post Office Department, Henry Montague, Chief Postal Inspector, U.S. Post Office Department, William Franey, Director, Highway Safety Division, International Association of Chiefs of Police, and other public witnesses.

PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session on pending legislation.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Retire-

ment Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Staggers and Springer.

GOLD

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 3274, to preserve the domestic gold mining industry and increase production. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Saylor, Johnson of California, Berry, and Baring.

CARGO CONTAINER VESSELS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on S. 2419, development of cargo container vessels. Testimony was heard from Representatives Garmatz, Mailliard, Downing, and Pelly.

NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5605, providing for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall and Saylor.

INDIAN ADULT VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on S. 306, increasing the amounts authorized for Indian adult vocational education. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Haley, and Saylor.

BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1340, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to accept lands for the Blue Ridge Parkway in the States of North Carolina and Georgia. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall and Saylor.

PANEL ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Began the ninth meeting with the Panel on Science and Technology. The committee explored the relationship between the applied sciences and the world economy.

SURCHARGE PROPOSAL

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded public hearings on the President's surcharge proposal. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury, Charles L. Schultze, Director, Bureau of the Budget, William McChesney Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and Gardner Ackley, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers.

GOVERNMENT SMALL BUSINESS PROCUREMENT PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Procurement held hearings on Government small business procurement practices and programs. Testimony was heard from Aaron J. Racusin, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

Wednesday, January 24, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 876–912

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2865–2870; and S. Res. 224–226. Page 878

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of Committee on Government Operations on "Federal Role in Traffic Safety" (S. Rept. 951); and

S. Res. 226, authorizing $225,000 for expenses of Committee on Foreign Relations in studying matters pertaining to foreign policy (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 878–879

President's Message—Civil Rights: President transmitted message urging enactment of legislation to (1) strengthen Federal criminal laws prohibiting violent interference with civil rights (H.R. 2516, Senate's pending business), (2) give Equal Employment Opportunity Commission additional authority to prevent job discrimination, (3) assure selection of Federal and State juries without discrimination, and (4) to bring about equal opportunity in housing—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 873–876

President's Message—Arms Control: President transmitted message urging passage of legislation to extend for 3 years the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 877

Population Changes: Senate passed without amendment S. Con. Res. 33, declaring the sense of the Congress that the Joint Economic Committee have jurisdiction to study population changes in the U.S. Pages 876–877

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 912–929

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices concluded its hearings on S. 1975 and H.R. 10915, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed dip-

lomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment, after receiving testimony from Grover C. Chapel, Department of Agriculture; Mike Maros, El Paso Valley Cotton Association; J. S. Francis, Jr., Supima Association of America, El Paso; J. B. Kirklin, Trans Pecos Cotton Association, El Paso; Fred Enke, president, Arizona Cotton Growers Association, Phoenix; Paul Ceresole, Cotton Importers Association, Boston; Stewart Boswell, American Textile Manufacturers Institute; David J. Steinberg, Committee for a National Trade Policy; Floyd Hawkins, Arizona Farm Bureau, Phoenix; Juan Coronado, Cotton Growers Association of Piura, Peru; and Mike Apodaca, Las Cruces, N. Mex.

COMMITTEE FUNDS, AND TONKIN GULF

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session and ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 226) requesting $225,000 for expenses of committee activities for this session of the Congress.

Also, committee received a report on the staff's study of Tonkin Gulf incidents.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings on S. 47 and S. 2116, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses Senator Pearson; and Garth Mangum, Center for Manpower Policy Studies, George Washington University.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, January 31.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, having as its witnesses Carroll D. Brown, president, Lanpar Co., Dallas; Dr. Herman Dorn, president, Mills Pharmaceuticals, Inc., St. Louis; and L. C. Tobin, president, Western Research Laboratories, Inc., Denver.

Hearings continue on Friday, January 26.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 2839, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act so as to provide for an increase in benefits thereunder.

Prior to this action, testimony in connection with this proposal was received from Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, Chicago; and Lester P. Schoene, Railway Labor Executives Association, Washington, D.C.

MIGRATORY LABOR

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Migratory Labor, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration, with amendment, S. 8, to extend collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees; and S. 2688, extending for 5 years the health services program for domestic agricultural migratory workers.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 14793–14818; 15 private bills, H.R. 14819–14833; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1003–1006, H. Con. Res. 618, and H. Res. 1043–1044, were introduced. Pages 872–873

Bill Reported: The following bill was reported from the Committee on Rules: H. Res. 1043, providing for consideration of H.R. 11601, truth in lending bill (H. Rept. 1064). Page 872

President's Message—Civil Rights: Received and read a message from the President on civil rights. The message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 243). Pages 818–821

Committees To Sit: Subcommittee No. 5 of the Select Committee on Small Business and the Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce were authorized to sit during general debate of the House sessions on Wednesday. Pages 817–818

Late Report: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports until midnight Wednesday. Page 818

Letter From the President: Received and read a letter from the President requesting Congress to extend for 3 years the life of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency and to authorize the necessary appropriations. The letter was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 244). Pages 823–824

Blue Ridge Parkway: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 1340 (with sundry committee amendments), authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to accept lands in the Blue Ridge Parkway in the States of North Carolina and Georgia.

H. Res. 1039, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 822, 826–831

Indian Adult Vocational Education: By a voice vote the House passed S. 306, to increase the amounts authorized for Indian adult vocational education, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action.

H. Res. 1038, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 822–823, 831–833

National Monument: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 5605 (with sundry committee amendments), providing for the establishment of the Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument in the State of Colorado.

H. Res. 1037, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 823, 833–835

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved the following watershed projects:

1. Blackhawk-Kickapoo, Wis.;
2. Cross Creek, Kans.;
3. Garrison Creek, Okla.;
4. Mustang Creek, Calif.;
5. Old Town Creek, Ala.;
6. Tesnatee Creek, Ga.;
7. Cahulga Creek, Ala.;
8. Cameron-Creole, La.;
9. Central Madison, La.;
10. Elk Twomile Creek, W. Va.;
11. West Fork Bayou Lacassine, La.; and
12. West Fork Mayfield Creek, Ky.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session to consider antisubmarine warfare. No announcements were made. Testimony was heard from military witnesses.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 13293, national school lunch program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met with Hon. Dean Rusk, Secretary of State. No announcements were made.

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing on the Organization of American States from Hon. Sol M. Linowitz, U.S. Representative to the Council of the Organization of American States.

CONTRACTS—NAME CHANGE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6347, to amend the act of June 28, 1948, as amended, relating to the acquisition of property for the Independence National Historic Park;

H.R. 5558, to authorize an exchange of lands at Acadia National Park, Maine;

H.R. 14463 (amended), to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to exchange certain property at Acadia National Park in Maine with the owner of certain property adjacent to the park;

H.J. Res. 297, to change the name of Twin Buttes Dam and Twin Buttes Reservoir on the San Angelo project, Texas, to Bryant Dam and Bryant Reservoir;

H.J. Res. 358 (amended), to change the name of San Angelo Reservoir project, Texas, to Culbertson Deal Reservoir project, Texas;

H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in the States of North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe;

S. 2402, to provide for credit to the Kings River Water Association and others for excess payments for the years 1954 and 1955.

FREIGHT FORWARDERS AND RAILROADS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 10831, to amend section 409 of part IV of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

FEDERAL JURY SELECTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and reported for full committee action S. 989 (amended), to provide improved judicial machinery for the selection of Federal juries.

MAILING MASTER KEYS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 14404, to amend title 39, United States Code, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session to consider pending legislation. No announcements were made.

CONSUMER CREDIT PROTECTION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 3 hours of general debate, making it in order, after passage of H.R. 11601 (truth in lending bill), to discharge the Committee on Banking and Currency from further consideration of S. 5; further, making it in order to move

to strike out all after the enacting clause of the Senate bill and insert in lieu thereof the provisions of H.R. 11601 as passed by the House.

PANEL ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued the ninth meeting with the Panel on Science and Technology. The committee explored the relationship between applied science and the world economy.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business held a hearing on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from Henry F. DeBoest, vice president, Eli Lilly Co., and Henry F. AuBuchen, vice president, Wyeth Laboratories.

Thursday, January 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 989–1014

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2871–2873; S. Con. Res. 54; and S. Res. 227. Pages 990–991

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 5789, authorizing disposal of platinum from the national stockpile (S. Rept. 952);

S. Res. 227, authorizing $87,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Government Research of Committee on Government Operations (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 225, authorizing $175,000 for expenses of Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of Committee on Armed Services (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 222, authorizing $75,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Migratory Labor of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 990–991

Bill Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 989

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1014–1033

Treaty Received: International Grains Arrangement of 1967, which was open for signature in Washington October 15 to November 30, 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., 2d sess.), was received. Pages 989–990

Nominations: Nominations of Palmer Hoyt, of Colorado, and of Morris S. Novik, of New York, to be members of the Advisory Commission on Information, were received. Page 1039

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKYARDS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation began hearings on S. 1149 and H.R. 10673, redefining "stockyards" under the Packers and Stockyards Act so as to include those stockyards which are managed as public markets for producers, feeders, and buyers. Witnesses heard were Senators Young of North Dakota and McGovern; George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary, and Donald A. Campbell, Packers and Stockyards Administration, both of the Department of Agriculture; Glenn Long, Farmers Union Marketing & Processing Association, St. Paul; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Charles B. Jennings, American Stockyards Association; R. B. McCreight, United Stockyards Corp., Chicago; Francis Beaton, Central Livestock Association, West Fargo, N. Dak.; Mylan E. Ross, National Live Stock Producers Association, Chicago; R. E. Cunningham, Omaha Live Stock Exchange, Nebraska; and Warren Overman, representing the River Markets Group.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION, COMMITTEE FUNDS, AND PLATINUM

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, unanimously approved for reporting the nomination of Clark M. Clifford, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Defense, prior to which action, in open session, Mr. Clifford, who was introduced by Senator Tydings, testified and answered questions on his own behalf.

Committee also approved for reporting S. Res. 225, requesting $175,000 for expenses of its Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee; and without amendment H.R. 5789, authorizing disposal of platinum from the national stockpile.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Miss Elizabeth Kuck, of Illinois, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and the following resolutions: S. Res. 220, to provide additional professional and clerical staff (amended); S. Res. 222, requesting $75,000 for expenses of its Subcommittee on Migratory Labor; and S. Res. 218, requesting $110,000 for studies to be conducted by its Subcommittee on Indian Education.

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original resolution requesting $150,000 for committee expenses for this session of the Congress.

WEST VIRGINIA TURNPIKE

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, approved a request of Secretary of Transportation Alan S. Boyd for Federal participation in the cost of acquiring the West Virginia Turnpike.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. William S. Comanor, assistant professor of economics, Harvard University.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 6.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 14834–14865; 16 private bills, H.R. 14866–14881; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1007–1013, H. Con. Res. 619 and 620, and H. Res. 1045 and 1046, were introduced. Pages 1093–1094

Railroad Retirement—Unemployment Insurance: By a record vote of 321 yeas the House passed H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act to provide for increase in benefits, with committee amendments.

H. Res. 1035, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 1042–1054

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of January 31, 1968. Page 1055

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 1092

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. Testimony was heard from military witnesses.

"GOLD COVER" LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on "gold cover" legislation. Testimony was heard from Representative Whalen, Governor Robertson, and a Government witness.

CONSERVATORSHIP PROBLEMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and heard a report from committee counsel on Palm Springs Indian conservatorship problems; following the report the subcommittee discussed the report.

FREIGHT FORWARDERS AND RAILROADS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 10831, to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held hearings on H.R. 10912, relating to civil service retirement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WEST VIRGINIA TURNPIKE

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and directed the chairman to write to the Secretary of Transportation approving the Secretary's recommendations for Federal participation in the acquisition of right-of-way for the West Virginia Turnpike.

PANEL ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Committee on Science and Technology: Met in executive session and concluded the ninth meeting with the Panel on Science and Technology. The committee explored the relationship between applied science and the world economy.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies Relating to Small Business held a hearing on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee met in executive session to discuss plans for holding hearings on the President's Economic Report, after its transmission to the Congress by February 5, 1968.

WATER RESOURCE STUDIES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1788, authorizing feasibility studies of proposed irrigation projects in North Dakota, Arizona, and Oklahoma.

Friday, January 26, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1123–1150

Bills Introduced: Three bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2874–2876; and S. Res. 228–230. Page 1127

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 229, authorizing $150,000 for expenses of Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (S. Rept. 953)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. 2839, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act so as to provide for an increase in benefits thereunder (S. Rept. 954);

S. Res. 230, authorizing $160,000 for expenses of Committee on Public Works (S. Rept. 955)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 228, authorizing $50,000 for expenses of Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 1127–1128

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1150–1162

Confirmation: Nomination of Elizabeth Jane Kuck, of Illinois, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, was confirmed. Page 1172

Nominations: 24 Army nominations in the rank of general, and numerous Air Force nominations were received. Pages 1163–1172

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee held an executive meeting to discuss budgetary and organizational matters, and approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 228), requesting $50,000 for committee operating expenses for this session of the Congress.

STOCKYARDS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation continued its hearings on S. 1149 and H.R. 10673, redefining "stockyards" under the Packers and Stockyards Act so as to include those stockyards which are managed as public markets for producers, feeders, and buyers, having as its witnesses George Doup, Indiana Farm Bureau, representing the American Farm Bureau Federation; Harry L. Graham, National Grange, who filed a statement; Martin C. Schramm, Chicago Live Stock Exchange; Richard A. Welding, Sioux City Live Stock Exchange; and Peder K. Ecker and Bill J. Dougherty, both of Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.S.S. PUEBLO

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Secretary of State Dean Rusk on the current situation concerning the capture by the North Koreans of the U.S.S. Pueblo.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, with testimony from Dr. Orville Davis, San Diego; Dr. Louis Rubel, Decatur, Ill.; Dr. Harry Needleman, Miami Beach; and Dr. Frank Chambers, New York City.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, January 30.

COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original resolution (S. Res. 230), authorizing $160,000 for committee operating expenses for this session of Congress, and an original resolution authorizing certain expenditures for studies being conducted by the committee under contract.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met and ordered reported for full committee action H.R. 12527, to authorize the consolidation and use of funds arising from judgments in favor of the Apache Tribe of the Mescalero Reservation and each of its constituent groups; the subcommittee referred S. 1727, a similar bill, to the full committee for appropriate action;

Prior to reporting H.R. 12527 the subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 12527, S. 1727, and another bill upon which no final action was taken, H.R. 7653, to repeal section 7 of the act of August 9, 1946 (60 Stat. 968), pro-

viding for the preparation of membership roll of the Indians of the Yakima Reservation. Testimony was heard from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Statements for the record were submitted by Representative Ullman and Representative Morris for himself and Representative Walker.

Monday, January 29, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1231–1274

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and 16 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2877–2884; and S. Res. 231–246. **Pages 1240–1244**

Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 220, authorizing additional professional and clerical assistants for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 232–245 (Committee on the Judiciary reported without written report these 14 original resolutions authorizing funds for various of its subcommittees, the details of which may be found under "Committee Meetings" in this DIGEST, and in each instance, the resolution was referred to Committee on Rules and Administration). **Pages 1240-1241**

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Act of 1937 and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act to provide for increases in benefits, was ordered to be placed on calendar. **Page 1240**

President's Message—Budget: President transmitted his message with proposed budget for fiscal year 1969 in the amount of $186.1 billion—referred to Committee on Appropriations. **Pages 1220–1230**

Water Resources: Senate adopted conference report on S. 1788, authorizing feasibility studies of proposed irrigation projects in North Dakota, Arizona, and Oklahoma. **Page 1287**

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. **Pages 1275, 1276–1297**

Nominations: One judicial and 24 postmaster nominations were received. **Page 1297**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SUBCOMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held an executive meeting and ordered favorably reported original resolutions requesting funds for its subcommittees, as follows:

S. Res. 232—Administrative Practice and Procedure, $200,000;

S. Res. 233—Antitrust and Monopoly, $587,500;

S. Res. 234—Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations, $8,500;

S. Res. 235—Constitutional Amendments, $110,000;

S. Res. 236—Constitutional Rights, $228,000;

S. Res. 237—Criminal Laws and Procedures, $130,000;

S. Res. 238—Immigration and Naturalization, $185,000;

S. Res. 239—Improvements in Judicial Machinery, $203,000;

S. Res. 240—Juvenile Delinquency, $235,000;

S. Res. 241—Patents, Trade-Marks, and Copyrights, $110,000;

S. Res. 242—National Penitentiaries, $5,000;

S. Res. 243—Refugees and Escapees, $108,215;

S. Res. 244—Revision and Codification, $46,500; and

S. Res. 245—Separation of Powers, $125,000.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 14882–14912; nine private bills, H.R. 14913–14921; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1014–1021, H.J. Res. 621, and H. Res. 1047, were introduced. **Pages 1219–1220**

Watershed—Flood Prevention: Read a communication from the chairman of the Agriculture Committee regarding watershed protection and flood prevention—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. **Page 1173**

Board of Visitors—Academies: The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Members to the Board of Visitors of the following academies:

U. S. Air Force Academy—Representatives Rogers of Colorado, Flynt, Minshall, and Brotzman;

U.S. Coast Guard Academy—Representatives St. Onge, and Wyatt;

U.S. Merchant Marine Academy—Representatives Carey and Burke;

U. S. Military Academy—Representatives Teague of Texas, Natcher, Rhodes of Arizona, and Pirnie; and

U.S. Naval Academy—Representatives Flood, Machen, Lipscomb, and Morton. Page 1173

Presidential Budget Message: Received and read the President's budget message—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 225). Pages 1184–1194

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

GOVERNMENT DISCOUNTING PROCEDURES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government resumed its inquiry into alleged inconsistencies in the Government's system for determining spending priorities, having as its witness Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S., who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Tuesday, January 30, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1314–1382

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2885–2890; S.J. Res. 134; and S. Res. 247–248. Pages 1355–1356

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences entitled "Apollo 204 Accident," with additional views (S. Rept. 956);

S. Res. 218, authorizing $110,000 for studies to be conducted by Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, with an amendment (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 248, authorizing expenses of $426,800 by Subcommittee on Internal Security of Committee on the Judiciary (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 1355–1356

President's Message—Veterans: President transmitted message recommending enactment of certain legislation for the benefit of veterans—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 1349–1355

President's Message—Aeronautics and Space: President submitted message in which he transmitted 1967 report of U.S. aeronautics and space activities—referred to Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences. Page 1349

Railroad Retirement: Senate took from calendar and passed without amendment H.R. 14563, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act so as to provide for an increase in benefits thereunder (motion to reconsider tabled). These actions cleared bill for President's signature.

S. 2839, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Pages 1343–1344

Banking: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1542, to provide for regulation of savings and loan holding companies and subsidiary companies. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 1387–1391

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1382–1387, 1391–1392, 1394–1397

Confirmation: Nomination of Clark M. Clifford, of Maryland, to be Secretary of Defense, was confirmed. Page 1400

Nomination: Nomination of Frederick E. Batrus, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Postmaster General, was received. Page 1400

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY RESERVES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices began hearings on S. 2233, 2617, and 2743, bills designed to establish commodity reserves, with testimony from Senators Young of North Dakota, McGovern, and Monroney; Representatives Purcell and Kleppe; John A. Schnittker, Under Secretary of Agriculture; Herschel C. Newsom and Harry L. Graham, both

of the National Grange; Edwin H. Christianson and Ed W. Smith, both of the National Farmers Union; Harvey Sickels and Lloyd J. Fairbanks, both of the National Farmers Organization; and Walter D. Barker, St. Paul, Ind.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOLD COVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee began hearings on S. 2857, to eliminate requirement that Federal Reserve banks maintain certain reserves in gold certificates, and related bills (S. 2815 and S. 1307), having as its witnesses Senators Proxmire and Clark; Henry H. Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury; and William McC. Martin, Chairman of the Board of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONSUMER PROTECTION IN THE D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce resumed its hearings on S. 316, 2589, 2590, and 2592, bills designed to regulate retail installment sales of consumer goods in the D.C., with testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Prof. William F. Willier, Boston College Law School; and David Rusk, Washington Urban League, who was accompanied by Adenia McPherson, Armstrong Neighborhood Federal Credit Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TONKIN GULF, AND *PUEBLO*

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider further the Tonkin Gulf and *Pueblo* incidents.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, having as its witnesses William Ashcraft, Bureau of Drug Abuse Control, Food and Drug Administration, Kansas City; Dr. C. C. Mendenhall, Gardena, Calif.; Dr. Gordon Green, New York City; and Dr. Kenneth Becker, Chief, Metabolism Department, Veterans' Administration hospital, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PATENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights resumed hearings on S. 1042 and S. 2597, bills proposing a general revision of the patent laws, and pending related bills, receiving testimony from Senator Nelson; Howard J. Samuels, Under Secretary, and Edward J. Brenner, Commissioner of Patents, both of the Department of Commerce; Edward F. McKie, Jr., and William E. Schuyler, Jr., both of the American Bar Association; George F. Metcalf, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce; R. L. Heindel, Manufacturing Chemists' Association, Inc.; W. Brown Morton, Jr., and Graham McGowan, Electronics Industries Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors began a series of hearings to receive testimony on various proposals and proposed individual projects to be included in an omnibus river and harbor and flood control bill, with testimony today on S. 2236, to prohibit the Secretary of the Army from charging fees in connection with permits for certain floating facilities. Witnesses heard were Senator Monroney; Stanley Fike, administrative assistant to Senator Symington; Howard McIllrath, Central Crossing Association of Table Rock, Mo.; Vern Kerley, Golden Harvest Club, Table Rock Reservoir; William J. Hull, Ohio Valley Improvement Association; Richard Schwartz, Boat Owners Association of the United States; Harry N. Cook, National Waterways Conference, Inc.; and Brig. Gen. H. G. Woodbury, Jr., Director of Civil Works, accompanied by Col. James Meanor, Executive Director of Civil Works, and Mark Gurnee, Civil Works Division, all of the Office of the Chief of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. VISITOR CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 12603, authorizing the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for the purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center.

It was announced that the full committee would hold an executive meeting on Friday, February 2, to consider this bill and other pending business.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 52 public bills, H.R. 14922–14973; 12 private bills, H.R. 14974–14985; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1022–1029, and H. Res. 1048–1052, were introduced.

Pages 1460, 1522–1524

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1048, providing for the consideration of H.R. 6157, regarding Federal- or State-chartered credit unions (H. Rept. 1068);

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1067);

H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation of the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, amended (H. Rept. 1066); and

Conference report on S. 1788, regarding feasibility investigations of certain water resource developments (H. Rept. 1065). Page 1522

Presidential Message—Veterans' Benefits: Received and read a message from the President regarding servicemen and veterans' benefits—referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 245). Pages 1406–1409

Presidential Message—Science and Astronautics: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the annual report on science and astronautics—referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. No. 246). Pages 1420–1421

Consumer Credit: Completed general debate on H.R. 11601, the Consumer Credit Protection Act, and after reading the first section of the bill the committee arose.

H. Res. 1043, the rule under which the legislation is being considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 1421–1460

Groups: The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Members to membership in the following groups:

Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group: Representatives Nix, Wright, Johnson of California, Gonzalez, de la Garza, Selden, Fraser, Springer, Morse of Massachusetts, Harvey, Whalley, and Dole.

North Atlantic Assembly Group: Representatives Hays, Rodino, Rivers, Clark, Brooks, Arends, Chamberlain, Bates, and Findley.

Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group: Representatives Gallagher, Kelly, Murphy, Johnson of California, St Germain, Pike, Kee, Andrews, Stafford, Thomson of Wisconsin, Duncan, and Broomfield.

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Committee Resignation—Appointment: Received and read the letter of resignation from the Committee on Government Operations of Representative Dole, effective January 30, 1968. Adopted H. Res. 1051, providing that Representative McCloskey fill the vacancy on the committee. Page 1460

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Service Academies met in executive session and considered pending business.

GOLD COVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on gold cover legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN PAY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 concluded hearings on H.R. 10761, and related bills, to amend the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Act of 1958, as amended, to increase salaries, to adjust pay alinement. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from Representatives Blackburn, Findley, and Latta.

WATER PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearings on H.R. 3300, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Colorado River Basin project, and S. 1004, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the central Arizona project, Arizona-New Mexico. Testimony was heard from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior.

OBSCENE TELEPHONE CALLS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.R. 611, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 with respect to obscene or harassing telephone calls in interstate or foreign commerce. Testimony was heard from Rosel Hyde, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, Brig. Gen. William W. Berg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Personnel Policy, Department of Defense, and public witnesses.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 8457 and S. 2029, to amend the National Traffic Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 relating to the application of certain standards to vehicles produced by small manufacturers. Testimony was heard from Dr. William Haddon, Jr., Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, and a public witness.

FEDERAL JURY SELECTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and began consideration of S. 989, which provides for the selection of Federal juries without discrimination.

MAILING MASTER KEYS—POSTAL FIELD SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and ordered reported for full committee action clean bills in lieu of H.R. 11061, to reduce from five to four, the ratio of career substitutes to regular employees in the postal field service, and H.R. 14404, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held hearings on H.R. 10912, relating to the financial condition of the civil service retirement system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CREDIT UNIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 6157, payroll allotments for credit unions.

RURAL TELEPHONE BANK

Committee on Rules: Considered, but did not complete, hearings on H.R. 12066, rural telephone bank bill, to be continued at a later date.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Gerald F. Tape, James T. Ramey, and Wilfred E. Johnson, members, and other officials of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, January 31, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1656–1689

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2891–2904; S.J. Res. 135; and S. Res. 249–252. Pages 1658–1659

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences entitled "Aeronautical Research and Development Program" (S. Rept. 957);

Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "Investigation Into Small Business Investment Companies" (S. Rept. 958); and

S. Res. 252, authorizing $550,000 for expenses of Committee on Commerce (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 1658–1659

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1689, 1708–1715

Treaty Received: Protocol between U.S. and Mexico, signed at Mexico City, December 21, 1967, further modifying agreement concerning radio broadcasting in the standard broadcast band (Ex. B, 90th Cong., second sess.), was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 1657–1658

Nominations: The following nominations were received: One Army in the rank of general, five Navy in the rank of admiral, 21 Air Force in the rank of general, and one Marine Corps in the rank of general.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMODITY RESERVES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices continued its hearings on S. 2233, 2617, and 2743, bills designed to establish commodity reserves, receiving testimony from Representative Railsback; John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; L. C. Carpenter, Midcontinent Farmers Association, Columbia, Mo.; Glen D. Hofer, National Association of Wheat Growers; Mearl H. Gifford, North Dakota Wheat Commission; Carl Farrington, National Grain Trade Council, Minneapolis; and Robert M. Kerr and Billy Ray Gowdy, both of Oklahoma Wheat Growers Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

GOLD COVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued hearings on S. 2857, to eliminate requirement that Federal Reserve banks maintain certain reserves in gold certificates, and related bills (S. 2815 and S. 1307), having as its witnesses Samuel B. Stewart, Executive

Vice President, Bank of America; Dr. N. R. Danielian, International Economic Policy Association; Dr. Donald L. Kemmerer, National Committee on Monetary Policy; W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby; and Irwin Schiff, an insurance man of New Haven, Conn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION, AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of William H. Chartener, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce; and an original resolution (S. Res. 252) requesting $550,000 for committee activities during this session of the Congress.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Javits appeared to speak in behalf of Mr. Chartener, who was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

CONSUMER PROTECTION IN THE D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce continued its hearings on S. 316, 2589, 2590, and 2592, bills designed to regulate retail installment sales of consumer goods in the D.C., with testimony from Theodore Blumenfeld, Atlas Financial Corp.; John Morgan, Allstate Credit Corp.; and Cleveland Reed, R. & W. Construction Co., all of the D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed its hearings on S. 47 and S. 2116, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses Senator Aiken; James A. Norton, National Academy for Public Administration, Cleveland; Marion B. Folsom, former Secretary of HEW, representing Committee for Economic Development; and Harvey Sherman, Port of New York Authority.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION—AID

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its hearings on certain aspects of Agency for International Development activities in Vietnam, particularly with regard to procurement of pharmaceuticals under the commodity import program. Witnesses heard were Daniel Cohen, Office of the Comptroller, and Leslie Grant, both of AID; and Ernest Lowens, of New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POPULATION CRISIS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures resumed its hearings on the population crisis, and on S. 1676, to create within the Departments of State and HEW offices for population problems, with testimony today mainly concerning the relationship of improvements in medicine and nutrition to the population crisis. Witnesses heard were Dr. James A. Shannon, Director, National Institutes of Health, and a panel of witnesses comprised of Dr. Walsh McDermott, chairman, Department of Preventive Medicine, Cornell Medical College; Dr. Ivan Bennett, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Science and Technology; Dr. Forrest Linder, professor of biostatistics, University of North Carolina; and Dr. Philip Hauser, director, Population Research and Training Center, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, having as its witnesses Darrell Holland, county coroner, Effingham, Ill.; Dr. Russel C. Henry, State medical examiner, Portland, Oreg.; Dr. Albert A. Kattus, chief, Division of Cardiology, UCLA; Dr. Edward St. Mary, cardiologist, Miami, Fla.; and C. J. Dawson, coroner, Macoupin County, Ill.

Hearings continue on Friday, February 2.

PATENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights continued its hearings on S. 1042 and S. 2597, bills proposing a general revision of the patent laws, and pending related bills, receiving testimony from Helge Holst, American Tool & Machinery Co., representing the National Association of Manufacturers; Dr. Robert W. Cairns, American Chemical Society; Eban M. Graves, American Patent Law Association; Ralph R. Browning, Houston Patent Law Association; Henry J. Cappello, Space Recovery Research Center, Inc., Boca Raton, Fla., representing the National Small Business Association; and Howard I. Forman, National Council of Patent Law Associations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued its hearings on proposed rivers and harbors and flood control projects, and related legislation, with testimony as follows:

S. 1215, authorizing modifications of projects for the Illinois Waterway, Ill. and Ind., and Indiana Harbor Canal, with testimony from Senator Bayh; Clinton Green, Indiana port commissioner; Ben Lesniak, director of housing, East Chicago, Ind.; and Brig. Gen. H. G. Woodbury, Jr., Director of Civil Works, Office of the

Chief of Army Engineers, who was accompanied by his associates;

S. 1842, to name the authorized lock and dam No. 18 on the Verdigris River, Okla., and the lake created thereby for Newt Graham, with testimony from Col. William R. Needham, Assistant Director of Civil Works for the Plains Division, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers;

S. 1144, to reauthorize the flood control project on the Pecos River at Carlsbad, N. Mex., with testimony from Senator Montoya; and Col. William R. Needham;

Proposed Fort Pierce beach erosion control project, Florida, with testimony from Cody L. Bailey, member of the St. Lucie County Commission; and Col. R. L. Seidel, Assistant Director of Civil Works, Atlantic Division, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers; and

On water hyacinth control program, with testimony from Representative Fuqua; and Col. R. L. Seidel.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SENATE COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from the following Senators in behalf of requests for operating funds for Senate committees and subcommittees, as indicated:

Senator Anderson—Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences;

Senator Stennis—Committee on Armed Services;

Senator Sparkman—Committee on Banking and Currency;

Senator Long of Louisiana—Committee on Finance;

Senator Sparkman—Committee on Foreign Relations;

Senator McClellan—Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (GO);

Senator Ribicoff—Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization (GO);

Senator Gruening—Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures (GO);

Senator Muskie—Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (GO);

Senator Jackson—Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations (GO);

Senator Jackson—Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

Senators Clark and Javits—Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

Senator Fannin—Subcommittee on Indian Education (LPW);

Senator Williams of New Jersey—Migratory Labor Subcommittee (LPW);

Senator Randolph—Committee on Post Office and Civil Service;

Senator Randolph—Committee on Public Works;

Senators Smathers and Javits—Select Committee on Small Business; and

Senator Williams of New Jersey—Special Committee on Aging.

Also, committee announced that it had approved the installation of a magnetic tape addressing system for the Senate Service Department, and authorized the Sergeant at Arms to lease the necessary equipment to implement this system. Committee approved a regulation authorizing conversion service fees as a legitimate charge against Senators' unused clerk-hire funds for Senators who now have lists on addressograph plates and wish to have those addresses transferred to magnetic tape.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, February 7, to hear other Senators in behalf of requested funds for other Senate committees and subcommittees, to be followed by an executive meeting to consider these requests.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 14986–15005; 12 private bills, H.R. 15006–15017; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1030–1034 and H. Con. Res. 622, were introduced.

Pages 1655–1656

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 5558 and 14463, amended (H. Repts. 1069 and 1070). Page 1655

Consumer Credit: Continued consideration of H.R. 11601, the Consumer Credit Protection Act, adopted in the Committee of the Whole several committee amendments and amendments regarding disclosure of finance charges—advertising; and less difficulty in compliance with the disclosure provisions of the bill.

Rejected, in Committee of the Whole, committee amendments regarding $10 exemptions and revolving credit and amendments regarding finance charges expressed on a monthly percentage rate; and regarding advertisement of interest rates. Pages 1582–1618

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and ordered approved for full committee action S. 793, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the United States to

the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission, and three real estate projects.

GOLD COVER LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on gold cover legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 8525, Vocational Education Improvement Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERNATIONAL LABOR CONFERENCE

Committee on Education and Labor: Task Force on the International Labor Conference received a briefing from George L. P. Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Affairs, George P. Delaney, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for International Labor Affairs, and a public witness.

JUDGMENTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1727, to authorize the consolidation and use of funds arising from judgments in favor of the Apache Tribe of the Mescalero Reservation and of each of its constituent groups.

IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 2792, to amend sections 281 and 344 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees; and H.R. 10135 (amended), to provide for the expeditious naturalization of the surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who dies while serving in the Armed Forces of the U.S.

CODE AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearings on H.R. 202, to provide for finality of settlement effected under certain sections of the U.S. Code, and H.R. 203, to provide for settlement, under international agreements, of certain claims incident to the noncombat activities of the Armed Forces. Testimony was heard from military witnesses.

JUDICIAL DISTRICTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13315 (amended), to define more precisely the territory included in the two judicial districts of Virginia.

MERCHANT MARINE MISCELLANY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2191 (amended) and H.R. 2192 (amended), private bills;

H.R. 14401, to grant masters of certain U.S. vessels a lien on those vessels for their wages;

H.R. 11618 (amended), to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the United States, to prevent the interstate shipment of reptiles, amphibians, and other wildlife taken contrary to State law; and

S. 2447, to amend section 2 of the Migratory Bird Conservation Act.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits continued hearings on H.R. 10912, relating to the financial condition and funding of the civil service retirement system. Testimony was heard from representatives of employee organizations.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from Dr. W. T. Pecora, Director, Geological Survey, Department of Interior, and other Government witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Dr. George M. Kavanagh, Assistant General Manager for Reactors, and Milton Shaw, Director of the Division of Reactor Development and Technology, both of the AEC.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

WAGE-PRICE GUIDEPOSTS

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on the advisability of revival of wage-price guideposts. Testimony was received from the following panel of witnesses: Gary Fromm, Brookings

Institution; John W. Kendrick, professor of economics, George Washington University; George L. Perry, professor of economics, University of Minnesota; and John Sheahan, professor of economics, Williams College.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

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Thursday, February 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1755–1790

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2905–2915; and S. Con. Res. 55. Page 1757

President's Message—Economic Report: Message was received from President transmitting Economic Report of the President, accompanied by annual report of the Council of Economic Advisers—referred to Joint Economic Committee. Pages 1748–1755

President's Message—Humanities: President submitted message transmitting second annual report of the National Endowment for the Humanities, and urging legislative action to provide the endowment with the resources that have been requested to carry forward and expand its work—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 1755–1756

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1790, 1795–1802, 1817–1819

Confirmation: Nomination of William H. Chartener, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, was confirmed. Page 1820

Nomination: Nomination of Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, was received. Page 1820

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee began executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from these witnesses.

GOLD COVER

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2857, to eliminate requirement that Federal Reserve banks maintain certain reserves in gold certificates, and related bills (S. 2815 and S. 1307), after receiving testimony from David Rockefeller, president, Chase Manhattan Bank; Dr. Milton Friedman, professor of economics, University of Chicago; Dr. Charles Kindleberger, professor of economics, MIT; and Dr. Wilson Schmidt, professor of economics, VPI.

CONSUMER PROTECTION IN THE D.C.

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce continued its hearings on S. 316, 2589, 2590, and 2592, bills designed to regulate retail installment sales of consumer goods in the D.C., having as its witnesses Pauline Myers, Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc.; Bettin Stalling, D.C. Chapter of the Federal Bar Association; Warren Hanna, Acacia Life Insurance Co.; and Mrs. Ben Wattenberg, National Council of Jewish Women, Inc., who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Edward Re, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs; and Palmer Hoyt, of Colorado, and Morris S. Novik, of New York, to be members of the Advisory Commission on Information. Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of Mr. Re was received from Senator Javits.

Also, committee received testimony from Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs Dixon Donnelley in connection with Convention relating to International Exhibitions (Ex. P, 90th Cong., first sess.).

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued its hearings on S. 47 and S. 2116, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses Representative Mathias; and Connally Dillon, professor of government and politics, University of Maryland. Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Subcommittee will hold hearings tomorrow on the subject of auto safety.

POPULATION CRISIS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures continued its hearings on the population crisis, and on S. 1676, to create within the Departments of State and HEW offices for population problems. Testimony was received from William S. Gaud, Administrator, Herbert J. Waters, Assistant Administrator for War on Hunger, Maurice Williams, Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia, and Dr. R. T. Ravenholt, Office of War on Hunger, all of the Agency for International Development; Philander P. Claxton, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Population Matters; and Brent K. Ashabranner, Deputy Director, and Dr. Martha Leas, both of the Peace Corps.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PATENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights concluded its hearings on S. 1042 and S. 2597, bills proposing a general revision of the patent laws, and pending related bills, after receiving testimony from Floyd S. Ingersoll, Illinois Foundation Seeds, Inc., Champaign, and Ritchie Smith, National Cotton Council, both representing the American Seed Trade Association; I. C. Macdougall, Stauffer Chemical Co.; Ernest K. Bean, Cleveland Patent Law Association; Karl F. Ross, American Association of Registered Patent Attorneys and Agents; and Dr. John Poehlman, Department of Agronomy, University of Missouri.

Subcommittee announced that the record will remain open until March 1 for the inclusion of additional written material.

FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued its hearings on proposed rivers and harbors and flood control projects, and related legislation, with testimony as follows:

S. 1215, authorizing modifications of projects for the Illinois Waterway, Illinois and Indiana, and Indiana Harbor Canal, with testimony from Mayor John Nicosia, East Chicago, Ind.;

Fall River Harbor, Mass., with testimony from Senator Kennedy of Massachusetts; and George Pelletier, chairman, Fall River Port Authority;

Bristol Harbor, R.I., with testimony from Senator Pell; and Russell Bosworth, Jr., Bristol Harbor Development Commission;

Weber River, Utah, with testimony from Senator Bennett;

S. 1549, to authorize construction of the Little Dell Dam and Reservoir, Salt Lake City, Utah, with testimony from Senator Bennett; Representative Lloyd; Jake Garn, Commissioner, Salt Lake City; and W. C. Hauge, Salt Lake City Metropolitan Water District;

Norwalk River Basin, Conn., with testimony from Representative Irwin; and

Aquilla Creek Watershed, Texas, and Texas City, with testimony from Senator Yarborough.

Committee also received testimony from Brig. Gen. H. G. Woodbury, Jr., Director of Civil Works, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who directed his remarks to funds for the above-listed items and other projects.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 7.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 35 public bills, H.R. 15018–15052; 13 private bills, H.R. 15053–15065; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1035–1040, H. Con. Res. 623–628, and H. Res. 1053, were introduced. **Pages 1922–1923**

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows:

1967 report of the statutory activities of the Federal Government (H. Rept. 1071). **Page 1922**

Presidential Message—Economic Report: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his Economic Report—referred to the Joint Economic Committee and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. No. 238). **Pages 1821–1828**

Presidential Message—Humanities: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the second annual report of the National Endowment for the Humanities—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. **Page 1829**

Water Resources: Adopted the conference report on S. 1788, regarding investigation of certain water resource developments, thus clearing the measure for the White House. **Pages 1830–1831**

Consumer Credit: By a record vote of 382 yeas to 4 nays the House passed H.R. 11601, the Consumer Credit Protection Act.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 5 was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted amendments regarding loan sharking (by a record vote of 383 yeas to 5 nays); and

The authority of the Secretary of Labor regarding garnishment of wages.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Garnishment of wages;
State courts in garnishment proceedings;
Commission on Consumer Finance; and
Disclosure of credit information. Pages 1831–1857

Pawnee Indian Tribe: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5910, to declare that the United States holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Haley, Edmondson, Taylor, Berry, and McClure. Pages 1858–1859

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 7, 1968. Page 1858

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

"GOLD COVER" LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14743, to eliminate the reserve requirements for Federal Reserve notes and for U.S. notes and Treasury notes of 1890.

Prior to the executive session the committee concluded hearings on H.R. 14743. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 8525, Vocational Education Improvement Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 14816, to authorize the Secretary of Labor to set standards to assure safe and healthful working conditions for working men and women, to assist the States to participate in efforts to assure such working conditions, to provide for research, information, education, and training in the field of occupational safety and health. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on proposed legislation to reauthorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. Testimony was heard from William Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

WATER PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on H.R. 3300, to authorize construction, operation, and maintenance of the Colorado River Basin project; and S. 1007, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the central Arizona project, Arizona-New Mexico. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held a hearing on H.R. 10790, and related bills, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1967. Testimony was heard from James G. Terrill, Director, National Center for Radiological Health, Public Health Service, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

FEDERAL JURY SELECTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 989 (amended), which provides for the selection of Federal juries without discrimination.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14934, to reduce from five to four the ratio of career substitute employees to regular employees in the postal field service.

MAILING MASTER KEYS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and approved the 1967 statistical report.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and consider pending business. No announcements were made.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES BY PUBLIC UTILITIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory and Enforcement Agencies began hearings on promotional practices by public utilities and their impact on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through January 31, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	12	11	..
Time in session	56 hrs., 39′	31 hrs., 10′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	718	676	1,394
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	383
Public bills enacted into law	1	1	2
Private bills enacted into law	1	..	1
Bills in conference	5	6	11
Bills through conference	16	44	60
Measures passed, total	9	27	..
Senate bills	1	3	..
House bills	2	9	..
Senate joint resolutions	1	1	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
Simple resolutions	3	13	16
Measures reported, total	*47	*16	..
Senate bills	1	1	..
House bills	3	4	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
Simple resolutions	39	11	50
Special reports	5	4	..
Conference reports	..	..	..
Reported measures not acted on	19	69	..
Measures introduced, total	138	549	687
Bills	82	425	507
Joint resolutions	4	64	68
Concurrent resolutions	2	18	20
Simple resolutions	50	42	92
Quorum calls	3	7	..
Yea-and-nay votes	1	3	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 12 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 20 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through January 31, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 1,259, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	1,260
Air Force nominations, totaling 2,480, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	2,482
Navy nominations, totaling 6, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	6
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,079, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	1,079
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 15, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4
Unconfirmed	15
Postmaster nominations, totaling 33, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	179

Summary

Total nominations received	4,872
Total confirmed	4
Total unconfirmed	5,021

NOTE.—The total of nominations unconfirmed in some of the above categories is in excess of the total of those received and confirmed. The reason is that nominations still unconfirmed at the end of the first session of this Congress are still pending.

Friday, February 2, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1959–1990

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2916–2918. Page 1959

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Consent was granted that certain amendments submitted by Senator Ervin will be considered as having been read for the purpose of rule XXII.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 1990–1996

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Edward D. Re, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and Palmer Hoyt, of Colorado, and Morris S. Novik, of New York, to be members of Advisory Commission on Information. Page 1997

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM LOANS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held hearings on S. 2714, providing additional loan assistance to farmers who have suffered production losses resulting from national disasters, with testimony from Senator Fulbright; Jack Frost, Director, Emergency Loan Division, Farmers Home Administration, and Howard V. Campbell, Office of the General Counsel, both of the Department of Agriculture; Harry L. Graham, National Grange; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; J. Banks Young, National Cotton Council; Francis M. LeMay, Southern Cotton Growers Association; and numerous public witnesses from the States of Alabama, Georgia, and Arkansas.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, with further testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 5.

AUTO SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization held hearings on S. 2865, requiring disclosure of cost of safety equipment in the procurement of autos, receiving testimony from Senator Mondale; Lowell K. Bridwell, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, and Dr. William Haddon, Administrator, Highway Safety Bureau, both of the Department of Transportation; Ralph Nader, of Connecticut, author of "Unsafe at Any Speed"; Heinz Abersfeller, Commissioner, Federal Supply Service, GSA; and Peter Henle, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DIET PILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings to study possible antitrust aspects of the diet pill industry, having as its witnesses Dr. James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW; Dr. J. E. Smith, chief medical officer, United Airlines, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Theodore B. Van Itallie, Council on Food and Nutrition, New York City, and Dr. Harry C. Shirkey, Council on Drugs, Birmingham, Ala., both representing the American Medical Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL VISITOR CENTER

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center.

Committee also approved the nomination of Brig. Gen. C. Craig Cannon, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission; and conditionally approved S. Res. 250, requesting $135,000 to conduct additional studies by the committee.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

WATER PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Monday, February 5, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2035–2083

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2919–2928; and S.J. Res. 136.

Page 2037

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center, with amendments (S. Rept. 959); and

S. Res. 250, authorizing $135,000 to conduct additional studies by Committee on Public Works (S. Rept. 960)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Page 2037

President's Message—Education: President submitted message containing his legislative recommendations in the field of education—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 2032–2035

Indians: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 5910, declaring that the U.S. holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe, Oklahoma, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McGovern, Anderson, and Fannin. Page 2112

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence. Pages 2083–2086, 2094–2112

Confirmation: Nomination of Brig. Gen. C. Craig Cannon, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission, was confirmed. Page 2112

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, with further testimony from Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara; and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 7, when Director of Defense Research and Engineering John Foster will testify.

GOLD COVER, AND NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2857, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes.

Committee also approved for reporting the nomination of Merton J. Peck, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the Land and Water Conservation Fund, and S. 2828, to prohibit certain user fees from being charged in connection with projects administered by the Army Engineers. Witnesses heard were Senators Monroney and Harris; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; Brig. Gen. Charles C. Noble, Deputy Director of Civil Works, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who was accompanied by his associates; Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Dr. Ralph A. MacMullan, National Association of State Liaison Officers for Outdoor Recreation, who was introduced by Senator Hart; Harry Figge, Fish and Parks Department of Colorado; John Greenslit, outdoor recreation coordinator of North Dakota; William Penn Mott, director of parks and recreation of California; Dr. Spencer Smith, Citizens Committee on Natural Resources; William E. Towell, American Forestry Association; FitzGerald Bemiss, Commission of Outdoor Recreation of Virginia; Ney C. Landrum, Florida Outdoor Recreational Development Council; Carl L. Bradford, West Virginia Department of Commerce; Robert Stroud, Sport Fishing Institute; Philip Bergen, Save the Dunes Council, Beverly Shores, Ind.; Robert F. Nelson, Virginia Travel Council, Richmond; and William M. Lightsey, Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 47 public bills, H.R. 15066–15102; seven private bills, H.R. 15103–15109; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1041–1049, H. Con. Res. 629, and H. Res. 1054 and 1055, were introduced. Pages 2030–203[illegible]

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in the States of North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe (H. Rept. 1072);

H.J. Res. 297, to change the name of Twin Buttes Dam and Twin Buttes Reservoir on the San Angelo project, Texas, to Bryant Dam and Bryant Reservoir (H. Rept. 1073); and

H.J. Res. 358, to change the name of San Angelo Reservoir project, Texas, to Culbertson Deal Reservoir project, Texas, amended (H. Rept. 1074). Page 2030

Presidential Message—Education: Received and read a message from the President on education—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 247).

Pages 2001–2004

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the White House:

Navajo-Ute Mountain Tribes: S. 491, to determine the rights and interests of the Navajo Tribe and the Ute Mountain Tribe of the Ute Mountain Reservation in and to certain lands in the State of New Mexico.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Property conveyance: H.R. 10277, to authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to convey certain property to the State of Mississippi.

Eligible bills not considered:

Stricken from the calendar: H.R. 150. Pages 2005–2007

Suspension Passages: The House considered and by record votes rejected, under suspension of the rules (having failed to get a two-thirds vote) the following bills:

Cherries: H.R. 4282, to eliminate certain requirements with respect to effectuating market orders for cherries. (180 yeas to 168 nays.) Pages 2007–2010

Land conveyance: S. 974, to convey certain lands to the city of Glendale, Ariz. (202 yeas to 138 nays.)

Pages 2010–2012

Commodity Exchange Act: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 13094, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act, thus clearing the measure for the President. Page 2012

Credit Unions: The House passed H.R. 6157, to permit Federal employees to purchase shares of Federal- or State-chartered credit unions through voluntary payroll allotment.

H. Res. 1048, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 2012–2015

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GRAIN STANDARDS

Committee on Agriculture: Considered in executive session H.R. 14261, to provide for U.S. standards and a national inspection system for grain; no final action was taken.

Prior to the executive session a hearing was held on H.R. 14261. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and HUD met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN PAY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session to mark up H.R. 10761, and related bills, D.C. police and firemen pay bill; the subcommittee approved for full committee action a clean bill.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on proposed legislation to reauthorize appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action S.J. Res. 123 (amended), to approve long-term contracts for delivery of water from Navajo Reservoir in the State of New Mexico.

HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on the general review of housing programs and related bills. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett and a public witness.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Received and held hearings on the Administration's balance-of-payments legislative proposals. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury, Ambassador William Roth, Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, and Joseph Bartlett, Acting Director, Office of Foreign Direct Investments, and General Counsel, Department of Commerce.

Joint Committee Meetings

NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, with regard to the status of current negotiations in Geneva of a treaty dealing with nonproliferation of nuclear weapons.

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission,

receiving further testimony from Dr. George M. Kavanagh, Assistant General Manager for Reactors, and Milton Shaw, Director of the Division of Reactor Development and Technology, both of the AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began hearings on 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witness Gardner Ackley, Chairman, who was accompanied by other members and officials of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Budget Director Zwick.

Tuesday, February 6, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2202–2264

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2929–2937; S.J. Res. 137; and S. Res. 253–255. **Pages 2203–2204**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 2237**

President's Message—Consumers: President submitted message proposing eight new steps to advance consumer interests—referred jointly to Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and Commerce.

Pages 2230–2233

Civil Rights: Senate worked on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, adopting by 54 yeas to 29 nays Hart motion to table Ervin amendment No. 505 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) adding language on deprivation of rights by violence.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing. By unanimous consent, the amendment was considered as having been read to comply with provisions of rule XXII. **Pages 2264–2284**

Confirmation: Nomination of Merton J. Peck, of Connecticut, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, was confirmed. **Page 2286**

Nominations: 41 postmaster nominations were received. **Page 2286**

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting the nomination of Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Deputy Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

OAS CHARTER

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on Protocol of Amendment to the Charter of the Organization of American States (Ex. L, 90th Cong., 1st sess.), having as its witness Sol M. Linowitz, U.S. Ambassador to the OAS.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the land and water conservation fund, and S. 2828, to prohibit certain user fees from being charged in connection with projects administered by the Army Engineers. Witnesses heard were Senators Kennedy of Massachusetts and Clark; and numerous public witnesses representing agencies of the States of Washington, Missouri, Oregon, Maryland, and South Carolina, and several representatives of conservation organizations.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 14.

COMPUTER PRIVACY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure resumed its series of hearings on the general subject of invasions of privacy through the use of electronic devices, having as its witnesses Alan F. Westin, professor of public law and government, Columbia University; Wiley Branton, United Planning Organization, Washington, D.C.; and Paul Armer, Computer Sciences Department, the Rand Corp., Santa Monica.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Frederick E. Batrus, to be an Assistant Postmaster General, Bureau of Transportation, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

THERMAL POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings to receive testimony on

the subject of thermal pollution from nuclear-powered facilities, having as its witnesses William Martin, Sport Fishing Institute; Tor Kolflat, an engineer of Chicago; Dr. F. J. Trembley, professor of ecology, Lehigh University; and Dr. Joseph Mihursky, Natural Resources Institute, University of Maryland.

Hearings continue in Portland, Maine, on February 13, and in Montpelier, Vt., on February 14.

VOTING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections held hearings on S. 1881, to assist U.S. citizens who changed their residences to vote in presidential elections, and S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad. Witnesses heard were Representative Brademas; Stephen S. Jackson, Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; and Stuart Johnson, League of Americans Residing Abroad.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. William Demeshek, Mt. Sinai Hospital, New York City; and Dr. William Best, Hines VA Hospital, Hines, Ill., and Dr. Mark Lepper, Presbyterian St. Lukes Hospital, Chicago, both of whom are of the University of Illinois Medical School.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 8.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement began hearings to receive testimony from officials of several Government agencies on various procurement problems affecting small business. Witnesses heard were John M. Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement; Rear Adm. Joseph L. Howard, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Installations and Logistics; Rear Adm. Thomas B. Owen, Chief of Naval Research; Rear Adm. Arthur R. Gralla, Commander, Naval Ordnance Systems Command; Rear Adm. J. E. Rice, Commander, Naval Electronic Systems Command; Maj. Gen. Roland B. Anderson, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics; Brig. Gen. Walter Woolwine, Army Materiel Command; Paul Schaeppi, Army Missile Command; Col. C. D. Wary, Army Ammunition Procurement and Supply Agency; Henry Jones, Army Tank and Automotive Command; Col. J. W. Condon, Army Electronics Command; and Gen. Robert E. Lee, Defense Supply Agency.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 49 public bills, H.R. 15110–15158; 21 private bills, H.R. 15159–15179; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1050–1059, H. Con. Res. 630–631, and H. Res. 1056, were introduced. Pages 2342–2344

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 6347, relating to the acquisition of property for the Independence National Historic Park (H. Rept. 1075);

S. 989, regarding selection of Federal juries, amended (H. Rept. 1076);

Private bills, S. 321, amended, 1040, H. Res. 991, H.R. 1879, 2282, amended, 10851, amended, 10327, amended (H. Repts. 1077–1083);

H.R. 13315, regarding territory included in the two judicial districts of Virginia, amended (H. Rept. 1084);

H.R. 14934, regarding ratio of career substitute employees to regular employees in the postal field service, amended (H. Rept. 1085); and

H.R. 14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches (H. Rept. 1086).

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Consumer Protection: Received and read the President's message on consumer protection—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 248). Pages 2288–2291

Private Calendar: Considered the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2281, 2288, 4058, 4386, 4936, 7210, 8091, 11381, 12119, S. 155, 233, 503, and 1580.

Recommitted: H.R. 2661, 6325, and 8257.

Pages 2295–2296

Export-Import Bank Act: Concluded all general debate on and commenced reading for amendment H.R. 6649, regarding extension of the Export-Import Bank Act. During the consideration of the bill, while in the Committee of the Whole, the House tentatively adopted an amendment to the Patman substitute regarding congressional determination of bank loans to our enemies.

Tentatively rejected amendments giving the President power to waiver restrictions on loans to our enemies when it is in the national interest; and to prohibit credit sales of arms to developing countries.

Adopted H. Res. 993, the rule under which the legislation was considered, earlier by a voice vote.

The legislation will be further considered by the House on Wednesday. Pages 2296–2317

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

RICE ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14601, to authorize the transfer of rice farm acreage allotments and rice producer allotments. The committee also had a general discussion of flood control projects.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and HUD met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 13293, National School Lunch Act.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 2567, Construction Safety Act. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Carroll Dunn, Director, Military Construction, Office of Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, and a Government witness.

HIGHER EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on the Higher Education Act Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Commissioner of Education Howe and departmental witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session to continue consideration of Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization bill. Testimony was heard from Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on the Alliance for Progress by Covey T. Oliver, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on H.R. 3395, and related bills, to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fascell and Foley; Secretary of the Interior, Stewart Udall; Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and public witnesses.

RADIO INTERFERENCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and ordered approved for full committee action H.R. 14910, to give the FCC authority to prescribe regulations for the manufacture, import, sale, shipment, or use of devices which cause harmful interference to radio reception.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee concluded a hearing on H.R. 14910. Testimony was heard from Robert E. Lee, Commissioner, FCC, and A. B. Winick, Chief Navigational Development Division, FAA.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 13315 (amended), to define more precisely the territory included in the two judicial districts of Virginia;

H.R. 10135 (amended), to provide for the expeditious naturalization of the surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who dies while serving in an active duty status in the Armed Forces of the United States;

H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees in the Immigration and Nationality Act.

The committee also acted on several private claim bills.

FISHERY INSPECTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held hearings on H.R. 14560, to protect the Nation's consumers and to assist the commercial fishing industry through the inspection of establishments processing fish and fishery products in commerce. Testimony was heard from Senator Hart, Representative Pepper, and a public witness.

POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held hearings on H.R. 8516, and related bills, appointment of postmasters. Testimony was heard from Representatives Corbett, Culver, Cunningham, Gross, Kyl, Mayne, Olsen, Pike, Scherle, Schwengel, William Steiger, Fletcher Thompson, Wydler, and employee organization witnesses.

COORDINATED FEDERAL WAGE SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service held a hearing on the Civil Service Commission's new coordinated Federal wage system. Testimony was heard from John W.

Macy, Chairman, Civil Service Commission, L. J. Andolsek, Vice Chairman, Civil Service Commission, and Robert E. Hampton, Commissioner, Civil Service Commission.

RULES MISCELLANY

Committee on Rules: Concluded hearings but did not take action on:

H.R. 150, naming of Veterans' Administration facilities;

H.R. 25, to preserve estuarine areas of the Nation.

Did not complete hearings but continued to a later date on H.R. 12066, rural telephone bank.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments legislative proposals. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury, Ambassador William Roth, Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, and Joseph Bartlett, Acting Director, Office of Foreign Direct Investments, and General Counsel, Department of Commerce.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Senator Baker; and further testimony from Dr. George M. Kavanagh, Assistant General Manager for Reactors, and Milton Shaw, Director of the Division of Reactor Development and Technology, both of the AEC.

Hearings continue tomorrow on proposed funds for the nuclear space program.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from Capt. James Bradley and other officials of the Office of Naval Intelligence.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witness Charles J. Zwick, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Under Secretary of Commerce Samuels.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 11 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2938–2948; and S.J. Res. 138–140.

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President's Message—Crime: President transmitted message outlining legislative recommendations for a 22-point program to meet challenge of crime—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 2489–2494

President's Message—Reorganization—Narcotics: President transmitted Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1968 to abolish Bureau of Narcotics in the Department of the Treasury and to establish in the Department of Justice a Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs—referred to Committee on Government Operations. Pages 2488–2489

Pine Gum: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled), S. 2511, to improve the income of producers of crude pine gum.

Pages 2499–2502

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. Pages 2524–2544

Truth in Lending: Senate disagreed with House amendments to S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, Muskie, Bennett, and Hickenlooper. Pages 2550–2555

Confirmation: Nomination of Thomas O. Paine, of California, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, was confirmed.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, approved the following watershed projects:

Cahulga Creek, Ala.;
Oldtown Creek, Ala.;
Mustang Creek, Calif.;
Tesnatee Creek, Ga.;
Cross Creek, Kans.;
West Fork Mayfield Creek, Ky.;
Cameron Creole, Louisiana;

Central Madison, Louisiana;
West Fork of Bayou La Cassine, La.;
Garrison Creek, Okla.;
Elk Twomile Creek, W. Va.; and
Blackhawk-Kickapoo, Wisconsin.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, having as its witness John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue on Thursday, February 15, with further testimony from Mr. Foster.

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation approved for full committee consideration the following bills:

S. 752, clarifying exemption with respect to transportation performed by agricultural cooperative associations for nonmembers (amended);

S. 858, permitting recovery of attorney's fees in cases of recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property (amended);

S. 756, authorizing ICC to exempt a motor carrier from rules and regulations under certain conditions (amended);

S. 757, eliminating requirement that the ICC determine present value of land of carrier holdings (amended);

S. 758, to enable the ICC to improve administrative efficiency (amended); and

S. 913, providing for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers (amended).

Subcommittee ordered reported to the full committee without recommendation S. 754, requiring Federal, State, and local governments to pay full rates for transportation provided by common carriers except during national emergencies.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting where it discussed the possibility of having Secretary of State Rusk appear before the committee to testify and answer questions with regard to the situation in Vietnam.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation approved for full committee consideration S. 2309, to establish the Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site in Massachusetts.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on S. 2309 and on S. 1636, providing for the establishment of the Plymouth Rock National Memorial, also in Massachusetts, with testimony from Senator Kennedy, John A. Volpe, Governor of Massachusetts, and Howard W. Baker, Associate Director, National Park Service, who directed their remarks to both of the bills; Representative Keith and Dr. Hyman Duby, commissioner of public safety of Plymouth, who directed their remarks to S. 1636; and J. Sanger Attwill, First Iron Works Association, Inc., accompanied by Emil Sommer, Jr., American Iron & Steel Institute, who testified with regard to S. 2309.

Hearings on S. 1636 were recessed subject to call.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held executive hearings to receive testimony in connection with an investigation by the Food and Drug Administration of the Diapulse Corp. of America, manufacturer of a machine employed in the healing of wounds and bone infections. Witnesses heard were Robert Kennedy, Michael Kennedy, and Dr. Joseph B. Davis, all of the Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

FLOOD CONTROL—RIVERS AND HARBORS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors resumed its hearings on proposed rivers and harbors and flood control projects, and related legislation, with testimony as follows:

Senator Moss, who directed his remarks to S. 2024, providing for the reauthorization of the flood control project on Weber River, Utah, and S. 2611, authorizing construction of a multiple-purpose dam and reservoir at the Little Dell site, Dell Creek, Salt Lake City Streams, Utah; and

Brig. Gen. H. G. Woodbury, Jr., Director of Civil Works, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who testified with regard to proposed increases in comprehensive river basin monetary authorizations.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

SENATE COMMITTEE BUDGETS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following resolutions authorizing funds for Senate committee and subcommittee activities, as follows:

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences—S. Res. 228, requesting $50,000 for committee expenses;

Committee on Armed Services—S. Res. 225, requesting $175,000 for Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee;

Committee on Banking and Currency—S. Res. 209, requesting $145,000 for certain investigations (amended to provide $120,000); and

S. Res. 206, requesting $163,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs (amended to provide $150,000).

Committee on Commerce—S. Res. 252, requesting $550,000 to conduct certain studies (amended to provide $525,000);

Committee on Finance—S. Res. 207, extending for 1 year employment of six of its clerical assistants (amended); and

S. Res. 208, requesting $10,000 for additional expenses.

Committee on Foreign Relations—S. Res. 226, requesting $225,000 to conduct certain studies pertaining to foreign policy;

Committee on Government Operations—

S. Res. 216, requesting $860,000 for Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (amended to provide $750,000);

S. Res. 214, requesting $130,000 for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization (amended to provide $115,000);

S. Res. 211, requesting $125,000 for Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures (amended to provide $105,000);

S. Res. 227, requesting $87,000 for Subcommittee on Government Research (amended to provide $85,000);

S. Res. 221, requesting $148,000 for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (amended to provide $130,000); and

S. Res. 212, requesting $90,000 for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations.

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs—S. Res. 219, requesting $125,000 to conduct certain investigations;

Committee on the Judiciary—

S. Res. 232, requesting $200,000 for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure;

S. Res. 233, requesting $587,500 for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly (amended to provide $560,000);

S. Res. 235, requesting $110,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments;

S. Res. 236, requesting $228,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights (amended to provide $210,000);

S. Res. 245, requesting $125,000 for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers (amended to provide $90,000);

S. Res. 237, requesting $130,000 for Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures (amended to provide $120,000);

S. Res. 234, requesting $8,500 for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations;

S. Res. 239, requesting $203,000 for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery;

S. Res. 238, requesting $185,000 for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization (amended to provide $170,000);

S. Res. 248, requesting $426,800 for Subcommittee on Internal Security (amended to provide $400,000);

S. Res. 240, requesting $235,000 for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency (amended to provide $225,000);

S. Res. 242, requesting $5,000 for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries;

S. Res. 241, requesting $110,000 for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights;

S. Res. 243, requesting $108,215 for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees (amended to provide $105,400); and

S. Res. 244, requesting $46,500 for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification.

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare—

S. Res. 220, to continue employment of additional professional and clerical staff (with a technical amendment);

S. Res. 218, requesting $110,000 for Special Subcommittee on Indian Education; and

S. Res. 222, requesting $75,000 for Subcommittee on Migratory Labor.

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service—S. Res. 229, requesting $150,000 for committee expenses;

Committee on Public Works—

S. Res. 230, requesting $160,000 for committee expenses; and

S. Res. 250, requesting $135,000 for additional committee studies.

Committee on Rules and Administration—

S. Res. 210, requesting $150,000 for Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections; and

S. Res. 224, requesting $67,000 for Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate.

Select Committee on Small Business—S. Res. 215, requesting $145,000 for studies of problems of small and independent businesses;

Special Committee on Aging—S. Res. 223, requesting $230,000 for committee expenses (amended to provide $200,000); and

Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress—S. Res. 247, requesting $100,000 for extension of the committee through December 31, 1968 (amended to provide $50,000 through June 30, 1968).

Committee also ordered favorably reported the following printing resolutions:

S. Res. 213, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Planning-Programing-Budgeting";

S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "U.S. Foreign Aid in Action";

S. Res. 231, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Crime Disorders";

S. Res. 246, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "The National Airport System"; and

S. Res. 249, to print as a Senate document a report on "The Cost of Clean Water."

Also, committee ordered favorably reported two original resolutions authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Committee agreed to authorize the Architect of the Capitol to negotiate the services of an acoustical firm to

make an in-depth study of the practicalities of installing a voice reinforcement system in the Senate Chamber.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued its hearings to receive testimony from officials of several Government agencies on various procurement problems affecting small business. Witnesses heard were Aaron J. Racusin, Office of Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations and Logistics; Col. Abraham J. Dreiseszun, Air Force Logistics Command; Maj. Gen. Fred J. Higgins, Air Force Systems Command; Robert T. Griffin, Assistant Administrator, GSA; George J. Vecchietti, Director of Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Joseph L. Smith, Atomic Energy Commission; Robert F. Keller, General Counsel, GAO; and Irving Maness, Associate Administrator, Small Business Administration, all of whom were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 15180–15208; six private bills, H.R. 15209–15214; and 20 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1060–1072, H. Con. Res. 632–635, and H. Res. 1057–1059, were introduced. Pages 2470–2471

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1727, regarding Apache Tribe of the Mescalero Reservation (H. Rept. 1087);

S. 2402, regarding Kings River Water Association (H. Rept. 1088);

S. 2447, to amend the Migratory Bird Conservation Act (H. Rept. 1089);

H. Res. 1058, providing for the consideration of H.R. 25, regarding estuarine areas of the Nation (H. Rept. 1090); and

H. Res. 1059, providing for the consideration of H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act (H. Rept. 1091).

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Presidential Message—Crime: Received and read the President's message on crime—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 250). Pages 2409–2414

Presidential Message—Narcotics: Received and read a message from the President transmitting Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1968, regarding a Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 249). Page 2421

Export-Import Bank Act: By a record vote of 375 yeas to 19 nays the House passed H.R. 6649, regarding extension of the Export-Import Bank Act.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 1155 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected a recommittal motion designed to reduce by $1 billion the Export-Import Bank lending authority by a record vote of 164 yeas to 232 nays.

Adopted the Patman amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

Rejected an amendment designed to improve international trade practices; and an amendment identical to the recommittal motion. Pages 2421–2433

"LULAC Week": Adopted H.J. Res. 947, authorizing the President to proclaim the period February 11 through 17, 1968, as "LULAC Week." Page 2433

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered the extension of P.L. 480, Food for Peace. No announcements were made.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Independent Offices and HUD met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

HIGHER EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Act Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Commissioner of Education Howe and departmental witnesses.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 2567, Construction Safety Act. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued a hearing on the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Findley and Hosmer, and a public witness.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and received a briefing on the President's foreign aid

message from William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

COMBAT ORGANIZED CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held hearings on the Federal effort to combat organized crime. Testimony was heard from Irving M. Pollack, Director, Division of Trading and Markets, SEC; William B. Camp, Comptroller of the Currency; Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, FDIC; Robert L. Rand, Board Member, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and William W. Sherrill, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 3395, and related bills, to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and considered H.R. 10790, and related bills, radiation control.

NATURALIZATION OF COMBATANTS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15147, to provide for the naturalization of persons who have served in combatant areas in active-duty service in the Armed Forces of the United States.

The subcommittee also acted on several private immigration bills.

PRETRIAL PROCEEDINGS TEMPORARY CONSOLIDATION

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 159, to provide for the temporary transfer to a single district for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings of civil actions pending in different districts which involve one or more common questions of fact.

FISHERY INSPECTION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on H.R. 14560, to protect the Nation's consumers and to assist the commercial fishing industry through the inspection of establishments processing fish and fishery products in commerce. Testimony was heard from Howard E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior, Dr. Leon Jacobs, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Science, Department of HEW, and public witnesses.

POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 8516, appointment of postmasters. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cahill and Wydler, and employee organization witnesses.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Committee on Rules: On H.R. 11308, amend the National Foundation of the Arts and Humanities Act, the committee granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment.

ESTUARINE AREAS

Committee on Rules: On H.R. 25, to preserve, protect, develop, restore, and make accessible estuarine areas of the Nation, the committee granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment.

RULES MISCELLANY

Committee on Rules: The committee deferred action on the following bills:

H.R. 150, naming of Veterans' Administration facilities; and

H.R. 12066, rural telephone bank.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a hearing on H.R. 15086, 1969 NASA authorizations. Testimony was heard from James Webb, Administrator, NASA, and other NASA witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met and heard testimony from Francis J. Beaton, national commander, Disabled American Veterans, on his organization's legislative objectives for the current year.

EXCISE TAX REDUCTION AND CORPORATE TAX COLLECTION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered postponement of the scheduled excise tax reduction on automobiles and telephone service, and the speedup of corporate tax collections.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, having as its witness Milton Klein, Director, Division of Space Nuclear Systems, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session on funds for the naval reactor program.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witness Under Secretary Howard J. Samuels, who was accompanied by other officials of the Department of Commerce.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 14.

Thursday, February 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2603–2687

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and 10 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2949–2963; S.J. Res. 141–145; S. Con. Res. 56–58; and S. Res. 256–257. **Pages 2606–2608**

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Committee on Rules and Administration reported the following resolutions authorizing funds for Senate committee and subcommittee activities (some with amendments), as follows:

S. Res. 228—$50,000 for Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences (S. Rept. 971);

S. Res. 225—$175,000 for Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of Committee on Armed Services (S. Rept. 969);

S. Res. 209—$145,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency investigations (amended to $120,000) (S. Rept. 988);

S. Res. 206—$163,000 for Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency (amended to $150,000) (S. Rept. 986);

S. Res. 252—$550,000 for Committee on Commerce (amended to $525,000) (S. Rept. 1004);

S. Res. 207—extending employment of six clerical assistants of Committee on Finance (amended) (S. Rept. 987);

S. Res. 226—$225,000 for Committee on Foreign Relations (S. Rept. 970);

Six resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on Government Operations, as follows—

S. Res. 216—$860,000 for Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (amended to $750,000) (S. Rept. 991);

S. Res. 214—$130,000 for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization (amended to $115,000) (S. Rept. 990);

S. Res. 211—$125,000 for Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures (amended to $105,000) (S. Rept. 989);

S. Res. 227—$87,000 for Subcommittee on Government Research (amended to $85,000) (S. Rept. 994);

S. Res. 221—$148,000 for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (amended to $130,000) (S. Rept. 992); and

S. Res. 212—$90,000 for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations (S. Rept. 962).

S. Res. 219—$125,000 for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs investigations (S. Rept. 966);

Fifteen resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on the Judiciary, as follows—

S. Res. 232—$200,000 for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure (S. Rept. 975);

S. Res. 233—$587,500 for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly (amended to $560,000) (S. Rept. 995);

S. Res. 235—$110,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments (S. Rept. 977);

S. Res. 236—$228,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights (amended to $210,000) (S. Rept. 996);

S. Res. 245—$125,000 for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers (amended to $90,000) (S. Rept. 1001);

S. Res. 237—$130,000 for Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures (amended to $120,000) (S. Rept. 997);

S. Res. 234—$8,500 for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations (S. Rept. 976);

S. Res. 239—$203,000 for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery (S. Rept. 978);

S. Res. 238—$185,000 for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization (amended to $170,000) (S. Rept. 998);

S. Res. 248—$426,800 for Subcommittee on Internal Security (amended to $400,000) (S. Rept. 1002);

S. Res. 240—$235,000 for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency (amended to $225,000) (S. Rept. 999);

S. Res. 242—$5,000 for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries (S. Rept. 980);

S. Res. 241—$110,000 for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights (S. Rept. 979);

S. Res. 243—$108,215 for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees (amended to $105,400) (S. Rept. 1000); and

S. Res. 244—$46,500 for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification (S. Rept. 981).

Three resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, as follows—

S. Res. 220—extending employment of additional professional and clerical staff (with additional amendment) (S. Rept. 984);

S. Res. 218—$110,000 for Special Subcommittee on Indian Education (S. Rept. 985); and

S. Res. 222—$75,000 for Subcommittee on Migratory Labor (S. Rept. 967).

S. Res. 229—$150,000 for Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (S. Rept. 972);

S. Res. 230—$160,000 for Committee on Public Works (S. Rept. 973);

S. Res. 250—$135,000 for Committee on Public Works for additional studies (amended) (S. Rept. 1003);

S. Res. 210—$150,000 for Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of Committee on Rules and Administration (S. Rept. 961);

S. Res. 224—$67,000 for Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate of Committee on Rules and Administration (S. Rept. 968);

S. Res. 215—$145,000 for Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 964);

S. Res. 223—$230,000 for Special Committee on Aging (amended to $200,000) (S. Rept. 993);

S. Res. 247—$100,000 for extension of Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress through December 31, 1968 (amended to provide $50,000 through June 30, 1968) (S. Rept. 1005);

And eight sundry resolutions as follows:

S. Res. 213, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Planning-Programing-Budgeting" (S. Rept. 963);

S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "U.S. Foreign Aid in Action" (S. Rept. 965);

S. Res. 231, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Crime Disorders" (S. Rept. 974);

S. Res. 246, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "The National Airport System" (S. Rept. 982);

S. Res. 249, to print as a Senate document a report on "The Cost of Clean Water" (S. Rept. 983);

S. Res. 208, providing $10,000 for additional expenses for Committee on Finance (no written report);

S. Res. 256–257, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written report). Pages 2606–2608

President's Message—Foreign Aid: President transmitted message outlining his foreign aid program for fiscal year 1969—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 2627–2630

President's Message—National Endowment for the Arts: President transmitted message with first annual report of the National Endowment for the Arts for fiscal year 1967—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 2603

National Visitor Center: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center. Pages 2603–2605

Washington's Farewell Address: Vice President announced his appointment of Senator Brewster to read George Washington's Farewell Address to the Senate on February 22. Page 2605

Senate Schedule: Order was entered that when Senate concludes its business today it adjourn until 10 a.m. Monday, February 12, when it will immediately adjourn without transaction of any business until noon Wednesday, February 14. Page 2627

Authority To Report: All committees were authorized to file reports during adjournment of Senate on Tuesday, February 13. Page 2627

LULAC Week: Senate received from House and passed without amendment, clearing for President, H.J. Res. 947, designating period of February 11–17, 1968, as LULAC Week (League of United Latin-American Citizens). Pages 2660–2661

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

By unanimous consent, Thurmond amendments Nos. 518–520 were considered as having been read to comply with rule XXII. Pages 2687, 2692–2709, 2717–2719

Confirmation: Nomination of Frederick E. Batrus, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Postmaster General, was confirmed. Page 2720

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR WEAPONS TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, with regard to proposed treaties dealing with nonproliferation of nuclear weapons and a nuclear-free zone in South America.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. James T. Weston, Utah State medical examiner; and Dr. Paul D. Hoeprich, professor of medicine and head of section on clinical microbiology and immunology, University of California.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 67 public bills, H.R. 15215–15281; 8 private bills, H.R. 15282–15299; and 23 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1073–1083, H. Con. Res. 636–643, and H. Res. 1060–1063, were introduced. Pages 1028–1030

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14401, to grant the masters of certain U.S. ves-

sels a lien on those vessels for their wages (H. Rept. 1029); and

Private bills, H.R. 2191, amended, and 2192, amended (H. Repts. 1093 and 1094). Page 2818

Executive-Legislative-Judicial Salaries: The Speaker appointed to the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries (private citizens) Edward H. Foley, Washington, D.C.; and William Spoelhof, Michigan. Page 2724

Presidential Message—Foreign Aid: Received and read the President's message on foreign aid—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 251). Pages 2724–2727

Presidential Message—Arts: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a report for fiscal 1967 of the National Endowment for the Arts—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Pages 2731–2732

Truth in Lending: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 5; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, Ashley, Moorhead, Widnall, Fino, and Dwyer. Page 2736

Fire Research: By a record vote of 268 yeas to 78 nays the House passed H.R. 11284, the Fire Research and Safety Act of 1967.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed in lieu S. 1124 after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted an amendment providing a $5 million authorization for the National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control for the period ending June 30, 1970; and adopted several perfecting amendments.

H. Res. 926 the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a record vote of 332 yeas to 21 nays. Pages 2732–2749

Estuarine Areas: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 25, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, in cooperation with the States, to conduct an inventory and study of the Nation's estuaries and their natural resources.

Adopted the Dingell amendment regarding agreements between the Federal Government and the States to improve estuarine areas. Adopted the committee amendments.

H. Res. 1058 the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 2736, 2749–2765

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 14, and February 21. Page 2722

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 2817

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered the extension of P.L. 480, Food for Peace.

AGRICULTURAL LABOR RELATIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and adopted a committee resolution pertaining to agricultural labor relations.

RICE ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and vacated the committee action taken on February 6, 1968, on H.R. 14601, to authorize the transfer of rice farm acreage allotments and rice producer allotments. The action was taken without prejudice awaiting departmental recommendations.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S PAY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15131 (technical amendments), D.C. police and firemen pay increase.

HIGHER EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Act amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Commissioner of Education Howe, Ralph K. Huitt, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Legislation, and a departmental witness.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued a hearing on the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization bill. Testimony was heard from Lewis L. Strauss, former Chairman, AEC, and a public witness.

COMBAT ORGANIZED CRIME

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs held hearings on the Federal effort to combat organized crime. Testimony was heard from Frank M. Kleiler, Director, Office of Labor-Management and Welfare-Pension Reports; H. Stephen Gordan, Associate General Counsel, National Labor Relations Board; Henry D. Montague, Chief Inspector, Post Office Department; Burrill A. Peterson, Assistant Director, U.S. Secret Service; and Mario T.

Noto, Associate Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

WATER PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation began markup of H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on private claim bills.

The committee in executive session considered H.R. 202, to provide for the finality of settlement effected under certain sections of the U.S. Code; and H.R. 203, to provide for settlement, under international agreements, of certain claims incident to the noncombat activities of Armed Forces.

U.S.-SOVIET FISHERIES AGREEMENT

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and received a briefing from officials of the Departments of State, Interior, and the U.S. Coast Guard, on violations of the U.S.-Soviet Fisheries Agreement concerning Atlantic coast fisheries. No announcements were made.

POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 8516, appointment of postmasters. Testimony was heard from Post Office Department witnesses and employee organization witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a hearing on H.R. 15086, 1969 NASA authorization. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses.

HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing continued a general review of housing programs. Testimony was heard from Representative Ryan and public witnesses.

EXCISE TAX REDUCTION AND CORPORATE TAX COLLECTION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered postponement of the scheduled excise tax reduction on automobiles and telephone service, and the speedup of corporate tax collection; further consideration of these matters was continued until February 20, 1968, 10 a.m.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, with testimony on the naval reactor program from Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Director, Division of Naval Reactors, AEC. Also in attendance at today's hearings were Commissioners Dr. Gerald F. Tape and James T. Ramey, and other AEC officials.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Monday, February 12, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at 10 a.m. and, pursuant to order previously entered, immediately adjourned.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 15300–15316; nine private bills, H.R. 15317–15325; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1084 and 1085, were introduced.

Pages 2858–2859

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees (H. Rept. 1096);

H.R. 10135, to provide for the expeditious naturalization of the surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who dies while serving in an active duty status in the Armed Forces of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 1097); and

H.R. 14743, regarding removal of gold cover, amended, filed Friday, February 12 (H. Rept. 1095).

Page 2858

Arms Control: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the 7th annual report of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 256). Page 2855

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HIGHER EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Education: On Friday, February 9, 1968, the Special Subcommittee on Education continued hear-

ings on H.R. 15067, the Higher Education amendments for 1968, and the impact of the draft on undergraduate and graduate programs and graduate fellowship programs amended or proposed by the bill. Testimony was heard from Dr. Nathan M. Pusey, President, Harvard University; John Morse, Director, Commission on Federal Relations, American Council on Education; Dr. Merriam H. Trytten, Special Consultant to the President of the National Academy of Sciences; and Dr. William G. Shannon, Associate Executive Director, American Association of Junior Colleges.

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Wednesday, February 14, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 2945–2984

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2964–2969. Page 2955

President's Message—Arms Control: President submitted message with which he transmitted seventh annual report of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 2944–2945

Calendar Call: On call of calendar seven routine resolutions, as follows, were adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 213, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Planning-Programming-Budgeting";

Printing: S. Res. 217, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "U.S. Foreign Aid in Action";

Printing: S. Res. 231, to print additional copies of part 2 of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

Printing: S. Res. 246, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "The National Airport System";

Printing: S. Res. 249, to print as a Senate document a report on "The Cost of Clean Water"; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 256–257, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees. Pages 2946–2947

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

By unanimous consent, Talmadge amendments Nos. 507, 508, and 513, heretofore submitted, were deemed to have been read to comply with provisions of rule XXII. Pages 2984–2994

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Joseph M. Bowman, Jr., of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service; numerous Army (19 in the rank of general); 90 Air Force in the rank of general; and numerous Marine Corps (one in the rank of general). Pages 3000–3008

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FISCAL 1969 BUDGET

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler and Director of the Bureau of the Budget Charles J. Zwick testify and answer questions with regard to the President's budget for the fiscal year 1969.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following legislation:

S. 2623, to abolish the rank of detective in the Metropolitan Police force and to promote persons with such rank to detective sergeants, with testimony from Senator Brewster; Inspector (retired) John L. Sullivan and Carl Beatty, both of the Policemen's Association of the D.C.; and Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel of the D.C.;

S. 2659 and 2679, providing salary increases for teachers and school officers in the D.C., with testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner, Rev. Everett A. Hewlett, President, Board of Education, and Dr. William R. Manning, Superintendent of Schools, who were accompanied by other officials of the D.C. government; and numerous other witnesses representing various educational and civic associations; and

S. 2442 and H.R. 12019, exempting from taxation certain property of the B'nai B'rith Henry Monsky Foundation in the D.C., with testimony from Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundations, accompanied by David Brody, Washington Branch of Anti-Defamation League; and Robert C. Findlay, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 2912, authorizing funds for expansion of the saline water conversion program, having as its witnesses Max N. Edwards, Assistant Secretary for Water Pollution Control, and Dr. Jack A. Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MID-DECADE CENSUS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on S. 1997 and H.R. 7659, providing for a mid-decade census of population, unemployment, and housing in 1975, and every 10 years thereafter, receiving testimony from A. Ross Eckler, Director, Bureau of Census, Department of Commerce; George B. McGimsey, AIP Data Series Committee, American Institute of Planners; and John Aiken, Federal Statistics Users Conference.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witnesses William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, February 15, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3073–3119

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2970–2979. Pages 3074–3075

Printing: Senate reconsidered its action of Wednesday, February 14, in adopting without amendment S. Res. 249, to print as a Senate document a report on "The Cost of Clean Water," and the resolution was again adopted with a Byrd (West Virginia) technical corrective amendment. Page 3121

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

Pages 3119, 3121–3130, 3133–3135

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, having as its witness John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering. Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from officials of the Army.

Also, in executive session, committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Brig. Gen. Tom E. Marchbanks, Jr., for promotion to major general, and to be Chief of Air Force Reserve; and 5,655 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. Prior to his approval General Marchbanks was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nomination of Edward J. Schwartz, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of California, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES, AND BOY SCOUTS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment S.J. Res. 138, calling on the Boy Scouts of America to serve the youth of this Nation as required by their congressional charter.

Committee also considered, but took no action on, S. 1308, to further promote equal employment opportunities of American workers, and will meet again tomorrow to consider this and other pending legislation.

WORKING CONDITIONS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2864, to assure safe and healthful working conditions for U.S. workers, having as its witness Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Civil Service Subcommittee held hearings on S. 555, extend-pay provided by the general schedule. Witnesses heard

ing to employees of local selective service boards rates of were Senator Brewster; John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees, AFL–CIO; Nathan Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees; and John A. McCart, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 40 public bills, H.R. 15326–15365; 19 private bills, H.R. 15366–15384; and 19 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1086–1098, H. Con. Res. 644 and 645, and H. Res. 1064–1067, were introduced. Pages 3042–3043

Late Report: Granted permission to the Committee on Appropriations to file a report on the urgent supplemental appropriation bill by midnight Monday, February 19. Page 3022

Lobbyists: The compilation by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of all registrations and quarterly reports for the fourth quarter of 1967, filed by persons engaged in lobbying activities, appears in this issue of the Congressional Record.

Pages 3044–3073

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: The Subcommittees on Independent Offices and HUD, Interior, and Defense each met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

SMALL BUSINESS AND THE DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 economic report of the President, having as its witness Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler.

Hearings continue tomorrow when representatives of farmer organizations will testify.

Friday, February 16, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3200–3235

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2980–2984. Page 3201

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S.J. Res. 138, calling on the Boy Scouts of America to serve the youth of this Nation as required by their congressional charter, with amendment (no written report).

Page 3201

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President announced the following appointments:

Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Conference to be held in Washington, D.C., March 20–24: Senators Aiken (Chairman), Ellender, Stennis, Mansfield, Long of Louisiana, Tydings, Spong, Hickenlooper, Cooper, Jordan of Idaho, Fong, and Griffin;

Eighteen-Nation Disarmament Conference that began at Geneva on January 18: Senators Pastore, Gore, Ribicoff, Hickenlooper, Carlson, and Cooper; and

Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Conference to be held in Honolulu April 11–17: Senators Sparkman, Mansfield, Gore, Yarborough, Inouye, Montoya, Mondale, Smith, Fannin, Fong, Hansen, and Baker.

Page 3201

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. Majority leader filed a motion to invoke cloture (close debate) on the bill, signed by the required number of Senators. This motion will be voted on 1 hour after Senate convenes on Tuesday, February 20, a two-thirds affirmative vote of those present and voting being necessary for adoption thereof.

It was ordered that when Senate concludes its business on Monday, February 19, it adjourn. By unanimous consent, all amendments printed and at the desk were deemed to have been read to comply with rule XXII.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing. Pages 3235–3253

Fire Research and Safety: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1124, Fire Research and Safety Act of 1968. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 3256–3257

Confirmations: Numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps were confirmed.

Pages 3258–3259

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; one Navy in the rank of admiral; and 37 postmasters. Pages 3257–3258

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, having as its witnesses Secretary Stanley R. Resor, Lt. Gen. Harold K. Johnson, Chief of Staff, and other officials of the Department of the Army.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, February 20.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2061, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965.

EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2704, to permit employer contributions under the Labor-Management Relations Act to trust funds for purposes of providing scholarships. Witnesses heard were Jacob S. Potofsky, accompanied by Jacob Sheinkman, both of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America; Charles Donahue, Solicitor, Department of Labor; and Jack Beidler, Legislative Director, and Leonard Lesser, both of the Industrial Union Department, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty met in executive session to consider S. 1248 and H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witnesses Harry L. Graham, the National Grange; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Charles B. Shuman, American Farm Bureau Federation; and Gordon Schafer, National Farmers Organization.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 19.

Monday, February 19, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3308–3331

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2985–2991. Page 3309

Report Filed: Report of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare entitled "Migratory Farm Labor Problems in the U.S.," with individual views (S. Rept. 1006). Page 3309

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

On Tuesday, February 20, at 1 p.m., Senate will vote on motion to invoke cloture on this bill. Pages 3331–3332, 3345–3352, 3358–3361

Boy Scouts: Senate took from the calendar and passed with committee amendment S.J. Res. 138, calling on the Boy Scouts of America to serve the youth of this Nation as required by their congressional charter. Page 3308

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: C. R. Smith, of New York, to be Secretary of Commerce; John H. Crooker, Jr., of the D.C., to be member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; 15 nominations for membership of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; four in the Marine Corps in the rank of general; and numerous Air Force nominations. Pages 3362–3363

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Depart-

ment of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony on overall aspects of the budget from Secretary Stewart L. Udall, who was accompanied by other departmental officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Office of Territories.

REVOLUTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began a series of hearings on the nature of revolution and the significance of revolutions abroad for American foreign policy, having as its witness Prof. Crane Brinton of Harvard University, and the author of *The Anatomy of Revolution.*

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 21.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands began hearings on S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California; S. 2751, designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon; and S. 2630, to designate the Stratified Primitive Area as a part of the Washakie Wilderness, in Wyoming. Witnesses heard were Senator Hatfield; Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; C .R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Kenneth B. Pomeroy, American Forestry Association; A. T. Wright, National Capital Wilderness Study Committee; Lloyd Tupling, Sierra Club; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Stewart M. Brandborg and M. Rupert Cutler, both of the Wilderness Society; Robert T. Ives, Claremont, California; Robert R. Marshall, Pomona, Calif.; Dan Reece, Portland, Oreg.; Lawrence Williams, Federation of Western Outdoor Clubs, Milwaukie, Oreg.; Sanford Tepfer, Eugene, Oreg.; Prince Helfrich, Blue River, Oreg.; Mrs. Evelyn Lester, Wanderbird Hiking Club, Washington, D.C.; and Orrin H. Bonney, Sierra Club, Jackson Hole, Wyo.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LONGSHOREMEN

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2485, to increase benefits under the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act, with testimony from the following witnesses: Scott Elder, Lake Carriers Association, Cleveland; Ralph M. Hartman, Bethlehem Steel Corp.; Edwin M. Hood, Shipbuilders Council of America; H. J. Massman III, representing the Associated General Contractors, Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Jean Sisco, Board of Trade of Metropolitan Washington; and Bernard Hopkins, Steamship Trade Association of Baltimore.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System, with testimony from Senator Moss; Randolph Collier, State senator of California, accompanied by Al Henry, State senator of Washington, and chairman of the Washington State Interim Committee on Highways; William A. Bresnaham, American Trucking Association; and Charles A. Webb, National Association of Motor Bus Owners, accompanied by H. Vance Greenslit, Greyhound Lines, Inc., Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 15385–15399; 14 private bills, H.R. 15400–15413; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1099, H. Con. Res. 646, and H. Res. 1068 and 1069, were introduced. **Pages 3307–3308**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1068, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14743, regarding removal of gold cover (H. Rept. 1098);

H. Res. 1069, providing for the consideration of S. 989, the Federal Jury Selection Act (H. Rept. 1099); and

H.R. 15399, urgent supplemental appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1100). **Page 3307**

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the White House:

Kings River Water Association: S. 2402, to provide for credit to the Kings River Water Association and others for excess payments for the years 1954 and 1955; and

Migratory birds: S. 2447, the Migratory Bird Conservation Act.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Bryant Dam: H.J. Res. 297, to change the name of Twin Buttes Dam and Twin Buttes Reservoir on the San Angelo project, Texas, to Bryant Dam and Bryant Reservoir;

Lake Oahe: H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in the States of North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe; and

U.S. vessels: H.R. 14401, to grant the masters of certain U.S. vessels a lien on those vessels for their wages.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Culbertson Deal Reservoir: H.J. Res. 358, to change the name of San Angelo Reservoir project, Texas, to Culbertson Deal Reservoir project, Texas; and

Judicial districts—Virginia: H.R. 13315, regarding the two judicial districts of Virginia.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 1727. **Pages 3272–3274**

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Substitute employees—Post Office: H.R. 14934, to reduce from five to four the ratio of career substitute employees to regular employees in the postal field service (amended); and Pages 3274–3276

Master keys—motor vehicles: H.R. 14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches. Pages 3276–3282

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains held a hearing on related bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Morton, Roth, Neal Smith, Sullivan, and Poage, and Dr. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; a statement for the record was submitted by Representative Vigorito.

URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15399, the urgent supplemental appropriations bill of 1968.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session with Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, and considered the reauthorization bill for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

PUBLIC LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held hearings on several public land bills. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare began hearings on LSD and hallucinogenic drugs. Testimony was heard from Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice, Dr. George H. Silver, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health and Science, Department of HEW, and a public witness.

COAST GUARD VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Navigation began hearings on H.R. 15224, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Testimony was heard from Allan L. Dean, Jr., Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of Transportation, Adm. W. J. Smith, Commandant, Coast Guard, and a public witness.

FEDERAL JURY SELECTION

Committee on Rules: Met and considered S. 989, Federal Jury Selection Act, and granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate.

GOLD COVER

Committee on Rules: Met and considered H.R. 14743, removal of gold cover, and granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees met and each considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bill, H.R. 15086:

Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight heard in executive session testimony from NASA witnesses.

Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications heard testimony from NASA witnesses.

Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology heard testimony from NASA witnesses.

VA HOUSING PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on VA housing programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony has heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witnesses Fritz Machlup, Walker professor of economics and international finance, Princeton University; William F. Butler, vice president, Chase Manhattan Bank; and Jack N. Behrman, professor of international business, University of North Carolina; E. W. Cook, Cook & Co., Memphis; Lyman C. Hamilton, International Telephone & Telegraph Corp.; Robert M. Norris and Melville H. Walker, both of the National Foreign Trade Council; and William M. Roth, President's Special Representative for Trade Negotiations.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of Labor Wirtz will testify.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3426–3476

Bills Introduced: 20 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2992–3011; and S. Res. 258.

Pages 3427–3437

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2857, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes, with amendments and with minority and individual views (S. Rept. 1007). Page 3427

Bills Referred: Seven House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 3420–3421

Bills Rereferred: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of the following three bills: S. 470, granting consent of Congress to Illinois-Indiana Air Pollution Control Compact; S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to Mid-Atlantic States Air Pollution Control Compact; and S. 2350, granting consent of Congress to West Virginia Air Pollution Control Compact. These three bills were then referred to Committee on Public Works for 60 days, exclusive of any days Senate is not in session, following which they will be referred again to Committee on the Judiciary.

Page 3444

President's Message—Civil Service: Annual report of the Civil Service Commission for fiscal year 1967 was transmitted in a message from the President—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Page 3420

Senate Schedule: It was agreed that when Senate concludes its business today it will adjourn until noon Wednesday, February 21, and when it completes its business on that date it will adjourn until noon Thursday, February 22. Page 3444

Civil Rights: By 55 yeas to 37 nays, Senate rejected Mansfield cloture motion (to close debate) on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. A two-thirds affirmative vote of Senators present and voting was necessary for adoption of the motion.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that at conclusion of the morning business on Wednesday, February 21, majority leader will be recognized, at which time he expects to move to table the pending Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing. Following the vote on this tabling motion, another cloture petition will be filed, which will be voted on at 1 p.m. next Monday, February 26, rather than on Friday, February 23.

Senator Mondale modified his pending amendment No. 524 (open housing) and as modified was considered as having been read to comply with rule XXII.

Pages 3421–3427, 3441–3443, 3476–3477

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Leonard v.B. Sutton, of Colorado, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; 31 postmasters; and one Navy in the rank of admiral.

Pages 3477–3478

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony on funds for territorial activities from Ruth G. Van Cleve, Director, Office of Territories; Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam; Owen S. Aspinall, Governor of American Samoa; and William R. Norwood, High Commissioner of the Trust Territory, Saipan, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony on funds for the Office of Oil and Gas and the Bureau of Mines.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for procurement for the Naval Establishment from Secretary of the Navy Paul R. Ignatius; Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear officials of the Air Force.

TONKIN GULF INCIDENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara to discuss the Tonkin Gulf incidents. Secretary McNamara was accompanied by Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

WILDERNESS PRESERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California; S. 2751, designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon; and S. 2630, to designate the Stratified Primitive Area as a part of the Washakie Wilderness, in Wyoming. Witnesses heard were Senator Morse; Leslie E. Shoemaker, Wyoming

Outfitters Association; Tom Bell, Wyoming Wildlife Federation; Frank C. Daniel, National Rifle Association; Vern Vivion, Wyoming Public Land Users Coordinating Committee; Mrs. Lorraine G. Bonney, Sierra Club; Helen McGinnis, Hyattsville, Md.; Alice E. Shoemaker, Dubois, Wyo.; William Crump, district game supervisor, Lander, Wyo.; Joseph Loeb, Signal Oil Co.; James M. Quigley, U.S. Plywood-Champion Papers, Inc., Washington, D.C.; George F. Blackburn, Washington, D.C.; Francis J. Walcott, San Francisco; and James R. Miller, Dubois, Wyo.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

LONGSHOREMEN

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor concluded its hearings on S. 2485, to increase benefits under the Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act, after receiving testimony from James J. Flynn and Durel J. Talbot, both representing the New York Shipping Association, Inc.; and Fred R. Field, accompanied by Abraham Freedman, both of the International Longshoremen's Association.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings on S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System, receiving testimony from John O. Morton, president, American Association of State Highway Officials, accompanied by his associates; William W. Owen, City Transit Co., Dayton, Ohio, representing the American Transit Association; George F. Kachlein, Jr., American Automobile Association; and Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 44 public bills, H.R. 15414–15457; 25 private bills, H.R. 15458–15482; and 16 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1100–1109, H. Con. Res. 647–651, and H. Res. 1070, were introduced. Pages 3575–3576

Late Report: Granted permission to file a report on H.R. 15414, the Tax Adjustment Act of 1968, by midnight Friday, February 23. Page 3483

Presidential Message—Civil Service Commission: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the annual report of the Civil Service Commission—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 223). Page 3483

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the White House: S. 269.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 1879.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 10, 1093, and 1821 and H.R. 10851.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2281, 2282, 4058, 4386, 4936, 7210, 10327, 11381, 12119, S. 155, 233, 321, 503, 1040, 1580, and H. Res. 991.

Recommitted: H.R. 2288 and 8091. Pages 3484–3487

Supplemental Appropriation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 15399, the Urgent Supplemental Appropriation Act. Pages 3488–3493

Visitor Center: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12603, the National Visitor Center Act; and appointed as conferees Representatives Gray, Jones of Alabama, Kluczynski, Blatnik, Wright, Grover, Schwengel, and Cramer. Page 3495

Gold Cover: Completed general debate on H.R. 14743, to eliminate the reserve requirements of Federal Reserve notes and for U.S. notes and Treasury notes of 1890 (removal of gold cover). After reading the first section of the bill the committee arose.

H. Res. 1068, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 3493–3516

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 3574

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on related bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DISASTER LOANS

Committee on Agriculture: The Subcommittee on Cotton met in executive session and approved for full committee consideration a committee resolution on disaster loans in the cotton belt.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held hearings on disaster loans in the cotton belt. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Dorn, Everett, Nichols, Gettys, and Blanton, and departmental and public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act. Testimony was heard from Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General, U.S. Public Health Service.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Donald F. Simpson, Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of HEW, Ralph K. Huitt, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of HEW, Peter P. Muirhead, Associate U.S. Commissioner of Education for Higher Education, A. Henry Aronson, Director, Office of State Merit Systems, Department of HEW, Dr. O. B. Conoway, dean of the Graduate School of Public Affairs, State University of New York, Albany, and chairman of the Council on Graduate Education and Public Administration, and Dr. Brewster Denny, director, Graduate School of Public Affairs, University of Washington, Seattle, and chairman-elect of the Council on Graduate Education for Public Administration.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, to amend the Vocational Education Act of 1963. Testimony was heard from Harold Howe II, Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 14940, the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency reauthorization bill. Testimony was heard from the Honorable John J. McCloy and Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from Charles Bohlen, Deputy Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, Anthony M. Solomon, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, and Robert W. Wright, Director, Office of East-West Trade.

GUAM, ELECTION OF GOVERNOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 7329, and related bills, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam. Testimony was heard from Governor of Guam, Manuel F. L. Guerrero, and Harry R. Anderson, Assistant Secretary of the Interior. Representative Matsunaga submitted a statement for the record.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE JURISDICTION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Held a hearing on S. 2711, regarding interstate passenger train service jurisdiction. Testimony was heard from Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, ICC, and public witnesses.

COAST GUARD VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation considered H.R. 15224, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard. Questions were answered by Admiral Smith, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Admiral Trimble, Assistant Commandant, Admiral Whalen, Chief of Staff, U.S. Coast Guard, and a Coast Guard witness.

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office ond Civil Service: Continued hearings on H.J. Res. 1052, to assist veterans in obtaining suitable employment. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission, and William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, Veterans' Administration.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on further authorizations for the Federal aid highway, A–B–C program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Governor Volpe and read.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees each met and considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bill, H.R. 15086:

Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight heard testimony from NASA witnesses.

Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications heard testimony from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology heard testimony from Representative Fascell and NASA witnesses.

VA HOUSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on VA housing programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXCISE TAX REDUCTION, AND CORPORATE TAX COLLECTION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15414, Tax Adjustment Act of 1968.

RADIO FREQUENCIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 met with a panel of communications experts and discussed the use of radio frequencies and their allocation by the FCC.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Dr. Gerald Tape, member, and Brig. Gen. Edward B. Giller, Director, Division of Military Application, AEC; Dr. Norris Bradbury, Director, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, New Mexico; and Michael May, Director, Livermore Radiation Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, having as its witness Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 3737–3805

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3012–3020; S.J. Res. 146; and S. Res. 259–260. Pages 3737–3738, 3745

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committee. Page 3737

Export-Import Bank: Conference report was adopted on S. 1155, extending period within which the Export-Import Bank is authorized to exercise its functions. Prior to this action, Senate had disagreed with House amendment to S. 1155, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Muskie, Williams of New Jersey, Hickenlooper, and Tower. Pages 3751, 3834–3836

National Visitor Center: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Randolph, Jordan of North Carolina, Tydings, Fong, and Boggs. Pages 3760–3761

Civil Rights: Senate further considered H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, rejecting by 34 yeas to 58 nays Mansfield-Dirksen motion to table modified Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

Majority leader filed a second motion to invoke cloture (close debate) on the bill, signed by the required number of Senators. In accordance with unanimous consent agreement of Tuesday, February 20, the motion will be voted on 1 hour following convening of Senate on Monday, February 26. Pages 3805–3808

Committee Expenditures: Senate adopted an original resolution, S. Res. 260, authorizing and directing payment of compensation of employees of certain Senate committees which would have been payable on February 20 if the Senate resolutions authorizing funds for committees and subcommittees presently on the Senate calendar had been agreed to by that date. Page 3828

Senate Schedule: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate concludes its business on Thursday, February 22, which shall be confined to the reading of George Washington's Farewell Address, it will adjourn until noon Monday, February 26. During this adjournment Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from President. Page 3830

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 6437, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, so as to permit advance payments to wheat producers, but took no final action thereon.

Also, committee announced that it had agreed to hold subcommittee hearings, on a date as yet to be determined, on S. 1423, private bill.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from the following departmental witnesses: J. Cordell Moore, Assistant Secretary for Mineral Resources; Rear Adm. Onnie P. Lattu, Director, Office of Oil and Gas; Elmer L. Hoehn, Administrator, Oil Import Administration; Glen D. Johnson, Chairman, Oil Import Appeals Board; and Walter R. Hibbard, Jr., Director, Bureau of Mines.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, with testimony in behalf of funds for Air Force procurement from Secretary Harold

Brown and Chief of Staff Gen. John P. McConnell, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue on Friday, February 23, with further testimony from these witnesses.

REVOLUTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its series of hearings on the nature of revolution and the significance of revolutions abroad for American foreign policy, having as its witnesses Prof. Richard Solomon, Center for Chinese Studies, University of Michigan; and Prof. James Thomson, Institute of Politics of Harvard University.

Hearings continue on Monday, February 26.

TONKIN GULF INCIDENTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session and agreed to send to the Department of Defense a transcript of the executive hearings of Tuesday, February 20, where Secretary of Defense McNamara discussed with the committee the Tonkin Gulf incidents, for the purpose of DOD editing such transcript so that it may ultimately be released to the public.

FISHING INDUSTRIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures held hearings to receive testimony on the subject of fishing industries abroad in competition with the domestic fishing industry, having as its witnesses Rutherford M. Poats, Deputy Administrator, Agency for International Development, and Donald L. McKernan, Special Assistant for Fisheries and Wildlife, both of the Department of State. Today's testimony concerned fishing in waters of the northern Pacific.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the land and water conservation fund, and on S. 1826, to extend State conservation laws to lands on the Continental Shelf, and to dedicate any revenues derived therefrom to the State, having as its witnesses Senators Ellender and Long of Louisiana; John J. McKeithen, Governor of Louisiana; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Larry Chambers, of West Virginia; and George Arceneaux, special counsel to the State of Louisiana.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings on S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System, receiving testimony from Senators Magnuson, Kuchel, and Hansen.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 15483–15512; 17 private bills, H.R. 15513–15529; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1110–1116, H. Con. Res. 652, and H. Res. 1071 and 1072, were introduced: Pages 3735–3736

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15131, to amend the D.C. Police and Firemen's Salary Act to increase salaries, amended (H. Rept. 1101);

H.R. 11618, regarding endangered species of fish, amended (H. Rept. 1102); and

Conference report on S. 1155, to amend the Export-Import Bank Act (H. Rept. 1103). Page 3735

Gold Cover: By a record vote of 199 yeas to 190 nays the House passed H.R. 14743, to eliminate the reserve requirements of Federal Reserve notes and for U.S. notes and Treasury notes of 1890 (removal of gold cover).

Rejected the motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency by a record vote of 188 yeas to 206 nays.

Adopted a committee amendment and rejected two amendments designed to retain a percentage of the gold cover.

Two points of order against amendments were sustained. Pages 3670–3697

Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair appointed as a member of the U.S. Delegation of the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group Representative Slack.

Received a letter stating resignation from the Group from Representative Pike. Page 3697

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on H.R. 14594, and similar bills, to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved various real estate projects.

PUBLIC SAFETY DIRECTOR

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met with Public Safety Director Patrick Murphy and discussed departmental problems.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL MANPOWER

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 8233, Intergovernmental Manpower Act of 1967. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act of 1963. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a special hearing on H.R. 4769, to amend the National Labor Relations Act to make its provisions applicable to agriculture. Testimony was heard from Representative Poage, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West Trade. Testimony was heard from Fred B. Smith, General Counsel of Treasury.

EAST ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing on East Asia and Pacific Affairs from William Bundy, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

AID'S EXCESS PROPERTY PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Donable Property held a hearing on AID's excess property program. Testimony was heard from William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Special Subcommittee on Electrical and Mechanical Office Equipment met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

WATER CONTRACTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S.J. Res. 123, amended, to approve long-term contracts for the delivery of water from Navajo reservoir in the State of New Mexico.

GUAM, ELECTION OF GOVERNOR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 7329, and related bills, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam. Testimony was heard from Joaquin C. Arriola, Speaker, Guam Legislature, and A. B. Won Pat, Washington Representative of Guam.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 3395, and related bills, to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Governor McKeithen of La., and Representatives Boggs, Edwin Edwards, Hébert, Waggonner, and Willis.

TELEPHONE CALLS, AND RADIO INTERFERENCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 375, amended, obscene or harassing telephone calls, and H.R. 14910, control of devices which cause harmful interference to radio reception.

PRIVATE BILLS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held hearings on H.R. 14806, 14807, and 14808, relief of certain distressed aliens. Testimony was heard from Representative Celler, Barbara Watson, Acting Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State; Domenic V. Florio, Assistant to Publisher, Il Progresso; Michael Rivisto, Deputy Supreme Venerable, Order Sons of Italy in America; Rev. Joseph A. Cogo, C.S., executive secretary, American Committee on Italian Migration; and departmental witnesses.

ARTS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held hearings on H.R. 5924, 13951, and related bills, for the promotion of the progress of the useful arts by the general revision of the patent laws. Testimony was heard from Edward F. McKie, Jr., Chairman, Section of Patent, Trademark, and Copyright Law, ABA, and Eben H. Graves, President, American Patent Law Association.

PRIVATE BILLS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1664, a private bill, amended, and acted on several private claims bills.

COAST GUARD VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15224 (amended), to

authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard.

LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held hearings on two legislative proposals recommended by the Postmaster General. Testimony was heard from departmental and Postal Association witnesses.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on further authorizations for the Federal-aid highway, A–B–C program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees each met and considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bill, H.R. 15086:

Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight heard testimony from Dr. Curt H. Debus, Director, John F. Kennedy Space Center; Dr. Robert R. Gilruth, Director, Manned Space Center, Houston; and Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director, George C. Marshall Space Center.

Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology heard testimony from NASA witnesses.

Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications heard testimony from Dr. John Naugle, Associate Administrator, NASA, and Oran W. Nicks, Deputy Associate Administrator, NASA.

STANDARDS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and continued consideration of a proposed code of conduct for House Members and employees. No announcements were made.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RADIO FREQUENCIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 continued its meeting with a panel of communications experts and discussed the use of radio frequencies and their allocation by the FCC.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for activities of the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Dr. Paul W. McDaniel, Director, Division of Research, and Rafford L. Faulkner, Director, Division of Raw Materials; John A. Erlewine, Assistant General Manager for Operations, all of the Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. Robert R. Wilson, Director, National Accelerator Laboratory, Weston, Ill.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its current series of hearings on the 1968 Economic Report of the President, after receiving testimony from Albert G. Hart, professor of economics, Columbia University; James J. O'Leary, chairman of the board, Lionel D. Edie & Co., Inc.; Leif Olsen, First National City Bank, New York; Charles L. Schultze, The Brookings Institution; Raymond J. Saulnier, professor of economics, Barnard College; J. Fred Weston, professor of economics, UCLA; and Norman B. True, National Bureau of Economic Research, Washington, D.C.

Thursday, February 22, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Washington's Farewell Address: Senator Brewster read to the Senate George Washington's Farewell Address. Pages 3904–3908

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Eight public bills, H.R. 15530–15537; four private bills, H.R. 15538–15541; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1117 and 1118, and H. Con. Res. 653 and 654, were introduced. Page 3913

Washington's Farewell Address: Pursuant to a special order agreed to on February 5, 1968, the House heard the reading of George Washington's Farewell Address by Representative Sikes. Pages 3908–3912

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, February 28. Page 3912

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISASTER LOANS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved a committee resolution on disaster loans in the Cotton Belt.

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains continued hearings on H.R. 14594, to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcomittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action H.R. 14922, to amend Public Law 90–60 with respect to judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe, and H.R. 9582, relating to Federal support of education of Indian students in sectarian institutions of higher education; the subcommittee referred S. 876 and H.R. 9397 to the full committee for appropriate action.

The subcommittee held hearings prior to taking action on the bills and heard testimony from Representatives Aspinall and Edmondson, and Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Pollock.

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on H.R. 15086, the NASA authorization. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Monday, February 26, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4065–4143

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3021–3031; S. Con. Res. 59; and S. Res. 261. Pages 4067–4086

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California (S. Rept. 1008). Page 4066

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 14743, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes, was ordered to be placed on the calendar. Page 4048

President's Message—Reorganization Plan No. 2—Mass Transportation: President transmitted his Reorganization Plan No. 2 of 1968 requesting transfer of urban mass transportation programs to Secretary of Transportation, and establishment of an Urban Mass Transportation Administration within the Department of Transportation—referred to Committee on Government Operations. Pages 4047–4048

President's Message—Urban Problems: During adjournment of Senate on February 22 and pursuant to authorization previously granted, Secretary of Senate received President's message on urban problems—referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Pages 4041–4047

Appointments to Boards: Vice President made the following appointments to various Boards of Visitors:

Board of Visitors to U.S. Naval Academy—Senators Pastore, Yarborough, Brewster, and Baker;

Board of Visitors to U.S. Military Academy—Senators Stennis, Byrd of Virginia, Hollings, and Javits; and

Board of Visitors to Air Force Academy—Senators Bible, Spong, Dominick, and Allott. Page 4065

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated August 28, 1967, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, together with accompanying papers and illustrations, on an interim survey of Beaver Brook Dam and Reservoir, Keene, N.H., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed, with illustrations, as S. Doc. 68. Pages 4066–4067

Civil Rights: By 56 yeas to 36 nays, Senate rejected Mansfield cloture motion (to close debate) on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. A two-thirds affirmative vote of Senators present and voting was necessary for adoption of the motion.

Pending at adjournment was modified Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing. Pages 4048–4065, 4143

Nominations: Four judicial nominations were received. Page 4144

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COTTON

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices, in executive session, ordered reported to the full committee without recommendation S. 1975 and H.R. 10915, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed

diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, having as its witness Edward C. Crafts, Director, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Department of the Interior, who testified in behalf of funds for his Bureau, and on funds for the Lewis and Clark Trail Commission and the Land and Water Conservation Fund.

On Friday, February 23, subcommittee received testimony on behalf of funds for the Bureau of Indian Affairs from its Commissioner, Robert L. Bennett, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the National Park Service.

FPC LICENSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority, with testimony from Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission; Jack Horton, Southern California Edison Co., Los Angeles; Alan P. O'Kelly, an attorney of Spokane; Walter Bouldin, Alabama Power Co., Birmingham; William H. Dunham, Central Maine Power Co., Augusta; and Fred T. Searls, Pacific Gas & Electric Co., San Francisco.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

REVOLUTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on the nature of revolution and the significance of revolutions abroad for American foreign policy, having as its witness Louis Hartz, professor of political theory, Harvard University, and author of "The Liberal Tradition in America."

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 7.

FOREIGN TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: On Friday, February 23, committee held hearings on S. 2766, authorizing Secretary of State to restrict foreign travel of U.S. citizens where unrestricted travel would impair the conduct of foreign affairs, having as its witnesses Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Under Secretary of State, and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION, AND PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2912, authorizing funds for saline water conversion for fiscal year 1969; and without amendment H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe, and S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California.

Committee also considered S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the land and water conservation fund, and related bills, but took no action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, March 5, for their further consideration.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 39 public bills, H.R. 15542–15580; 18 private bills, H.R. 15581–15598; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1119–1130, H. Con. Res. 655–658, and H. Res. 1073, were introduced. **Pages 4039–4041**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15414, Tax Adjustment Act of 1968, filed on Friday, February 23 (H. Rept. 1104); and

S. 805, to amend the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (H. Rept. 1105). **Page 4039**

Presidential Message—Cities: Received and read a Presidential message regarding the crisis of the cities—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 261). **Pages 3956–3961**

Presidential Message—Transportation: The President transmitted to the House Reorganization Plan No. 2 (Urban Mass Transportation)—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 262).

Pages 3969–3970

D.C. Police-Firemen: By a record vote of 353 yeas to 2 nays the House passed H.R. 15131, to amend the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act to increase salaries.

Rejected a motion to recommit with instructions designed to add education and recruitment incentives for District of Columbia police and firemen (by a record vote of 125 yeas to 234 nays).

Adopted the committee amendments. Rejected an amendment identical to the recommittal motion. (District Day legislation.) **Pages 3970–3988**

Board of Gallaudet College: Received a letter of resignation from the Board of Gallaudet College from Representative Nelsen. The Speaker appointed Representative Zwach to fill the vacancy. **Page 3988**

Federal Juries: By a record vote of 307 yeas to 45 nays the House passed S. 989, to provide improved judicial machinery for the selection of Federal juries.

Adopted the committee amendments and a perfecting amendment.

Rejected an amendment regarding race of prospective jurors.

H. Res. 1069, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 3988–4008

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SENTINEL SYSTEM

Committee on Armed Services: Held hearings on Army Acquisition Project No. 124—U.S. Army Sentinel System Evaluation Agency. Testimony was heard from Representatives Morris, Walker, and White, and Senator Tower, Judson F. Williams, mayor, El Paso, Tex., Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, Sentinel System Manager, Department of the Army, and public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 3300, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Colorado River Basin project. No announcements were made.

SALE OF LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands approved for full committee action H.R. 13176, to authorize the State of Ohio to use the proceeds from the sale of certain lands for educational purposes.

Prior to the action on H.R. 13176 the subcommittee held a public hearing on the bill. Testimony was heard from Representative McCulloch and Roger Cloud, auditor, State of Ohio.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15355, LSD and hallucinogenic drugs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Boggs, Brotzman, and Dole and Dr. James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The Subcommittees on Space Science and Applications and Advanced Research and Technology each continued hearings on various aspects of H.R. 15086, the NASA authorization bill. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Tuesday, February 27, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4238–4287

Bills Introduced: 17 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3032–3048; S.J. Res. 147; and S. Con. Res. 60. Pages 4242–4247

Bill Referred: H.R. 15131, to amend the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act—referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 4238

President's Message—Agriculture: Message from President transmitting his legislative recommendations respecting farm products and rural America was received—referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Pages 4233–4237

President's Message—D.C. Budget: President transmitted his message with proposed budget for operation of the Government of the District of Columbia for fiscal year 1969—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 4237

Civil Rights: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was modified Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

Pages 4287–4290, 4295–4298

Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. Page 4298

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee began hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, and Dr. Harold Finger, Associate Administrator, who were accompanied by other NASA officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DIA BRIEFING

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on defense intelligence matters.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Office of Coal Research and Office of Water Resources Research.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, receiving testimony from the following Army witnesses: Russell D. O'Neal, Assistant Secretary for Research and Development; Lt. Gen. Austin B. Betts, Chief of Research and Development; Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, Sentinel System Manager; Maj. Gen. Henry A. Miley, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics; and Col. Edwin L. Powell, Jr., Director of Aviation.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Navy and Air Force witnesses.

FPC LICENSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded hearings on S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority, after receiving testimony from Alex Radin, general manager, American Public Power Association; Northcutt Ely, of the firm of Ely & Duncan, Washington, D.C.; and Lynn Stalbaum, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

NOMINATION, AND VETERANS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Joseph M. Bowman, Jr., of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Committee also approved (without amendment) H.R. 12555, liberalizing laws relative to payment of veterans' pensions.

Committee announced that it will begin hearings on Tuesday, March 5, on H.R. 15414, proposed Tax Adjustment Act of 1968. Secretary of the Treasury Fowler will be the first witness.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs began a series of hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, having as its witnesses William C. Thiesenhusen and Marion R. Brown, both of the University of Wisconsin, who testified and answered questions with regard to a study which they prepared for the subcommittee dealing with various problems of agriculture in Latin American countries. Testimony was also received from T. Lynn Smith, University of Florida; and Peter Dorner, director, Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin.

Hearings continue tomorrow on the Latin American military.

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 2479, to authorize $200 million for U.S. contribution to multilateral special funds of the Asian Development Bank, having as its witness Eugene R. Black, special adviser to the President.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses John Biddle, president, National Newspaper Association, and publisher, Huntingdon Daily News, Pennsylvania, accompanied by Henry Hogan, publisher, Birmingham Eccentric, Michigan, and Paul Conrad, National Newspaper Association; Jack Impert, Washington, D.C., Examiner; and Simon Whitney, professor of economics, New York University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S. 2350, granting consent of Congress to the West Virginia-Ohio Air Pollution Control Compact, with testimony from Carl G. Beard II, West Virginia Air Pollution Control Commission, who testified for Gov. Hulett Smith; Fred E. Tucker, National Steel Corp., Weirton, W. Va., and K. G. Jackson, both of whom represented the Ohio-West Virginia Industry Committee on Air Pollution Abatement; and the following three mayors of West Virginia cities: Mayor Curtis Uhl, Vienna; Mayor Dean T. Jackson, Parkersburg; and Mayor Frank A. Rybka, Weirton.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. William C. Hewson, of Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 15599–15631; 16 private bills, H.R. 15632–15647; and 13 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 1131–1136, H. Con. Res. 659–663, and H. Res. 1074 and 1075, were introduced. Pages 4369–4370

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S.J. Res. 123, regarding delivery of water from Navajo Reservoir in the State of New Mexico, amended (H. Rept. 1106);

H.R. 13058, regarding containers for fruits and vegetables (H. Rept. 1107);

H.R. 14910, regarding devices which cause harmful interference to radio reception (H. Rept. 1108);

S. 375, regarding obscene or harassing telephone calls in interstate or foreign commerce, amended (H. Rept. 1109);

S. 126 and 2318, private bills (H. Repts. 1110 and 1111);

H. Res. 1070, providing for travel by members of the Committee on Agriculture, amended (H. Rept. 1112);

H. Res. 1074, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15414, to continue the existing excise tax rates on communication services and on automobiles, and to apply more generally the provisions relating to payments of estimated tax by corporations (H. Rept. 1113); and

H.R. 15398, to amend the National School Lunch Act, amended (H. Rept. 1114). Page 4369

Presidential Message—Farms: Received and read the President's farm message—referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 267). Pages 4301–4305

Presidential Message—D.C. Budget: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the District of Columbia budget for fiscal year 1969—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 225).

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Export-Import Bank: Adopted the conference report on S. 1155, the Export-Import Bank Act Extension, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action.

Pages 4306–4308

Arts—Humanities: By a record vote of 272 yeas to 123 nays the House passed H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act.

Prior to adoption of the committee amendment the following amendments were adopted:

To provide a 1-year authorization of $11.2 million (by a record vote of 261 yeas to 130 nays); and to strike out individual grants.

A point of order against an amendment was sustained.

H. Res. 1059, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 4308–4350

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and discussed committee business. No announcements were made.

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held a hearing on H.R. 13217, Asian Development Bank. Testimony was heard from Hon. Eugene R. Black, special adviser to the President on Asian economic and social development, Hon. Joseph W. Barr, Under Secretary of the Treasury, and Bernard J. Zagorin, U.S. Executive Director for the Asian Development Bank.

D.C. PARKING FACILITIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 2316, and related bills, establishment of parking facilities in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Representative Scott, Senator Tydings, and a public witness.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15398 (amended), National School Lunch Act amendments.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14940, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency authorization bill.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from Export-Import Bank witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

WATER PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs concluded hearings

on H.R. 15151 and S. 1763, to promote the economic development of Guam. Testimony was heard from Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam, Joaquin C. Arriola, Speaker, Guam Legislature, A. B. Pat, Guam Representative in D.C., and Harry Anderson, Assistant Secretary of Interior.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15355, LSD and hallucinogenic drugs. Testimony was heard from Representatives Clarence Brown and Kelly, and Henry Giordano, Commissioner, Bureau of Narcotics, Treasury Department, and a public witness.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2029 (amended), to amend the National Traffic Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1936 relating to the application of certain standards to vehicles produced by small manufacturers.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 6551, to amend the Natural Gas Act to authorize the Federal Power Commission to prescribe safety requirements for natural gas companies, and S. 1166, and related bills, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives John Murphy and Robert Price and public witnesses.

NONNAVIGABLE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held hearings on H.R. 14681, to declare a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable. Testimony was heard from a Corps of Engineers witness.

JUDICIAL PRETRIAL PROCEEDINGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 159, to provide for the temporary transfer to a single district for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings of civil actions pending in different districts which involve one or more common questions of fact.

SETTLEMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House, amended, the following two bills:

H.R. 202, to amend section 2735 of title 10 of the U.S. Code to provide for finality of settlement effected under section 2732, 2733, 2734, 2734a, 2734b, or 2736 (76 Stat. 767);

H.R. 203, to provide for settlement, under international agreements, of certain claims incident to the noncombat activities of Armed Forces.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15147, to provide for the naturalization of persons who have served in combat areas in active-duty service in the Armed Forces of the United States; and acted on several private immigration and claims bills.

RELIEF BILL

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1664 (amended), for the relief of the city of El Dorado, Kans.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from James Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce, and Carl C. Davis, General Counsel, Maritime Administration.

FEDERAL WAGE SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on the Civil Service Commission's new coordinated Federal wage system. A statement for the record was submitted by Alfred B. Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower.

POSTAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14933, relating to irregular, unscheduled, overtime differential for postal field service employees.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 14933 and H.R. 15395, providing for a 2-step salary increase for employees moving between pay systems. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

TAX ADJUSTMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted a closed rule, 4 hours of debate, waiving points of order, on H.R. 15414, Tax Adjustment Act of 1968.

SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATIVE RESOLUTION

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported H. Res. 1070 (amended), supplemental investigative resolution, Agricultural Committee.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees met and considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bill, H.R. 15086:

Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held open hearings. Testimony was heard from Frank W. Lehan, Assistant Secretary for Research and Technology, Department of Transportation, Joseph Blatt, Associate Administrator for Development, FAA, and Maj. Gen. J. C. Maxwell, Director of Supersonic Transport Development, FAA.

Subcommittee on Space Science and Application held an open hearing. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses.

Subcommittee on Manned Space met in executive session. No announcements were made.

VA HOUSING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on VA housing programs. Testimony was heard from John Dervan, Director, Loan Guarantee Section, Veterans' Administration.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on the small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NATIONAL VISITOR CENTER

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a National Visitor Center.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4484–4544

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3049–3055; S.J. Res. 148; and S. Con. Res. 61–63. Pages 4486–4488

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 12555, liberalizing laws relative to payment of veterans' pensions (S. Rept. 1009); and

S. 2912, authorizing funds for saline water conversion for fiscal year 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 1010); and

H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe (S. Rept. 1011). Page 4485

Bill Referred: H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 4484

President's Message—Disaster Relief: Message was received from President transmitting report of activities during 1967 under the Federal Disaster Relief Act—referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 4484

National Visitor Center: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 12603, to authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purpose of establishing a national visitor center. Page 4543

D.C.: Senate concurred (with an amendment) with House amendment to S. 1227, to provide that judgment of the U.S. District Court for the D.C. shall not constitute a lien until recorded in the office of Recorder of Deeds of the D.C. Page 4546

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, Senator Dirksen filing motion, signed by the required number of Senators to invoke cloture (close debate) on his pending amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and title II on fair housing.

Prior to filing of cloture motion, Senate adopted by 83 yeas to 5 nays Mondale motion (on behalf of Senator Brooke and himself) to table modified Mondale amendment No. 524 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill) to add a new title to provide for implementing a policy of open housing.

By unanimous consent, all amendments to H.R. 2516 presently at the desk were considered as having been read for the purpose of complying with rule XXII, and points of order against any page and line numbers were waived.

Senate agreed to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, March 1. Pages 4544, 4568–4578

Treaty Received: Senate received six amendments to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1960, adopted by Assembly of the Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization at its fifth regular session in London October 17–26, 1967 (Ex. C, 90th Cong., 2d sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 4485

Nomination: Nomination of Alfred P. Love, for reappointment as a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency, was received on February 27 from the government of the District of Columbia. Page 4298

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witness Dr. George E. Mueller, Associate Administrator for Manned Space Flight, NASA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 15399, Urgent Supplemental Appropriations for fiscal 1968, receiving testimony from Senators Hansen and Gruening, on funds for programs in impacted areas; Senators Harris, Brooke, and Javits, and Mayor John Lindsay, of New York, on funds for summer economic opportunity programs; Robert C. Goodwin, Manpower Administrator, Department of Labor; and Alden B. Lillywhite, Office of Education, and Joseph H. Meyers, Welfare Administration, both of the Department of HEW.

It was announced that committee expects to consider this bill in executive session on Monday, March 4.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from the following departmental officials: Secretary Orville L. Freeman; John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary; Joseph M. Robertson, Assistant Secretary for Administration; Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer; D. R. Matthews, Acting Administrator, Rural Community Development Service; Lester P. Condon, Inspector General; and Harold R. Lewis, Director of Information.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective offices from George Fumich, Jr., Director, Office of Coal Research, and Roland R. Renne, Director, Office of Water Resources Research.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, receiving testimony from the following witnesses of the Naval Establishment: Vice Adm. T. F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air; Maj. Gen. K. B. McCutcheon, Deputy Chief of Staff for Air, Marine Corps; Vice Adm. J. B. Colwell, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operations and Readiness); Rear Adm. Jamie Adair, Deputy Commander for Ships Acquisition; and Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Air Force witnesses.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs continued hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, having as its witness Edwin C. Lieuwen, University of New Mexico, author of a study conducted for the subcommittee entitled "The Latin American Military." Testimony was also received from John Johnson, Stanford University.

Hearings continue tomorrow on inflation in Latin America.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee began hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, receiving testimony from John W. Mahan, Chairman, and Frank R. Hunter, Jr., General Counsel, both of the Subversive Activities Control Board.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses Stuart Paddock, Paddock Publications, Arlington Heights, Ill.; and Louis A. Lerner, Lerner Home Newspapers, Chicago.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 1.

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on S.J. Res. 134 and S.J. Res. 137, to assist veterans of the Vietnamese war in obtaining suitable employment, receiving testimony from William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; John W. Macy, Chairman, Civil Service Commission; Stanley H. Ruttenberg, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower; and Frank W. Stover, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 2350, granting consent of Congress to the West Virginia-Ohio Air Pollution Control Compact, receiving testimony from Senator Lausche; Dr. Emmett W. Arnold, director, Ohio State Department of Health, who testified on behalf of Gov. James A. Rhodes; Mayor Andrew W. Miller, Steubenville, Ohio; and Mayor John Burnworth, Marietta, Ohio.

Subcommittee will hold hearings tomorrow on proposed Mid-Atlantic States Air Pollution Control Compact.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Albe Watkins, LaCanada, Calif.: Dr. George Franklin Farman, Lakewood, Calif.; and Edgar F. Elfstrom, Fullerton, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Food and Drug Commissioner Goddard.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 15648–15659; nine private bills, H.R. 15660–15668; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1137–1140, H. Con. Res. 664 and 665, and H. Res. 1076, were introduced. Pages 4483–4484

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 959, to provide additional funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 356, amended (H. Rept. 1115);

H. Res. 975, to provide additional funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 356, amended (H. Rept. 1116);

H. Res. 1016, to provide further funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 34 (H. Rept. 1117);

H. Res. 1018, to provide funds for the Committee on the Judiciary, amended (H. Rept. 1118);

H. Res. 1024, providing funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1119);

H. Res. 1026, providing for the expenses incurred pursuant to H. Res. 218, amended (H. Rept. 1120);

H. Res. 1030, providing for expenses incurred pursuant to investigations authorized by H. Res. 101 (H. Rept. 1121);

H. Res. 1044, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 19 (H. Rept. 1122);

H. Res. 1050, providing for further expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 53 (H. Rept. 1123);

H. Res. 1053, authorizing expenses for conducting studies and investigations pursuant to H. Res. 209, amended (H. Rept. 1124);

H. Res. 1056, to provide additional funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 168, amended (H. Rept. 1125);

H. Res. 1071, to provide funds for the further expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 203, amended (H. Rept. 1126);

H. Res. 1064, authorizing payment from the contingent fund for purchase of uniforms, equipment, and general expenses of the Capitol Police (H. Rept. 1127);

H.R. 15114, relating to redemption of savings bonds (H. Rept. 1128);

H.R. 15147, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act (H. Rept. 1129);

S. 159, to provide for the temporary transfer to a single district for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings of civil actions pending in different districts which involve one or more common questions of fact (H. Rept. 1130); and

Conference report on H.R. 12603, to supplement the purposes of the Public Building Act (H. Rept. 1131).

Pages 4482–4483

Member Sworn: Hon. Bertram L. Podell appeared in the well of the House and took the oath of office.

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Presidential Message—Disaster Relief: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the report of activities in 1967 under the Federal Disaster Relief Act—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 269). Page 4443

Travel Resolution: By a record vote of 300 yeas to 92 nays the House passed H. Res. 1070, providing for travel by members of the Committee on Agriculture.

Pages 4443–4445

Committee Expenses: The following resolutions providing annual funds for expenses of House committees were considered and adopted by voice votes: H. Res. 959, amended, H. Res. 975, amended, H. Res. 1016, H. Res. 1018, amended, H. Res. 1024, H. Res. 1026, amended, H. Res. 1030, H. Res. 1044, H. Res. 1050, H. Res. 1053, amended, H. Res. 1056, amended, H. Res. 1071, amended, and H. Res. 1064. (For titles see "Bills Reported" in this DIGEST.) Pages 4445–4449

Cargo Container Vessels: By a voice vote the House passed S. 2419, to amend the Merchant Marine Act with respect to the development of cargo container vessels.

Rejected two amendments regarding cargo containers.

H. Res. 1040, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 4450–4461

Excise Tax: By a voice vote adopted H. Res. 1074, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15414, the Tax Adjustment Act of 1968. Pages 4461–4465

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued a hearing on P.L. 480, food for peace. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance referred to the full committee H.R. 15364, Inter-American Bank. Prior to the subcommittee action a hearing was held on H.R. 15364. Testimony was heard from Joseph Barr, Under Secretary of the Treasury, Robert Sayre, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, Department of State, Reuben Sternfeld, alternate, Board of Executive Directors, Inter-American Bank, and a departmental witness.

HIGHER EDUCATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHILD DAY CARE

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on H.R. 10572, child day care. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid authorization. Testimony was heard from William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing from William P. Bundy, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

TRAVEL ALLOWANCE AND REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13738, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business.

The committee also approved the following reports:

Submission of Agency Accounting System for GAO approval;

Recreational boating safety;

Air Force Project LITE (legal information through electronics);

Defense contract audits (relationship between Defense Contract Audit Agency and GAO);

Land reform in Vietnam;

Excessive programing and procurement of sweetened condensed milk for Vietnam; and

GAO bid protest procedures.

COMMITTEE EXPENSES

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably the following resolutions:

H. Res. 959, amended, to provide additional funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 356;

H. Res. 975, amended, to provide additional funds for the investigations and studies authorized by H. Res. 356;

H. Res. 1016, to provide further funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 34;

H. Res. 1018, amended, to provide funds for the Committee on the Judiciary;

H. Res. 1024, providing funds for the Committee on the District of Columbia;

H. Res. 1026, amended, providing for the expenses incurred pursuant to H. Res. 218;

H. Res. 1030, providing for expenses incurred pursuant to investigations authorized by H. Res. 101;

H. Res. 1044, to provide funds for the expenses of the studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 19;

H. Res. 1050, providing for further expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 53;

H. Res. 1053, amended, authorizing expenses for conducting studies and investigations pursuant to H. Res. 209;

H. Res. 1056, amended, to provide additional funds for the expenses of the investigations authorized by H. Res. 168;

H. Res. 1071, amended, to provide funds for the further expenses of the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 203; and

H. Res. 1064, authorizing payment from the contingent fund for purchase of uniforms, equipment, and general expenses of the Capitol Police.

PUBLIC LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15069, to convey certain public lands in the State of Nevada to the Colorado River Commission.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S. 2336 in lieu of H.R. 10902, to determine the respective rights and interests of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation and the Yakima Tribe of Indians of the Yakima Reservation and their constituent tribal groups in and to a judgment on deposit in the Treasury of the United States;

S. 876 in lieu of H.R. 9582, relating to Federal support of education of Indian students in sectarian institutions of higher education; and

H.R. 14922, to amend P.L. 90–60 with respect to judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive ses-

sion and continued markup of H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project. No announcements were made.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 6551, to amend the Natural Gas Act to authorize the FPC to prescribe safety requirements for natural gas companies, and S. 1166, and related bills, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RADIATION HAZARDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and considered H.R. 10790, and related bills, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1967.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

PATENT BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on a general revision of patent bills. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from James Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator.

STANDARDIZATION OF MAIL SIZES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, standardization of mail sizes. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees met and considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bills:

Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses;

Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications continued hearings. Testimony was heard from NASA witnesses;

Subcommittee on Manned Space Flight met in executive session. No announcements were made.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4637–4672

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3056–3066. Pages 4646–4649

Appointments to Boards: Senators Bartlett and Griffin were appointed to be members of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy and Senators Hollings and Prouty were appointed to be members of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. Page 4646

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pending at adjournment was modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and title II on fair housing. Cloture motion on this amendment will be laid before Senate for vote 1 hour after Senate convenes on Friday, March 1.

All amendments at the desk were considered as having been read for the purpose of complying with rule XXII and it was agreed that if cloture is invoked on modified Dirksen amendment No. 554, amendments thereto at the desk may be modified so as to conform technically with that amendment.

Pages 4672, 4678–4679, 4683–4690, 4697–4700

Confirmations: Nomination of Joseph M. Bowman, Jr., of Georgia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was confirmed. Page 4700

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, receiving testimony from Dr. John E. Naugle, Office of the Associate Administrator for Space Science and Applications, NASA.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 5.

LOANS TO CO-OPS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held

hearings on S. 1971, authorizing loans to cooperatives serving farmers and rural residents, with testimony from Senator Moss; Howard Bertsch, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; R. B. Tootell, Governor, and Glenn E. Heitz, Deputy Governor, both of the Farm Credit Administration; and Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony from the following departmental witnesses: Joseph M. Robertson, Assistant Secretary for Administration; John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary; David W. Angevine, Farmer Cooperative Service; Harry C. Trelogan, Statistical Reporting Service; M. L. Upchurch, Economic Research Service; George L. Mehren, National Agricultural Library; Alex C. Caldwell, Commodity Exchange Authority; and John A. Smallwood, Office of Management Services.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Harold E. Crowther, Director, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Continuing its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, committee received testimony in behalf of funds for Air Force procurement from Lt. Gen. Robert G. Ruegg, Deputy Chief of Staff for Systems and Logistics, and Lt. Gen. Joseph R. Holzapple, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, both of the Air Force.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 4, on funds for Navy procurement.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of C. R. Smith, of New York, to be Secretary of Commerce, and John H. Crooker, Jr., of the D.C., to be a member of the CAB; and without amendment S. 3030, authorizing funds to construct an experimental and demonstration plant to develop fish protein concentrate.

Also, committee approved the appointments of Senators Bartlett and Griffin to the Board of Visitors of the Coast Guard Academy; and Senators Hollings and Prouty to the Board of Visitors of the Merchant Marine Academy. Senator Magnuson is an ex officio member of both Boards.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Yarborough appeared in support of both of the Smith and Crooker nominations, and Senator Javits appeared in support of Mr. Smith. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs continued hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, having as its witness Raymond Mikesell, University of Oregon, author of a study conducted for the subcommittee entitled "Inflation in Latin America."

Hearings continue tomorrow on foreign trade policies.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to continue consideration of S. 1308, to further promote equal employment opportunities of American workers, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Science, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendments H.R. 5404, to change in several regards the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to the Mid-Atlantic States Air Pollution Control Compact, having as its witnesses Senators Javits, Kennedy of New York, and Williams of New Jersey, the latter of whom submitted a statement; Larry Bidler, executive assistant to Governor Hughes of New Jersey; and Harvey Lieber, professor of political science, Rutgers University.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 4.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 15669–15695; 13 private bills, H.R. 15696–15708; and 10 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 1141–1145, H. Con. Res. 666, and H. Res. 1077–1080, were introduced. Pages 4758–4759

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Defense Contract Audits (Relationship Between Defense Contract Audit Agency and General Accounting Office)," 16th report by the committee (H. Rept. 1132);

Report entitled "Air Force Project LITE (Legal Information Through Electronics)," 17th report by the committee (H. Rept. 1133);

Report entitled "GAO Bid Protest Procedures," 18th report by the committee (H. Rept. 1134);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 1135);

H.R. 14933, relating to hours of work and overtime for certain employees in the postal field service, amended (H. Rept. 1136);

H.R. 15069, regarding conveyance of public lands in Nevada to the Colorado River Commission, amended (H. Rept. 1137);

H. Res. 1031, to amend H. Res. 101 of the 90th Congress to authorize the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to conduct an investigation and study with respect to certain matters in its jurisdiction (H. Rept. 1138);

H. Res. 1077, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15398, to amend the National School Lunch Act (H. Rept. 1139); and

H.R. 14940, to amend the Arms Control Act (H. Rept. 1140). Page 4758

D.C. Lien: Agreed to Senate amendment to House amendment to S. 1227, providing that judgment or decree of the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia shall not constitute a lien until filed and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Page 4703

Tax Adjustment Act: House passed by a voice vote H.R. 15414, the Tax Adjustment Act of 1968. Pages 4703–4713

Visitor Center: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 12603, the National Visitor Center Act, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 4713–4718

St. Louis University: Adopted H.J. Res. 691, to extend greetings and felicitations to St. Louis University in the city of St. Louis, Mo., in connection with the 150th anniversary of its founding, amended. Page 4719

Montclair, N.J.: Adopted H. Res. 1055, to extend the greetings and felicitations of the House of Representatives to the citizens and government of the town of Montclair, N.J., on the occasion of its 100th anniversary, amended. Page 4719

Circle K Week: Adopted H.J. Res. 1001, to authorize the President to proclaim the period March 3 through March 9, 1968, as "Circle K Week." Pages 4719–4720

Save Your Breath Month: Adopted H.J. Res. 933, to proclaim National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month, amended. Page 4720

Colorado River Commission: The House passed H.R. 15069, to convey certain public lands in the State of Nevada to the Colorado River Commission of Nevada in order to extend for 5 years the time for selecting such lands, with a committee amendment. Page 4720

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 6, 1968. Page 4721

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on P.L. 480, food for peace. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ENLISTED PROMOTION POLICY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Enlisted Promotion Policy Review met in executive session and considered a subcommittee report. No announcements were made.

FEDERAL RESERVE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15344, to extend for 2 years the authority of the Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15364, Inter-American Bank.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CHILD DAY CARE

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 10572, child day care. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, occupational health and safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid authorization. Testimony was heard from William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID.

ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future U.S. role in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from Edwin O. Reischauer, former U.S. Ambassador to Japan.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project. No announcements were made.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 6551, to amend the Natural Gas Act to authorize the FPC to prescribe safety requirements for natural gas companies; and S. 1166, and related bills, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 10790, and related bills, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1967. No announcements were made.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 considered several private claims bills.

PATENT LAW REVISIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 on patent law revisions. Testimony was heard from Donald F. Turner, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice, and a public witness.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from James Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; and a public witness.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14933, amended, relating to hours of work and overtime for certain employees in the postal field service.

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 1052, amended, to assist veterans of the United States who have served in Vietnam or elsewhere in obtaining suitable employment.

INVESTIGATIVE RESOLUTION

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 1031, investigative resolution, Veterans' Affairs Committee.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 15398, to amend the national school lunch program and extend the child nutrition program.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Committee on Rules: Deferred action on H.R. 12510, to establish a commission on government procurement.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: The following subcommittees each met and considered various aspects of the NASA authorization bill:

Advanced Research and Technology; heard testimony from NASA witnesses.

Space Science and Applications; heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

Advanced Research and Technology, following its hearing, met in executive session and began the markup of H.R. 15086, the NASA authorization bill. No announcements were made.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fraser and Pepper, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

INDIANS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 536, providing that the U.S. shall hold in trust for the Cherokee Nation certain Chilocco Indian school lands in Oklahoma.

Conferees considered, but did not reach agreement on, H.R. 5910, declaring that the U.S. holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe, Oklahoma.

Friday, March 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4848–4878

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3067–3074; and S. Con. Res. 64.

President's Message—Peace Corps: President transmitted his message containing Sixth Annual Report of the Peace Corps—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 4872

Civil Rights: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, rejecting by 59 yeas to 35 nays, Dirksen cloture motion (to close debate) on modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and title II on fair housing. A two-thirds affirmative vote of those present and voting is necessary to invoke cloture.

Amendments submitted today to modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 were considered as having been read for purpose of complying with rule XXII.

A fourth cloture motion was presented by Senator Mansfield to close debate on modified Dirksen amendment No. 554, signed by the required number of Senators. Under the rules this cloture motion will be laid before Senate for vote 1 hour after Senate convenes on Monday, March 4. It was agreed that when Senate completes its business on Saturday, March 2, it adjourn until 11 a.m. March 4. Pages 4831–4846, 4847–4848

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of C. R. Smith, of New York, to be Secretary of Commerce; and of John H. Crooker, Jr., of D.C., to be a member of Civil Aeronautics Board. Page 4878

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from the following departmental witnesses: Horace Godfrey, Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; and Charles L. Grant, Director, Office of Budget and Finance.

Hearings were recessed until Monday, March 18.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue Monday, March 4.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: In executive session, committee met to consider proposals for additional public hearings on Vietnam, but made no announcements.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs continued hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, with testimony on foreign trade policies from the following witnesses: George W. Ball, former Under Secretary of State, and presently associated with Lehman Bros. International; Isaiah Frank, Johns Hopkins University; and G. A. Costanzo, First National Bank, New York City.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 4.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grain met in executive session and considered bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System, and Dr. Merriam H. Trytten, president of the Scientific Manpower Commission.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 3300, amended, Colorado River Basin project.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 6551, to amend the Natural Gas Act to authorize the FPC to prescribe safety requirements for natural gas companies, and S. 1166, and related bills, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications met in executive session to mark up the NASA authorization bill. No announcements were made.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded public hearings on the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through February 29, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	30	26	..
Time in session	132 hrs., 34′	94 hrs., 46′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	1,956	1,566	3,522
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	1,397
Public bills enacted into law	5	4	9
Private bills enacted into law	1	..	1
Bills in conference	6	7	..
Bills through conference	1	1	..
Measures passed, total	22	84	..
Senate bills	2	15	..
House bills	3	25	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	1	..
House joint resolutions	1	6	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	1	..
Simple resolutions	12	36	48
Measures reported, total	*103	*79	..
Senate bills	4	14	..
House bills	6	31	..
Senate joint resolutions	3	1	..
House joint resolutions	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
Simple resolutions	88	31	119
Special reports	6	9	..
Conference reports	..	2	..
Reported measures not acted on	65	74	..
Measures introduced, total	328	1,403	1,731
Bills	244	1,115	1,359
Joint resolutions	17	174	191
Concurrent resolutions	11	55	66
Simple resolutions	56	59	115
Quorum calls	6	23	..
Yea-and-nay votes	6	19	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 65 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 79 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through February 29, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 3,146, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,259
Unconfirmed	1,887
Air Force nominations, totaling 2,857, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,481
Unconfirmed	376
Navy nominations, totaling 8, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6
Unconfirmed	2
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,344, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,079
Unconfirmed	1,265
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 264, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	13
Unconfirmed	251
Postmaster nominations, totaling 288, disposed of as follows:	
Unconfirmed	288

Summary

Total nominations received	8,907
Total confirmed	4,838
Total unconfirmed	4,069

NOTE.—The total of nominations unconfirmed in some of the above categories is in excess of the total of those received and confirmed. The reason is that nominations still unconfirmed at the end of the first session of this Congress are still pending.

Saturday, March 2, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4889–4908

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3075–3078. Page 4890

Authority To Report: Special Committee on Aging was granted extension of time until April 1, 1968, for filing of report. Page 4897

Civil Rights: Senate continued on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, receiving four amendments to the pending modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and title II on fair housing. These amendments were considered as having been read for purpose of complying with rule XXII.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, March 4, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 4960–4965, 4991–5032

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3079–3089; and S. Res. 262. Pages 4964, 4991

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 1012). Page 4991

President's Message—Health: President submitted his message outlining five major new goals for health and safety of Americans—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 4967–4971

Appointments to Board and Commission: Vice President appointed Senator Pell as a member of the Board of Visitors to the Coast Guard Academy.

Vice President announced appointment of Messrs. Stephen K. Bailey and Sidney J. Weinberg, both of New York, to be members of the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries. Page 4960

National Park: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1821, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to exchange certain property at Acadia National Park, Maine. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 4964

Committee Expenditures: Senate adopted an original resolution, S. Res. 262, authorizing and directing payment of compensation of employees of certain Senate committees which would be payable for February 1968 if the Senate resolutions presently on calendar authorizing funds for committees and subcommittees had been agreed to. This resolution has the same continuing purpose as S. Res. 260, agreed to on February 21. Page 4964

Civil Rights: Senate continued on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, adopting, by 65 yeas to 32 nays, Mansfield cloture motion (to close debate) on modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and titles II and III on fair housing.

Certain amendments submitted today to modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 were considered as having been read for purpose of complying with rule XXII.

Senate then took the following actions under cloture procedure on amendments to the modified Dirksen substitute amendment No. 554;

Adopted: Modified Ervin amendment No. 560 requiring compliance with the unreasonable search and seizure provisions of the Constitution; modified Talmadge amendment No. 559 to protect law enforcement officers in the carrying out of their duties; modified Miller amendment No. 573 to assure that the fair housing provisions be within constitutional limitations; modified Miller amendment No. 572 to limit protection of title I to citizens; modified Miller amendment No. 594 to limit the protection of title III to citizens; Miller amendment No. 586 providing that after Secretary of Urban and Housing Development has notified the appropriate State or local agency of a complaint filed under title II (in a State providing rights and remedies for discriminatory housing practices equivalent to those provided in title II) the Secretary shall take no further action with

respect thereto if the State official has within 30 days commenced proceedings, and barring civil actions in district court if person aggrieved has a judicial remedy available under State or local fair housing law; and modified Allott amendment No. 543 providing that in a sale or rental prior to a temporary order and involving a bona fide purchaser without notice of complaint or civil action, his rights shall be protected; and

Rejected: By 38 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Byrd of West Virginia amendment to exempt from fair housing provisions of the bill any single dwelling private home owner in sale or rental of same; and, by 33 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Ervin amendment No. 561 barring court action which would impair any title to real property acquired under State registration or recording statutes.

Pending at adjournment was Lausche amendment No. 589 to add new section relating to riots.

Pages 4954–4961, 4964–4966, 4971–4981, 4984–4991, 5032–5033

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from W. T. Pecora, Director, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Public Land Law Review Commission and the Bureau of Land Management.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, receiving testimony on proposed funds for the Navy F–111B aircraft program from Paul R. Ignatius, Secretary of the Navy; Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development; Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations; Vice Adm. Thomas F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air; and Rear Adm. A. H. Clancy, Special Projects Officer, F–111B.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee began hearings on S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller, with testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; William O'Brien, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions; and Prof. David Caplovitz, Columbia University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs resumed hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, having as its witness David Burks, Indiana University, author of a study conducted for the subcommittee entitled "Insurgency in Latin America." Testimony was also received from Ernst Halperin, University of Miami, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow on political aspects.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. 1764, to repeal the law which limits certain inheritances of deceased Yakima Indians to tribal members of one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood. Witnesses heard were Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; James Hovis, representing the Yakima tribal delegation; Owen Panner, representing Warm Springs Indian delegation, Oregon; Robert D. Dellwo, attorney for the Spokane and Kalispel Tribes of Washington and the Coeur d'Alene Tribe of Idaho; and several other public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MARIHUANA AND LSD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency resumed its series of hearings on problems created by the increasing use of marihuana and LSD, having as its witnesses Dr. James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW; and Dr. Helen Nowlis, professor of psychology, University of Rochester, and director of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, Drug Education Project.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to the Mid-Atlantic States Air Pollution Control Compact, receiving testimony from Wesley Gilbertson, Bureau of Environmental Health, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Norman Childs, Delaware Valley Citizens' Council for Clean Air; and Hollis S. Ingraham, New York State Health Commissioner, who represented Governor Rockefeller.

Subcommittee will hold hearings tomorrow on proposed Illinois-Indiana Air Pollution Control Compact.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 15709–15717; 13 private bills, H.R. 15718–15730; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1146, H. Con. Res. 667, and H. Res. 1081, were introduced. Page 4953

Bills Reported: Report was filed as follows: Report entitled "Recreational Boating Safety" (H. Rept. 1141). Page 4953

Safety Patrol Week: Adopted S.J. Res. 72, to provide for the designation of the second week of May of each year as National School Safety Patrol Week, amended. Page 4912

Presidential Message—Peace Corps: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the Sixth Annual Report of the Peace Corps—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Pages 4912–4913

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Apache Tribe: S. 1727, to authorize the consolidation and use of funds arising from judgments in favor of the Apache Tribe of the Mescalero Reservation and of each of its constituent groups.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Naturalization—Armed Forces: H.R. 10135, to provide for the expeditious naturalization of the surviving spouse of a U.S. citizen who dies while serving in an active-duty status in the Armed Forces of the United States.

Navajo Reservoir: S.J. Res. 123, to approve long-term contracts for delivery of water from Navajo Reservoir in the State of New Mexico.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2792. Pages 4913–4915

Suspension Passages: The following measures were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Immigration-Nationality: H.R. 15147, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for the naturalization of persons who have served in combat areas in active-duty service in the Armed Forces of the United States (by a record vote of 335 yeas, sent to the Senate). Pages 4915–4924

Pretrial proceedings: S. 159, to provide for the temporary transfer to a single district for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings of civil actions pending in different districts which involve one or more common questions of fact (amended and sent to the Senate; passed by a voice vote). Pages 4924–4928

Obscene-harassing telephone calls: S. 375, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 with respect to obscene or harassing telephone calls in interstate or foreign commerce (amended and sent to the Senate; passed by a voice vote). Pages 4932–4935

Presidential Message—Health: Received and read a message from the President regarding public health—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 270). Pages 4928–4932

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session to consider bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

RESERVE MATTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session to consider Reserve matters. No announcements were made.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from John C. Bullitt, Assistant Administrator for East Asia, AID.

U.S. ROLE IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from Eugene R. Black, former President, the World Bank.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 3395, 4501, 5320, 6689, to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965, and H.R. 8578, to amend title I of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Representative Keith and public witnesses.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10790, amended, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1967.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Tuesday, March 5, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5093–5200

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3090–3102; S.J. Res. 149; and S. Res. 263. Pages 5094, 5181–5184

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 5214

Civil Rights: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, the Lausche amendment No. 589 relating to riots (pending at adjournment March 4) being withdrawn.

Senate then took the following actions, under cloture procedure, on other amendments to the modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and titles II and III on fair housing:

Adopted: By 82 yeas to 13 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Thurmond-Lausche amendment No. 578 relating to riots (this amendment first ruled out on point of order, but after consideration of question of its germaneness the amendment was considered on its merits and adopted as shown); by 48 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Talmadge amendment No. 558, to extend protection of title I on interference with federally protected activities to owner or operator of a shop or store, small or large, from injury or damage during riot or civil disorder; and by 52 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Ervin amendment No. 566 exempting from title I on interference with federally protected activities, law enforcement officers, or Federal military forces engaged in suppressing riot or civil disturbance; and

Rejected: By 43 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Baker amendment No. 555 to provide that exemption given to individual homeowner under title II shall not be impaired by employment of a real estate agent, so long as he does not instruct the agent to discriminate in sale or rental. Pages 5200–5232

Printing: Letter from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, dated November 3, 1967, transmitting a report, together with accompanying papers and illustrations, on review of reports on Kake Harbor, Alaska, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 70. Pages 5093–5094

Nominations: The following nominations were received: One civilian, one judicial, and 27 postmasters. Page 5233

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witness Dr. Mac C. Adams, Associate Administrator for Advanced Research and Technology, NASA.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony from Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Representative Wayne N. Aspinall, Chairman, Public Land Law Review Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs began a series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witness Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Weaver.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller, with testimony from Leslie Dix, President's Committee on Consumer Interests, and William G. Clark, attorney general for the State of Illinois, both of whom submitted written statements; and Victoria Scates and Theressa Clark, both of the United Planning Organization.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 19.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs continued hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, with testimony from Pat M. Holt, of the committee's staff, who is the author of a report prepared for the subcommittee entitled "The Political Aspects"; Richard Adams, University of Texas; and H. Field Haviland, Brookings Institution.

Hearings continue tomorrow when State Department officials will testify.

INDIANS, AND ALASKA NATIVES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. Con. Res. 11, calling for establishment of a national policy to promote improved conditions for American Indians and Alaska natives, having as its witnesses Senators Gruening, Kennedy of New York, and Harris; Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Dr. Joseph G. Colmen, Deputy Assistant Secretary of HEW for Education; and numerous public witnesses.

MARIHUANA AND LSD

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency continued its series of hearings on problems created by the increasing use of marihuana and LSD, having as its witnesses Dr. Helen Nowlis, professor of psychology, University of Rochester; Henry L. Giordano, Commissioner of Narcotics, Department of the Treasury; and John Steinbeck IV, of Washington, D.C., a veteran of the Vietnam war.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CONFERENCE ON AGING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Aging held hearings on S.J. Res. 117, calling for a White House Conference on Aging, having as its witnesses William B. Bechill, Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of HEW; and Genevieve Blatt, Assistant Director for Programs for the Elderly, Office of Economic Opportunity; and several public witnesses who submitted written statements for inclusion in the record.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S. 470, granting consent of Congress to the Indiana-Illinois Air Pollution Control Compact, with testimony from Blucher A. Poole, Indiana State Board of Health, accompanied by Perry Miller, Indiana Air Pollution Control Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 15731–15762; 15 private bills, H.R. 15763–15777; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1147–1150, H. Con. Res. 668–671, and H. Res. 1086, were introduced. Pages 5331–5332

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Land Reform in Vietnam" (H. Rept. 1142);

Report entitled "Excessive Programing and Procurement of Sweetened Condensed Milk for Vietnam (H. Rept. 1143);

H.R. 13738, regarding Government per diem travel allowance (H. Rept. 1144);

H.R. 15364, regarding participation by the U.S. in the Inter-American Development Bank, amended (H. Rept. 1145);

Conference report on H.R. 536, regarding Chilocco Indian School lands at Chilocco, Okla. (H. Rept. 1146);

H. Res. 1082, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14940, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act (H. Rept. 1147);

Two private bills, S. 909, amended, and H.R. 12073, amended (H. Repts. 1148 and 1149);

S. 876, regarding education of Indian students in sectarian institutions of higher education (H. Rept. 1150);

S. 1664, for the relief of the city of El Dorado, Kans., amended (H. Rept. 1151);

S. 2336, regarding respective rights and interests of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation and the Yakima Tribes of Indians of the Yakima Reservation and their constituent tribal groups in and to a judgment fund on deposit in the Treasury of the United States (H. Rept. 1152);

H.R. 202, to amend section 2735 of title 10 of the United States Code, to provide for the finality of settlement effected under section 2732, 2733, 2734, 2734a, 2734b, or 2736 (76 Stat. 767) amended (H. Rept. 1153);

H.R. 203, regarding claims incident to the noncombat activities of armed forces, amended (H. Rept. 1154);

H.R. 14922, regarding judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe (H. Rept. 1155);

H. Res. 1083, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13058, to repeal certain acts relating to containers for fruits and vegetables (H. Rept. 1156);

H. Res. 1084, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14910, regarding harmful interference to radio reception (H. Rept. 1157);

H. Res. 1085, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14933, regarding hours of work and overtime for certain employees in the postal field service (H. Rept. 1158); and

Report entitled "Submission of Agency Accounting Systems for GAO Approval" (H. Rept. 1159).

Pages 5331–5332

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 155, 233, 321, 1040, 1580, H.R. 2281, 2282, 4058, 4386, 7210, 10327, 11381, 12119, and H. Res. 991.

Recommitted: S. 503 and H.R. 4936. Pages 5235–5236

San Rafael Wilderness: Adopted the conference report on S. 889, designating the San Rafael Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest in the State of California, and sent the bill to the Senate.

Rejected a motion to recommit the measure to the committee of conference by a record vote of 155 yeas to 238 nays. Pages 5237–5252

National School Lunch Act: Passed by a record vote of 398 yeas H.R. 15398, to amend the National School Lunch Act to strengthen and expand food service programs for children.

Adopted amendments regarding:

Appropriations and expenditures for this act shall be considered Health, Education, and Welfare functions for budget purposes rather than functions of Agriculture; and

Funding of nonprofit breakfast programs in schools.

H. Res. 1077, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 5252–5275

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session and continued consideration of bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Forces: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and heard testimony from Rear Adm. Jamie Adair, Ship Acquisition Director, Navy Department.

AIR FORCE ACADEMY

Committee on Armed Forces: Special Subcommittee on Military Academies met in executive session and heard testimony from Lt. Gen. Thomas S. Moorman, Superintendent of the Air Force Academy.

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13217, Asian Development Bank.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Representative Patman, officials of the United Student Aid Fund, and public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from Dr. Martin Essex, Chairman of the President's Council on Vocational Education.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from John C. Bullitt, Assistant Administrator of AID for East Asia; and William Bundy, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Affairs met in executive session and considered H.R. 14701, to provide certain increases in annuities payable from the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability Fund.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8578, amended, the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act amendments.

FCC AND BROADCAST

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations held a panel discussion on FCC's Fairness Doctrine, Equal Time, and related broadcast subjects.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics held hearings on criminal statistics program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 14933, relating to hours of work and overtime for certain employees in the postal field service.

CONTAINERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 13058, to repeal certain acts pertaining to containers for fruits and vegetables.

RADIO INTERFERENCE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 14910, to give the FCC authority to prescribe regulations for the manufacture, import, sale, shipment, or use of devices which cause harmful interference to radio reception.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 14940, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency Act in order to extend the authorization for appropriations.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and considered the NASA authorization bill. No announcements were made.

AMERICAN LEGION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met and considered the American Legion Legislative program. Testimony was heard from William E. Galbraith, National Commander, American Legion.

Wednesday, March 6, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5459–5513

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3103–3108. Page 5460

Bill Referred: H.R. 15398, to strengthen and expand food service programs for children, was referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 5530

President's Message—Indians: Senate received President's message urging legislation to improve health, education, housing, and civil rights of American Indians—referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Pages 5517–5521

San Gabriel Wilderness: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California. Pages 5462–5463

Merchant Marine: S. 2419, to amend the Merchant Marine Act with regard to cargo container vessels, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred with House amendments thereto. Pages 5463–5464

Civil Rights: Senate continued work on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, taking the following actions, under cloture procedure, on amendments to modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and titles II and III on fair housing:

Adopted: Modified Byrd of W. Va. amendment No. 590, providing that attorney's fees awarded to a plaintiff in civil actions under title II shall be dependent on his financial inability to assume same; modified Allot amendment No. 544, respecting a bona fide offer to buy or rent in determining whether there has been discrimination; Dominick amendment No. 568 requiring that a person alleged to be discriminating in housing shall be furnished copy of complaint of person aggrieved; modified Allott amendment No. 539 respecting homes subject to mortgages held by FDIC or FSLIC institutions (motion to reconsider tabled); technical modifications of Miller amendment No. 586 and of modified Miller amendment No. 594, after reconsideration of their adoption on March 4; Kuchel (for Dirksen) amendment No. 588 of a technical nature respecting amounts involved in private suits; by 84 yeas to 8 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Kuchel (for Dirksen) amendment No. 587 exempting noncommercial lodging of a private club not open to the public; by 72 yeas to 23 nays, proposition 2, as modified, of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517, proposed Civil Obedience Act of 1968 (teaching use of weapons and transport and manufacture of certain weapons for civil disorder); proposition 4, as modified of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517 (motion to reconsider tabled) (obstruction of fireman or law enforcement officer during civil disorder); by 62 yeas to 21 nays, proposition 6, of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517 ($10,000 fine or 5 years in prison, or both, for violations of propositions 2 and 4; and proposition 7, as modified, providing that nothing in propositions 2 or 4 shall make unlawful any act of a law enforcement officer in the lawful performance of official duties, defining certain terms used, providing that preemption of State laws is not intended, and providing for citation of propositions 2 and 4 as the "Civil Obedience Act of 1968"; and

Rejected: By 27 yeas to 64 nays, proposition 3, as modified, of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517 (unlawful violence against persons in furtherance of civil disorder); and proposition 5 of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517 (looting during civil disorder).

Senate also took the following actions on motions respecting H.R. 2516:

Adopted: By 48 yeas to 47 nays, Hart motion to table proposition 1 of Chapter on Civil Disorders of modified Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 517, proposed Civil Obedience Act of 1968 (travel or use of commerce to incite civil disorder), followed by 49 yeas to 44 nays, on Javits motion to table Hart motion to reconsider adoption of above Hart motion to table Long (Louisiana) proposition 1.

Pending at adjournment was Cooper amendment No. 556, and it was agreed that following its disposition on March 7, Byrd (West Virginia) amendment No. 579 will be taken up. Pages 5513–5517, 5522–5527, 5529–5550

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for Indian health activities from Dr. Erwin S. Rabeau, Director, Division of Indian Health, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—CIVIL FUNCTIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony on the overall budget from Lt. Gen. William F. Cassidy, Chief of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the southwestern division.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, with further testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Weaver.

ALLIANCE FOR PROGRESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs concluded its current series of hearings as a part of its survey of the Alliance for Progress, after receiving testimony from Covey T. Oliver, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, and U.S. Coordinator of the Alliance for Progress; and Anthony M. Solomon, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held its annual conference with officials of the National Reclamation Association to discuss items of mutual interest in the fields of reclamation and water resources.

MARIHUANA AND LSD

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued its hearings on problems created by the increasing use of marihuana and LSD, having as its witnesses Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director, National Institutes of Health, U.S. Public Health Service; Alfred B. Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; and Prof. Dana Farnsworth, Harvard University Public Health Service.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CONFERENCE ON AGING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Aging continued hearings on S.J. Res. 117, calling for a White House Conference on Aging, having as its witnesses Mrs. Geneva Mathiasen, National Council on the Aging, accompanied by Joseph Gaxiola, Santa Cruz, Calif., and Billy Carter, Milan, Mo.; Dr. Margaret Mead, American Museum of Natural History, also representing Oliver Wendell Holmes Association; Dr. Blue Carstenson, representing the National Farmers Union and Green Thumb, Inc.; and Ernest Giddings, representing the National Retired Teachers Association and American Association of Retired Persons.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, having as its witness CSC Chairman John W. Macy, Jr.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Macy, and Secretary of Transportation Boyd.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 470, granting consent of Congress to the Indiana-Illinois Air Pollution Control Compact, having as its witnesses John Nicosia, mayor of East Chicago, Ind.; and Lawrence A. Keller,

who read the statement of Joseph Germano, U.S. Steel Workers of America, Chicago.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 15778–15799; 22 private bills, H.R. 15800–15821; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1151–1155, and H. Con. Res. 672, were introduced.

Pages 5458–5459

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.J. Res. 1052, to assist veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have served in Vietnam or elsewhere in obtaining suitable employment, amended (H. Rept. 1160). Page 5458

Presidential Message—American Indians: Received and read a message from the President regarding the plight of the American Indian—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 272).

Pages 5394–5398

Arms Control Act: By a record vote of 305 yeas to 96 nays, the House passed H.R. 14940, to amend the Arms Control and Disarmament Act in order to extend the authorization for appropriations.

By a record vote of 241 yeas to 161 nays, the House adopted a recommittal motion providing for a two-year authorization of $20 million.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Two-year authorization of $22 million;

One-year authorization of $5 million; and

Provision of atomic weapons for NATO.

A point of order against an amendment was sustained.

H. Res. 1082, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 5399–5428

Radio Reception: Adopted H. Res. 1084, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14910, regarding harmful interference to radio reception. Page 5405

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GRAIN STANDARDS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered amendments to the U.S. Grain Standards Act. No announcements were made.

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 15693, P.L. 480, food for peace. Testimony was heard from Representative Findley and public witnesses.

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session and considered bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and agreed to report favorably to the House S. 793, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the United States to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission; and H.R. 15004, to further amend the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950 to extend the expiration date of certain authorities thereunder.

The committee disapproved Army Real Estate Acquisition Project No. 124.

FEDERAL BANKING SUPERVISORY AGENCIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on supervisory activities of Federal banking supervisory agencies. Testimony was heard from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID.

EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13176, to authorize Ohio to use the proceeds from the sale of certain lands for educational purposes.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Held hearings on H.R. 15002, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program. Testimony was heard from Max Edwards, Assistant Secretary of Interior, and Dr. Jack Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water.

The subcommittee also received a briefing from the National Reclamation Association.

FCC AND BROADCAST

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations held a panel discussion on FCC's Fairness Doctrine, Equal Time, and related broadcast subjects.

JUDICIARY MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 approved for full committee action H.R. 8633, relating to the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico; heard testimony and acted on several private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved several private claims bills.

JUDICIAL REVIEW OF FEDERAL EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held hearings on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, to provide effective procedures for the enforcement of the establishment and free exercise clauses of the first amendment to the Constitution. Testimony was heard from Senator Ervin, Representatives Rosenthal and Zablocki, and Theodore Ellenbogen, assistant general counsel, HEW.

MOTOR VEHICLE MASTER KEYS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 15215, and related bills, to provide criminal penalties for the manufacture, advertisement for introduction, or introduction into interstate commerce of motor vehicle master keys. Testimony was heard from Representative Vigorito and Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Conable, Eilberg, McCarthy, Ottinger, Schweiker, and Whalley.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SUPERGRADES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session on supergrades. No announcements were made.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and considered the NASA authorization bill. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

CRIME

Conferees, in executive session, agreed in principle on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11816, providing compensation to survivors of local police officers killed while apprehending persons for committing Federal crimes. Conferees directed the staffs to draft language reflecting such agreements.

Thursday, March 7, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5668–5709

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3109–3117. Page 5668

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3030, authorizing funds to construct an experimental and demonstration plant to develop fish protein concentrate (S. Rept. 1013). Page 5668

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 5634

Water: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 123, approving long-term contracts for delivery of water from the Navajo Reservoir, N. Mex., clearing bill for President's signature. Pages 5631-5632

Civil Rights: Senate continued its work on H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, taking the following actions, under cloture procedure, on amendments to modified Dirksen amendment No. 554 (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment) consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and titles II and III on fair housing:

Adopted: En bloc, modified Cooper amendments. Nos. 596 and 595 of a technical nature substituting the word "intimidate" for "discourage" in several lines; modified Cooper amendment No. 567 respecting lodgings for transients located within a building containing not more than five rooms for rent and which is actually occupied by proprietor as his residence; and, by 48 yeas

to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Byrd of West Virginia amendment No. 579 exempting single-family house sold or rented in certain circumstances by an owner of not more than three such type houses.

Authority was granted for modifications in Miller amendment No. 599 respecting discrimination in sale or rental of housing.

Pending at adjournment was Ervin amendment No. 565 respecting injury or interference with by force of any person pursuing his employment by U.S. or by any private employer engaged in interstate commerce or traveling to or from such work.

Pages 5631, 5633–5636, 5638–5644, 5667–5668, 5709-5713

Nominations: The following nominations were received: William M. Drennen, of West Virginia, William M. Fay, of Pennsylvania, C. Moxley Featherston, of Virginia, and Charles R. Simpson, of Illinois, to be judges of the U.S. Tax Court; Sidney Freidberg, of New York, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and 19 Navy in the rank of admiral.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony from Dr. Jack A. Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water, Department of the Interior; Dr. Edward Wenk, Jr., National Council on Marine Resources and Engineering Development; and Julius A. Stratton, Commission on Marine Science, Engineering, and Resources.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony on funds for projects in the southwestern division from Brig. Gen. W. T. Bradley, Southwestern Division Engineer, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the South Pacific and Pacific Ocean divisions.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, with further testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Austin L. Fickling, to be associate judge for the D.C. Court of Appeals; William C. Pryor, James A. Belson, and Joyce Hens Green, all to be associate judges for the D.C. Court of General Sessions; Margaret A. Haywood, J. C. Turner, and Joseph P. Yeldell, all to be members of the D.C. Council; and Alfred P. Love, for reappointment as a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency. Testimony was received from John E. Powell, D.C. Bar Association, and Alexander L. Benton, Washington Bar Association, who testified with regard to the four above judgeship nominations; Judge Tim Murphy and Betin Stalling, Federal Bar Association, who testified with regard to the nomination of Mr. Fickling; Antoinette B. Friedman, Women's Bar Association of the D.C., who testified with regard to the nomination of Mrs. Green; John W. Hechinger, Chairman, D.C. Council, who testified with regard to the nominees to the D.C. Council; Mrs. Robert B. Fleming, Jr., who directed her remarks to Mrs. Haywood's nomination; Howard McGuigan, Congress of Industrial Organizations, who spoke with regard to Mr. Turner's nomination; Frank E. Wall, Jr., International Business Machines Corp., who directed his remarks to Mr. Yeldell's nomination; and Neville Miller, Chairman, Board of Directors, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency, who testified with regard to the nomination of Mr. Love. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

REVOLUTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed its hearings on the nature of revolution and the significance of revolutions abroad for American foreign policy, having as its witness Dr. John McAlister, a research associate at the Center of International Studies, Princeton University, who directed his remarks to revolution and modernization in Vietnam.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research began a series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs. Witnesses heard were Senator Mondale; Dr. John Najarian, professor and chairman, Department of Surgery, University of Minnesota; and Dr. Adrian Kantrowitz, director of surgical services, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service

Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, having as its witness Secretary of Transportation Alan S. Boyd.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded its hearings on S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System, after receiving testimony from Lowell K. Bridwell, Administrator, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Commerce.

Subcommittee announced that it expects to consider this bill in executive session on Thursday, March 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 15822–15836; 12 private bills, H.R. 15837–15848; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1156, and H. Res. 1087–1090, were introduced.

Pages 5742, 5743

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 793, regarding Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission (H. Rept. 1161); and

H. Con. Res. 657, regarding unveiling in the rotunda of the Capitol of the bust of Constantino Brumidi (H. Rept. 1162). Page 5742

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 13. Page 5714

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 5728

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 1087, expressing sorrow on the death of former Speaker of the House Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL BANKING SUPERVISORY AGENCIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on supervisory activities of Federal banking supervisory agencies. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mink and Ryan and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from Maurice J. Williams, Assistant Administrator for the Near East and South Asia, AID.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.

ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from Kenneth T. Young, former Ambassador to Thailand.

SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 8416, to provide for a national scenic rivers system; and S. 119, to reserve certain public lands for a National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Testimony was heard from Representatives William Anderson, Clarence Brown, Fisher, Fraser, Gathings, Karth, Roush, Staggers, Senators Mondale and Nelson, and departmental witnesses.

HARBOR

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 14681, amended, to declare a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10790, amended, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1967.

PRIVATE CLAIM BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

FEDERAL MAGISTRATES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on S. 945, Federal Magistrates Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Tydings and American Bar Association witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Corman, Don Edwards, Tenzer, Fisher, and Gonzalez.

ATLANTIC TO PACIFIC SEA-LEVEL CANAL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held hearings on H.R. 15190, providing for a study to determine a site for construction of a sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Charles C. Novle, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and departmental witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered a clean bill reported favorably to the House on the NASA authorization.

HOME LOAN GUARANTY

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10477, amended, to increase the amount of home loan guaranty entitlement from $7,500 to $10,000.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

Friday, March 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5845–5890

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3118–3126; and S.J. Res. 150. Page 5848

President's Message—Conservation: Message was received from President outlining his legislative proposals for conservation—referred jointly to Committees on Public Works, Interior and Insular Affairs, and Commerce. Pages 5814–5819

San Rafael Wilderness: Senate adopted conference report on S. 889, to designate the San Rafael Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 5810–5812

Civil Rights: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation, adopting, by 61 yeas to 19 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), which had first been amended by adoption of modified Dirksen amendment No. 554, as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment). The bill as so amended was then read for the third time.

Prior to the above actions, Senate had first taken the following additional actions on amendments to the modified Dirksen substitute amendment No. 554:

Adopted: By unanimous vote of 81 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Ervin amendment No. 430 to add six new titles on rights of American Indians (a ruling of the Chair sustaining point of order as to germaneness against this amendment was reversed on appeal by vote of 28 yeas for the ruling and 54 nays against—motion to reconsider tabled); and

Rejected: By 18 yeas to 67 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ervin amendment No. 565 respecting injury or interference with by force of person working, or traveling to or from work; by 31 yeas to 57 nays, Ervin amendment No. 562 requiring that threat of force, before it may be considered intimidation or interference with federally protected activity must be sufficient to constitute an assault; by 24 yeas to 64 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ervin amendment No. 506, as a substitute for the modified Dirksen substitute amendment No. 554 by substituting new language on deprivation of rights by violence (eliminating fair housing provisions and any racial factors in civil rights protected); by 13 yeas to 73 nays, modified Miller amendment No. 599 on fair housing, with particular reference to veterans and service personnel, brokers and agents, and owners; by 29 yeas to 51 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Miller amendment No. 593, requiring that any prosecution of offense against a federally protected activity shall be only upon formal written authorization of Attorney General or Deputy Attorney General and only then if State or local law enforcement official has failed to act promptly against alleged offense; on division vote, modified Ervin amendment No. 500 respecting admissibility in evidence of eyewitness testimony; and by 35 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Ervin amendment No. 499 respecting admissibility of confessions in criminal proceedings.

Chair sustained point of order as to germaneness against Ervin amendment No. 504 which would define certain labor practices as unfair.

Pages 5807, 5812–5814, 5819–5822, 5824–5840

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Monday, March 11. Page 5845

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, subcommittee received testimony from Frank J. Barry, Solicitor, Department of the Interior; Harry R. Pauley, Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; William Walton, Chairman, Commission of Fine Arts; T. Harold Scott, Indian Claims Commission; and Joseph H. FitzGerald, Federal Field Committee for Development Planning in Aslaska.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11, on funds for the Forest Service.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony on proposed projects in their respective areas from Brig Gen. John A. B. Dillard, Division Engineer, South Pacific Division; and Lt. Col. Lewis A. Pick, Jr., Assistant Director of Civil Works for Pacific Divisions, both of the Army Engineers.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11.

NOMINATIONS APPROVED

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the following 15 persons nominated to be members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting:

Roscoe C. Carroll, of California—with testimony from Senator Magnuson;

Saul Haas, of Washington—with testimony from Senators Jackson and Magnuson;

Erich Leinsdorf, of Massachusetts—with testimony from Senators Kennedy of Massachusetts and Brooke;

John D. Rockefeller III, of New York—with testimony from Senators Javits and Kennedy of New York;

Frank E. Schooley, of Illinois;

Joseph A. Beirne, of Maryland—with testimony from Senators Tydings and Brewster;

Michael A. Gammino, of Rhode Island—with testimony from Senator Pell;

Oveta Culp Hobby, of Texas—with testimony from Senator Magnuson;

Joseph D. Hughes, of Pennsylvania—with testimony from Senator Scott;

Carl E. Sanders, of Georgia—with testimony from Senator Talmadge;

Frank Pace, Jr., of Connecticut—with testimony from Senator Ribicoff;

Robert S. Benjamin, of New York—with testimony from Senators Javits and Kennedy of New York;

Jack J. Valenti, of the D.C.—with testimony from Senator Magnuson and several other Senators;

Milton S. Eisenhower, of Maryland—with testimony from Senators Tydings and Brewster; and

James R. Killian, Jr., of Massachusetts—with testimony from Senators Kennedy of Massachusetts and Brooke.

All of the nominees, except Mr. Pace, were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee announced that it had approved the nominations of Austin L. Fickling, to be associate judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals; William C. Pryor, James A. Belson, and Joyce Hens Green, all to be associate judges of the D.C. Court of General Sessions; Margaret A. Haywood, J. C. Turner, and Joseph P. Yeldell, all to be members of the D.C. Council; and Alfred P. Love, for reappointment as a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following bills:

S. 2496, authorizing reciprocal agreements for mutual aid between the D.C. police and local governments of the metropolitan area, with testimony from Senator Brewster; Robert F. Kneipp, D.C. Assistant Corporation Counsel; Chief John B. Layton, Metropolitan Police Department; and Richard C. Wertz, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments;

S. 2017, authorizing the D.C. Commissioner to enter into contracts for maintenance of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp;

S. 2015, clarifying the duties of the D.C. Coroner concerning summoning of juries of inquest, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp, Dr. Richard L. Whelton, D.C. Coroner; and David G. Bress, U.S. Attorney of the D.C.;

H.R. 6527, relating to the bringing to action of cases arising from injury caused by unsafe improvements to real property, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp; Waldron Faulkner, American Institute of Architects, Inc.; James J. Schnabel, Consulting Engineers Council of Metropolitan Washington; Alexander J. Chernowsky, the Master Builders' Association, Inc.; J. Sprigg Duvall, Victor O. Schinnerer & Co., Inc.; and Mrs. Thelma Dawson, Washington Building Congress; and

H.R. 5799, to provide that gifts to minors may be deposited in savings and loan associations and related institutions, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp; T. William Blumenauer, Jr., D.C. Savings and Loan League; and William G. White, D.C. Credit Union League, Inc.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its series of hearings

on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses Dr. Henry K. Beecher, professor of research and anesthesia, Harvard University; Dr. Arthur Kornberg, professor and executive head, Stanford University, and Dr. Joshua Lederberg, department of genetics, Stanford University School of Medicine; and Dr. Owen Wangensteen, professor emeritus, and Dr. Christiaan Barnard, professor emeritus, both of the University of Minnesota Medical School.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 21.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, having as its witnesses CSC Chairman John W. Macy, Jr.; and Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 11.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

GRAIN STANDARDS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15794, amended, to amend the U.S. Grain Standards Act.

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 15693, food for peace. Testimony was heard from Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture, William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID, and public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15067, Higher Education Amendments of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 8416, S. 119, bills to provide for a scenic rivers system. Testimony was heard from Senators Church and Jordan of Idaho, and departmental and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 5929–5983

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3127–3137; and S.J. Res. 151.

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Bills Rereferred: S. 3053 and S. 2025, both private bills, were rereferred to Committee on the Judiciary after Committee on Armed Services was discharged from their further consideration. Page 5939

President's Message—Marine Science: Message was received from President relating to marine science affairs, together with second report of President to Congress on marine resources and engineering development—referred to Committee on Commerce.

Pages 5929–5930

Gold Cover: It was agreed that on Tuesday, March 12, at conclusion of morning business, instead of Senator Stennis being recognized to call up resolution on standards and conduct, Senator Sparkman will be recognized to call up bill to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes. Majority leader stated that the standards and conduct resolution will be considered following disposition of this bill.

Pages 5985–5986

Civil Rights: By 71 yeas to 20 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. The amendment was committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), which had been adopted March 8 after adoption of modified Dirksen amendment No. 554, as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the committee substitute amendment), consisting of title I on interference with federally protected activities, and titles II and III on fair housing.

Secretary of Senate was authorized to make technical and conforming amendments to the bill.

Pages 5983–6002

Indians: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 536, providing that the U.S. shall hold in trust for the Cherokee Nation certain Chilocco Indian school lands in Oklahoma. Page 6002

Urgent Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, after taking the following actions on amendments and a motion to recommit:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; by 43 yeas to 42 nays, Clark amendment to add $25 million for Headstart program (Vice President voting to break tie); and

Rejected: By 38 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Monroney amendment to provide $25,000 for salaries and expenses, Office of Secretary of Treasury (review of question of tax exemption from interest on certain municipal industrial revenue bonds).

By 22 yeas to 64 nays, Senate rejected Williams (Delaware) motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report it back with aggregate appropriations therein reduced to $1,216,020,863 (same as budget estimates).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Hayden, Russell, Ellender, Holland, Byrd (W. Va.), Mundt, Young (N. Dak.), and Javits.

Pages 6002–6031

Veterans: H.R. 12555, liberalizing laws relative to payment of veterans' pensions, was passed without amendment, clearing bill for President's signature.

Pages 6033–6037

Saline Water Conversion: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2912, authorizing funds for saline water conversion for fiscal year 1969. Page 6037

Oahe Reservoir: H.R. 2901, to designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe, was passed without amendment. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 6037–6038

Gold Cover: Senate took up H.R. 14743, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes. Page 6038

Confirmations: Eight nominations to positions in the government of the District of Columbia were confirmed.

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Nomination: One judicial nomination was confirmed.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Edward P. Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony from Brig. Gen. Elmer P. Yates, Division Engineer, North Pacific Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs resumed its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Senator Brooke; Dwight D. Townsend, Cooperative League of the USA; Rev. Channing Phillips, Housing Development Corporation; Dr. George Sternlieb, Rutgers University; and Maco Stewart, Stewart Title Co., Houston.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, having as its witness Secretary of State Dean Rusk, who was accompanied by William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development. Much of today's testimony concerned the current situation in Vietnam.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee resumed its hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, having as its witness Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 15849–15870; nine private bills, H.R. 15871–15879; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1157 and 1158, H. Con. Res. 673–676, and H. Res. 1091, were introduced. Pages 5928–5929

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15004, to further amend the Federal Civil Defense Act (H. Rept. 1163);

Conference report on S. 454, a private bill (H. Rept. 1164); and

H.R. 15224, regarding procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard, amended (H. Rept. 1165).

Pages 5928–5929

Presidential Message—Conservation: Received and read the President's message on conservation—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 273).

Pages 5897–5903

Presidential Message—Marine Science: Received a message from the President transmitting the annual report on marine science—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered printed as a House document with illustrations (H. Doc. 275).

Page 5906

Fruits-Vegetables: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 13058, repealing certain acts relating to containers for fruits and vegetables.

Adopted an amendment making the effective date of the legislation 60 days after enactment; and adopted a technical amendment.

H. Res. 1083, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 5906–5911

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 15693, extending food for peace program. No announcements were made.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction held a hearing on H.R. 15784, a bill to authorize certain construction at military installations. Testimony was heard from Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on the following bills:

H.R. 2629, relative to the remission or cancellation of indebtedness of enlisted members of the Armed Forces and the National Guard of the United States;

H.R. 2632, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers; the subcommittee approved H.R. 2632 for full committee action;

H.R. 13593, to increase the number of congressional alternates authorized to be nominated for each vacancy at the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies; the subcommittee approved H.R. 13593, amended, for full committee action.

Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from Calvin L. Rampton, Governor of Utah, Representative Fraser, and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from Lucius D. Battle, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, and Maurice J. Williams, Assistant Administrator of AID for Near East and South Asia.

PASSPORT PROCEDURES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session to consider passport procedures. No announcements were made.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on H.R. 15002, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jack Hunter, Director, Office of Saline Water, and Max Edwards, Assistant Secretary of Interior.

COAST GUARD VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15224, amended, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard.

MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Commerce Department. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

ADVERTISEMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and held a hearing on proposed regulations to control pandering advertisements sent through the mail. No announcements were made.

RENEGOTIATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Held hearings on amending and extending the Renegotiation Act. Testimony was heard from Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman, Renegotiation Board.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6082–6121

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3138–3147. Page 6084

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 6082

President's Message—Mass Transportation: Message was received from President forwarding for information of Congress a joint report and recommendations by the Secretaries of Departments of Transportation and of Housing and Urban Development on the logical and efficient location of urban mass transportation functions in the executive branch (Reorganization Plan No. 2 of 1968, transmitted on January 26, 1968)—referred to to Committee on Government Operations. Page 6145

Gold Cover: Senate considered H.R. 14743, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes.

Pending at adjournment was Church amendment No. 612 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) to reduce the gold cover requirement from 25 to 20 percent rather than to eliminate it entirely. The yeas and nays were ordered on the pending Church amendment.

Pages 6121–6148, 6150–6163

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following 15 nominations to be members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting: Roscoe C. Carroll, of California; Saul Haas, of Washington; Erich Leinsdorf, of Massachusetts; John D. Rockefeller III, of New York; Frank E. Schooley, of Illinois; Joseph A. Beirne, of Maryland; Michael A. Gammino, of Rhode Island; Oveta Culp Hobby, of Texas; Joseph D. Hughes, of Pennsylvania; Carl E. Sanders, of Georgia; Frank Pace, Jr., of Connecticut; Robert S. Benjamin, of New York; Jack J. Valenti, of the District of Columbia; Milton S. Eisenhower, of Maryland; and James R. Killian, Jr., of Massachusetts. Page 6166

Nominations: Senate received numerous nominations to the Diplomatic and Foreign Service, and one judicial nomination. Pages 6164–6166

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony on funds for their respective agencies from John Walker, Director, National Gallery of Art; and Dr. S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony from Brig. Gen. C. Craig Cannon, Division Engineer, Missouri River Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow on projects in the North-Central Division.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO; William L. Rafsky, National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials; George Kassabaum, American Institute of Architects; and Q. V. Williamson, National Association of Real Estate Brokers, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee began hearings on S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system, with testimony from Secretary of Transportation Alan S. Boyd; Peyton Ford, National Association of Insurance Commissioners; Ralph A. Petrarca, insurance commissioner, State of Rhode Island; and Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO, the latter of whom submitted a statement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX ADJUSTMENT ACT

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings on H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations. Testimony was received from Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler; and Charles J. Zwick, Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from these witnesses.

FOREIGN AID, AND VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee heard Secretary of State Dean Rusk conclude testifying and answering questions with regard to proposed fiscal 1969

authorizations for the foreign aid program, and the current situation in Southeast Asia, particularly Vietnam.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from AID Administrator Gaud.

COURT OF CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 1704, to authorize the U.S. Court of Claims to implement its judgments for compensation, having as its witnesses Wilson Cowen, chief judge, U.S. Court of Claims; and Robert Barker, Bar Association of the District of Columbia.

Subcommittee announced that the record would remain open for 2 weeks for the inclusion of additional written material.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education held hearings on S. 1126 and S. 3098, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, with testimony from Mark Weiss, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary, and Edward P. Snyder, Director, Office of Debt Analysis, both of the Department of the Treasury; Ralph K. Huitt, Assistant Secretary for Education, accompanied by Peter Muirhead, Associate Commissioner for Higher Education, and James Moore, Division of Student Financial Aid, Bureau of Higher Education, all of the Department of HEW; Dr. Kenneth Reeher, Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, Harrisburg; Allen D. Marshall, United Student Aid Fund, Inc., New York City; Dr. Charles E. Walker, American Bankers Association, New York City; and the following individuals who sat as a panel of witnesses: Edson Sample, director of student financial assistance, Indiana University; Jack Critchfield, dean of students, University of Pittsburgh; and Dr. Allen Purdy, director of student financial assistance, University of Missouri.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on S. 2910, to provide special encouragement to veterans to pursue a public service career in economically disadvantaged areas, receiving testimony from William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, who was accompanied by his associates; and Stephen J. Trachtenberg, Special Assistant to the Commissioner of Education, and Dr. Richard Graham, Director of the Teacher Corps, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued its hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, having as its witnesses Wilbur J. Cohen, Acting Secretary of HEW; Joseph W. Barr, Under Secretary of the Treasury; and L. Quincy Mumford, the Librarian of Congress.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 14.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 15880–15907; 15 private bills, H.R. 15908–15922; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1159–1161, H. Con. Res. 677–684, and H. Res. 1092 and 1093, were introduced. Pages 6209–6210

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 10790, providing for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic products, amended (H. Rept. 1166). Page 6209

Radio Reception: The House passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 14910, to give the Federal Communications Commission authority to prescribe regulations for the manufacture, import, sale, shipment, or use of devices which cause harmful interference to radio reception.

H. Res. 1084, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted on Wednesday, March 6, by a voice vote. Pages 6170–6173

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 6208

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15693, extending the food-for-peace program. No announcements were made.

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session and continued consideration of bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction held hearings on H.R. 15784, to authorize certain construction at military installations. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses. The hearings are to be continued on March 18, 1968.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 14739, amended, National Guard medical care;
H.R. 13050, Naval officer's engineering duty;
H.R. 2629, Armed Forces and National Guard indebtedness;
H.R. 15863, amended, to change the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing held a hearing on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary, HUD.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BOY SCOUTS

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action S.J. Res. 138, to commend the Boy Scouts of America.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from R. Peter Straus, Assistant Administrator of AID for Africa.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Government Operations: Special Subcommittee on Invasion of Privacy held a hearing on commercial credit bureaus. Testimony was heard from Representative Ken Hechler, and a departmental and a public witness.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and considered H.R. 7097, H.R. 7329, and S. 449, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam. No announcements were made.

PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending legislation. No announcements were made.

MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, authorization of Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from Paul Hall, President, Maritime Trades Department.

BRIEFING

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and received a briefing from the Coast Guard on the Cuban ship *26 de Julio* off the Virginia coast on February 27, 1968, and on the oil spill in San Juan Harbor, P.R.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RULES MISCELLANY

Committee on Rules: Completed hearings but did not take final action on H.R. 13541, Agricultural Fair Practices Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Belcher, Montgomery, and Poage.

Began, but did not complete, hearings on H.J. Res. 1052, employment opportunities for Vietnam era veterans. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dulski and Gross.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R.15856, NASA authorization bill.

VFW

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a hearing on legislative recommendations of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Testimony was heard from Joseph A. Scarra, VFW national commander.

RENEGOTIATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on amending and extending the Renegotiation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Feighan, Gonzalez, Gubser, Minshall, and public witnesses.

PUBLIC UTILITIES PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies held a hearing on promotional practices of public utilities. Testimony was heard from Senator Kennedy of Massachusetts, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee met in executive session to consider draft language to be included in its report on the 1968 Economic Report of the President.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6322–6361

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3148–3154; and S.J. Res. 152. Page 6323

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 6322

President's Message—Reorganization Plan No. 3 (D.C. Recreation): President transmitted his Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1968 on D.C. recreation facilities—referred to Committee on Government Operations. Page 6329

President's Message—Reorganization Plan No. 4 (D.C. Urban Renewal): President transmitted his Reorganization Plan No. 4 providing for reorganization of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency—referred to Committee on Government Operations. Pages 6328–6329

President's Message—D.C.: President transmitted message with his recommendations for legislation concerning D.C. needs in the following fields: (1) crime control, (2) jobs, education, and homes, (3) renewal of the historic city, and (4) reinforcement of municipal government through further reorganization and salary increases of public servants—referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Pages 6329–6333

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of the Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, March 14. Page 6400

Gold Cover: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 14743, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes, rejecting by 40 yeas to 45 nays, modified Church amendment No. 612 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) to cut in half the present gold cover requirement rather than to eliminate it entirely.

Pending at adjournment was Miller amendment No. 611 to limit net aggregate expenditures during fiscal 1969 to $139.4 billion, with exceptions for certain increases in defense costs and in interest on public debt and calling for action on 10-percent income tax surcharge within 30 days after this bill becomes law.

Pages 6361, 6371–6393, 6400–6402

Nominations: Senate received one civilian, one judicial, and 44 postmaster nominations. Page 6402

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PUBLIC LAW 480

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began hearings on S. 2891, 2986, and 3069, bills providing for extension of Public Law 480, Agricultural Trade Development Assistance Act, with testimony from Senator Mundt; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; Robert N. Hampton, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; Lloyd J. Fairbanks, National Farmers Organization, Corning, Iowa; Carl C. Campbell and J. Banks Young, both of the National Cotton Council of America; William E. Moran, Jr., International Economic Policy Association; L. C. Carpenter, Midcontinent Farmers Association, Columbia, Mo.; Herbert C. Fledderjohn, Friends Committee on National Legislation; and Rev. Clyde Rogers, Ohio Council of Churches, Columbus.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Mrs. James H. Rowe, Jr., chairman, National Capital Planning Commission; and Gen. Jackson Graham, general manager, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the National Endowments of the Arts and the Humanities.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony from Brig. Gen. Robert M. Tarbox, Division Engineer, North-Central Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the Lower Mississippi Valley Division.

U.S. SUBMARINE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee held executive hearings on the subject of the submarine program of the U.S., having as its witnesses Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Deputy Commander for Nuclear Propulsion, Naval Ship Systems Command, and James F. Bradley, Jr., Office of the CNO (Intelligence), both of the Navy.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 15.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Edgar F. Kaiser,

President's Committee on Urban Housing; Gov. Otto Kerner, National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders; and Lloyd E. Clarke, president, National Association of Home Builders.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued hearings on S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system, with testimony from Representative Cahill; State Senator Karl V. Herrmann, Joint Interim Committee on Insurance of the Washington State Legislature; and Orman L. Vertrees, reporter, Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX ADJUSTMENT ACT

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, receiving testimony from Representative White; Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler; Charles J. Zwick, Director, Bureau of the Budget; and J. W. Kendrick, National Small Business Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Secretary Fowler and Budget Director Zwick.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, having as its witness William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Gaud.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Capt. Garth H. Read and Lt. Comdr. George Merritt, both of the Merchant Vessels Division; Comdr. Allan B. Rose, Law Enforcement Division, Port Security Branch; Albert E. Green, of the legal staff; and Lt. Joseph S. Anderson, Jr., Intelligence Branch, all of the U.S. Coast Guard.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 15.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on S. 1126 and S. 3098, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, with testimony from the following panel of witnesses: Peter Muirhead, Associate Commissioner for Higher Education, and James Moore, Division of Student Financial Aid, Bureau of Higher Education, both of the Department of HEW; Edson Sample, director of student financial assistance, Indiana University; Jack Critchfield, dean of students, University of Pittsburgh; Dr. Allen Purdy, director of student financial assistance, University of Missouri; Dr. Kenneth Reeher, Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency; Allen D. Marshall, United Student Aid Fund, Inc.; Dr. Charls E. Walker, American Bankers Association; and John I. Kirkpatrick, College Entrance Examination Board.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 25.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings on S. 3063, to provide employment and training opportunities for low-income and unemployed persons, having as its witnesses the following members of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders: Senator Harris; Otto Kerner, Governor of Illinois; and John V. Lindsay, mayor of New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 15923–15951; 18 private bills, H.R. 15952–15969; and 22 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1162–1171, H. Con. Res. 685–691, and H. Res. 1094–1098, were introduced. Pages 6320–6322

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14681, to declare a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable, amended (H. Rept. 1167);

H. Res. 1027, providing for the expenses of conducting studies and investigations incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended (H. Rept. 1168);

H. Res. 1045, to provide funds for the further expenses for the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 312 (H. Rept. 1169);

H. Res. 1042, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities, amended (H. Rept. 1170);

H.R. 10477, to increase the amount of home loan guarantee entitlement from $7,500 to $10,000, amended (H. Rept. 1171);

H. Res. 1094, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13541, to prohibit unfair trade practices affecting producers of agricultural products and associations of such producers (H. Rept. 1172);

H. Res. 1095, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15224, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 1173);

H. Res. 1096, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15364, regarding U.S. participation in the Inter-American Development Bank (H. Rept. 1174); and

H.R. 15710, to make the exemption from the prohibition against participation in political activities applicable to the Commissioner of the District of Columbia and the members of the District of Columbia Council (H. Rept. 1175). Page 6320

Pan-American Day: Adopted H. Res. 1092, designating Thursday, April 11, 1968, for the celebration of Pan-American Day. Page 6259

Cherokee Nation: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 536, to provide that the United States shall hold certain Chilocco Indian School lands at Chilocco, Okla., in trust for the Cherokee Nation upon payment by the Cherokee Nation of $3.75 per acre to the Federal Government, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 6261–6262

Presidential Message—Reorganization Plan No. 3: Received and read a message from the President transmitting Reorganization Plan No. 3 (D.C. recreation functions)—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 280). Pages 6262–6263

Presidential Message—Reorganization Plan No. 4: Received and read a message from the President transmitting Reorganization Plan No. 4 (D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency)—referred to the Committee on Government Operations and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 279). Page 6263

Presidential Message—Nation's Capital: Received and read a message from the President regarding the Nation's Capital—referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 278). Pages 6263–6267

Presidential Message—Urban Mass Transportation Agency: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the report of the Urban Mass Transportation Agency. The message was referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 281). Page 6268

Committee Expenses: The following committee expense resolutions were brought up, considered, and adopted:

H. Res. 1027, providing for the expenses of conducting studies and investigations incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended (by a voice vote);

H. Res. 1045, to provide funds for the further expenses for the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 312 (by a voice vote); and

H. Res. 1042, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities, amended (by a record vote of 343 yeas to 44 nays). Rejected the motion to recommit the resolution to the Committee on House Administration with instructions to hold open hearings on the request for funds (by a record vote of 78 yeas to 305 nays). Pages 6268–6276

Postal Field Service Overtime: By a record vote of 369 yeas to 14 nays, the House passed H.R. 14933, to modify certain provisions of title 39, U.S. Code, relating to hours of work and overtime for certain employees in the postal field service.

Rejected, by a voice vote, a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Adopted one amendment and rejected two others regarding limitations on premium pay.

H. Res. 1085, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 6276–6291

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 15693, extending the food for peace program. No announcements were made.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations approved for full committee action H.R. 15789, multiyear procurement.

The subcommittee also held hearings on H.R. 10573 and H.R. 13100, truth in negotiation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Minshall and Whalen and departmental witnesses.

HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary, HUD.

FEDERAL CITY COLLEGE BILL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 15280 and S. 1999, to qualify Federal City College for land grant. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

AGRICULTURAL LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 4769, as amended, to include agricultural workers under provisions of the National Labor Relations Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony

was heard from Joseph Palmer, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

U.S. ROLE IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future U.S. role in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Government Operations: Special Subcommittee on Invasion of Privacy continued hearings on commercial credit bureaus. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities continued hearings on a survey of Government activities, part 1, Civil Service Commission. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, and departmental witnesses.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 15688, to extend executive reorganization for 4 years. Testimony was heard from Phillip Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATION MISCELLANY

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H. Res. 1027, amended, providing for expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations;

H. Res. 1042, amended, authorizing the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities;

H. Res. 1045, to provide funds for the further expenses for the studies, investigations, and inquiries authorized by H. Res. 312, Committee on Science and Astronautics.

SALINE WATER CONVERSION—FOSS RESERVOIR

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

S. 2912, amended, to authorize funds for the saline water conversion project;

S. 1946, to amend the repayment contract with the Foss Reservoir Master Conservancy District.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2029, amended, to amend the National Traffic Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1936 relating to the application of certain standards to vehicles produced by small manufacturers.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

FEDERAL MAGISTRATES ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 continued hearings on S. 945, and related bills, the proposed Federal Magistrates Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Hungate; William T. Finley, Jr., Assistant Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; George Edwards, Circuit Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. Statements for the record were submitted by several U.S. commissioners.

STAMP REPRODUCTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 2622, to permit black and white and color reproductions of U.S. and foreign stamps. Testimony was heard from Representative Dulski, and other departmental and public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAMS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and held a hearing on H.R. 15189, to authorize certain Commerce Department maritime programs. Testimony was heard from James Gulick, Acting Administrator, Maritime Administration, and other departmental witnesses.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from Patrick V. Murphy, D.C. Director of Public Safety, and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Approved H.J. Res. 1052, employment opportunities for Vietnam era veterans, and a special subcommittee of the Committee on Rules to make a study and report back to the full committee with recommendations.

The committee also granted the following rules:

H.R. 13541, Agricultural Fair Practices Act, open rule with 2 hours of general debate;

H.R. 15364, Inter-American Development Bank, open rule with 2 hours of general debate;

H.R. 15224, Coast Guard Procurement authorization, open rule with 1 hour of general debate;

H. Res. 1052, create a select committee regarding official lapel buttons for Members of the House.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from public and departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

HOME LOAN GUARANTEE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 10477, amended, to increase the home loan guarantee entitlement from $7,500 to $10,000.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on Government procurement practices. Testimony was heard from Representative Cleveland and industrial witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6509–6559

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3155–3170; and S. Res. 264–265. Pages 6515–6516

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 6515

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments to various groups:

U.S. National Commission for UNESCO—Senator Spong;

U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Conference to be held in Honolulu, April 11–17—Senator Gruening in lieu of Senator Yarborough;

Ad Hoc Committee To Study Peaceful Uses of Sea-Bed and Ocean Floor to be held at New York City, March 18–22—Senators Pell and Cotton; and

Interparliamentary Union meeting to be held at Dakar, Senegal, April 15–21—Senators Monroney, Jordan of North Carolina, Yarborough, Hart, Allott, and Scott. Page 6573

Gold Cover: By 39 yeas to 37 nays, Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 14743, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes, after rejecting amendments, as follows:

By 18 yeas to 64 nays, modified Miller amendment No. 611 to limit net aggregate expenditures during fiscal 1969 to $139.4 billion, with exceptions for certain increases in defense costs and in interest on public debt, and providing that this legislation shall take effect upon enactment of a 10-percent income tax surcharge; by 17 yeas to 64 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Curtis amendment No. 606 to defer effectiveness of legislation until there is a balanced budget or the President submits an estimated balanced budget; by 35 yeas to 46 nays, Fannin amendment No. 608 providing for a study of U.S. gold policies if value of its gold stocks drops below $10 billion; by 37 yeas to 39 nays, modified Dominick amendment No. 610 providing that no nation, except for Great Britain, in arrears on debt to U.S. shall be entitled to exchange dollars for gold; and by 19 yeas to 58 nays, Allott amendment No. 609 barring issuance of Federal Reserve notes in any year if it will result in expansion of the principal amount of such notes by more than four per centum. Pages 6559–6577, 6579–6607

Standards and Conduct: Order was entered that when Senate completes its business on Friday, March 15, it will adjourn until noon Monday, March 18, when at conclusion of routine morning business Senator Stennis will be recognized to call up resolution on Senate standards and conduct. Page 6607

Courts: S. 989, to establish judicial machinery for the random selection of Federal juries, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Pages 6607–6610

Printing: Senate adopted S. Res. 265, authorizing printing of additional copies of Joint Economic Committee material respecting 1968 Economic Report of the President. Pages 6613–6614

International Claims: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 9063, to amend in several regards the International Claims Settlement Act, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Morse, Lausche, Hickenlooper, and Case. Page 6614

Nominations: Senate received 37 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral, and 37 postmaster nominations. Page 6614

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2891, 2986, and 3069, bills providing for extension of Public Law 480, Agricultural

Trade Development Assistance Act, receiving testimony from John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; Harry L. Graham, National Grange; Michael J. Norton, National Milk Producers Federation; Glen Hofer, National Association of Wheat Producers; Robert G. Lewis, a consultant of the D.C.; Dr. William C. Paddock, an author of the D.C.; and Mrs. John Durkovic, Silver Spring, Md.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Secretary of Agriculture Freeman, and others.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Roger L. Stevens, Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts; and Barnaby Keeney, Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 18, when Members of Congress will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, with testimony from Maj. Gen. Robert G. MacDonnell, President, Mississippi River Commission, and Division Engineer, Lower Mississippi Valley Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for projects in the Ohio River Division.

RESERVE PERSONNEL STRENGTH, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 3,549 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, also in executive session, committee held hearings on proposed legislation to prescribe authorized personnel strength of selected reserves of each Reserve component of the Armed Forces. Witnesses heard were Alfred B. Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Lt. Gen. Charles W. Rich, Chief, Office of Reserve Components, Army; Rear Adm. Julian T. Burke, Assistant Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Navy Reserve; Maj. Gen. Clifford Drake, Chief of Marine Corps Reserve; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. Tom E. Marchbanks, Jr., Chief of Air Force Reserve; and Rear Adm. Russell R. Waesche, Jr., Chief, Office of Reserves, Coast Guard.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Walter Reuther, president, UAW, and Jack Conway, Industrial Union Department, both of the AFL–CIO; Lon Worth Crow, Mortgage Bankers Association; and Eugene L. Stewart, Sursum Corda, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system, after receiving testimony from Craig Spangenberg, American Trial Lawyers Association; Prof. Jeffrey O'Connell, college of law, University of Illinois; Charles L. Rue, Jr., National Association of Mutual Insurance Agents; T. Lawrence Jones, president, who was accompanied by other officials of the American Insurance Association; Bradford Smith, Jr., Insurance Company of North America; Vestal Lemmon, National Association of Independent Insurers; and Wallace M. Smith, American Mutual Insurance Alliance.

It was announced that the record would remain open until Thursday, March 21, for the inclusion of additional written material.

D.C. POLICE, FIREMEN, AND TEACHERS PAY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for Metropolitan Police and D.C. firemen. As approved by the subcommittee, the bill would provide a minimum base salary for policemen and firemen of $7,500 retroactive to the first pay period after October 1, 1967, and would provide a second-step increase to a minimum salary of $8,000, effective July 1, 1968. Also, subcommittee added a new title to the bill providing a minimum base salary of $6,400 for D.C. teachers, effective the first pay period after October 1, 1967, and would provide a second-step increase to a minimum salary of $7,000, effective July 1, 1968.

Subcommittee also approved H.R. 12019, a private bill, exempting from D.C. taxation certain property of the B'nai B'rith Henry Monsky Foundation.

TAX ADJUSTMENT ACT

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations.

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on this bill after receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler, who was accompanied by Budget Director Charles J. Zwick.

NOMINATION, AND FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination

of Gardner Ackley, to be Ambassador to Italy, prior to which action, in open session, Mr. Ackley was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Following this action, committee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, receiving further testimony from William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SUPERGRADE POSITIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee concluded its hearings on the proposal of the Civil Service Commission to create 345 new supergrade positions, after receiving testimony from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary, Department of HUD; and Walter E. Washington, Commissioner of the D.C., accompanied by Deputy Commissioner Thomas W. Fletcher.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendments S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System.

It was announced that the full committee will meet in executive session on Thursday, March 21, to consider this bill.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 15970–15993; five private bills, H.R. 15994–15998; and 15 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1172–1173, H. Con. Res. 692–702, and H. Res. 1099–1101, were introduced. Pages 6502–6503

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct of the House of Representatives, 90th Congress, second session, under the authority of H. Res. 418 (H. Rept. 1176);

S.J. Res. 138, regarding Boy Scouts of America (H. Rept. 1177);

S. 2029, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act (H. Rept. 1178); and

H.R. 15344, regarding authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury (H. Rept. 1179). Page 6502

International Claims Settlement Act: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 9063, to amend the International Claims Settlement Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Kelly, Hays, and Frelinghuysen. Page 6481

Boy Scouts of America: Adopted S.J. Res. 138, regarding the Boy Scouts of America. Page 6482

Civil Rights: Objection was heard to a unanimous consent request to agree to Senate amendments to H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

Pages 6474–6481, 6489–6492, 6494–6496

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Adopted H. Res. 1031, amending H. Res. 101, 90th Congress, to authorize the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to conduct an investigation and study with respect to certain matters within its jurisdiction. Pages 6492–6496

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of March 20. Page 6494

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 15693, extending the food-for-peace program. No announcements were made.

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session and considered bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

ARMED SERVICES MISCELLANY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 approved for full committee action H.R. 5144, military records; and a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 12705, as amended, courts-martial. The subcommittee deferred action on H.R. 5783, military justice; and S. 2634, U.S. Court of Military Appeals.

The subcommittee held hearings on the bills before taking action. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Kenneth J. Hudson, Judge Advocate General of the Army; Maj. Gen. Carl C. Turner, the Provost Marshal General of the Army; and departmental witnesses.

DESIGN CONTRACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Investigations met in executive session and considered an award by the Navy of a design contract on the overhaul of the U.S.S. *Independence*. Testimony was heard from Navy and public witnesses.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from James Tate, mayor of Philadelphia, Pa., and public witnesses.

GREEK DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held a hearing on a proposed World Bank loan to the Greek Development Bank. Testimony was heard from Joseph W. Barr, Under Secretary of Treasury and Acting Chairman of the National Advisory Committee on International Monetary and Financial Affairs; and Livingston T. Merchant, U.S. Executive Director of the World Bank.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Schwengel and public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 14816, Occupational Health and Safety Act. Testimony was heard from George Meany, President, AFL–CIO, and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary of State for International Affairs.

U.S. ROLE IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 14701, to provide certain increases in annuities payable from the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability Fund. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman of the Civil Service Commission.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Government Operations: Special Subcommittee on Invasion of Privacy continued hearings on commercial credit bureaus. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15688, amended, to extend the executive reorganization provisions of title 5, United States Code, for an additional 4 years.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and continued a discussion on the future political status of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. No announcements were made.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 14742, to define equitable standards governing relationships between investment companies and their advisers and principal underwriters. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MASTER KEYS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 15215, and related bills, to provide criminal penalties for the manufacture, advertisement for introduction, or introduction into interstate commerce of motor vehicle master keys. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CORRECTIONAL SYSTEMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15216, to authorize the Bureau of Prisons to assist State and local governments in the improvement of their correctional systems.

MERCHANT MARINE MISCELLANY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held hearings on H.R. 487, pesticides-wildlife; H.R. 13523, Crab Orchard Wildlife Refuge; H.R. 11026, Fish and Wildlife conservation program. Testimony was heard from Representative Sikes and departmental and public witnesses.

SEA GRANTS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on H.R. 13835, sea grants program. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

HIGHWAY SAFETY

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program met in executive ses-

sion. The subcommittee announced a resumption of public hearings into alleged weaknesses in the design and operational safety of the Nation's highways. The initial phase of the inquiry will study the dangers of fixed objects and other roadside hazards. The hearings will resume in April.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development concluded hearings on environmental quality. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dingell, Matsunaga, and Tunney, and a departmental witness.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on government procurement practices. Testimony was heard from industry witnesses. Representative Friedel introduced a witness.

Friday, March 15, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6669–6691

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3171–3177; S.J. Res. 153–154; and S. Res. 266. Pages 6672, 6677

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, with amendments (S. Rept. 1014); and

S. Res. 266, to provide standards and conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate, with additional views (S. Rept. 1015). Pages 6677–6679

Committee Expenditures: The following three resolutions authorizing funds for Senate committee and subcommittee activities were taken up on motion and adopted, as indicated, motions to reconsider adoption being tabled in each instance:

S. Res. 208, providing $10,000 for additional expenses for Committee on Finance (without amendment);

S. Res. 228, $50,000 for Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences, after rejection, by 11 yeas to 42 nays, of modified Williams of Delaware amendment to reduce funds to $32,000 (without amendment); and

S. Res. 214, $130,000 for Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization of Committee on Government Operations (amended to $115,000).

Senate then adopted on call of calendar the following 38 additional resolutions authorizing funds for Senate committee and subcommittee activities (the latter 21 with committee amendment as indicated), motions to reconsider adoption being tabled in each instance—

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

S. Res. 225, $175,000 for Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of Committee on Armed Services;

S. Res. 226, $225,000 for Committee on Foreign Relations;

S. Res. 212, $90,000 for Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations of Committee on Government Operations;

S. Res. 219, $125,000 for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs investigations;

Seven resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on the Judiciary, as follows:

S. Res. 232, $200,000 for Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure;

S. Res. 235, $110,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments;

S. Res. 234, $8,500 for Subcommittee on Federal Charters, Holidays, and Celebrations;

S. Res. 239, $203,000 for Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery;

S. Res. 242, $5,000 for Subcommittee on National Penitentiaries;

S. Res. 241, $110,000 for Subcommittee on Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights; and

S. Res. 244, $46,500 for Subcommittee on Revision and Codification.

S. Res. 222, $75,000 for Subcommittee on Migratory Labor of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

S. Res. 229, $150,000 for Committee on Post Office and Civil Service;

S. Res. 230, $160,000 for Committee on Public Works;

S. Res. 210, $150,000 for Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections of Committee on Rules and Administration;

S. Res. 224, $67,000 for Subcommittee on Standing Rules of the Senate of Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 215, $145,000 for Select Committee on Small Business.

Resolutions adopted with committee amendment:

S. Res. 209, $145,000 for Committee on Banking and Currency investigations (amended to $120,000);

S. Res. 206, $163,000 for Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs of Committee on Banking and Currency (amended to $150,000);

S. Res. 252, $550,000 for Committee on Commerce (amended to $525,000);

S. Res. 207, extending employment of six clerical assistants of Committee on Finance (technical amendment);

Four resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on Government Operations, as follows:

S. Res. 216, $860,000 for Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (amended to $750,000);

S. Res. 211, $125,000 for Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures (amended to $105,000);

S. Res. 227, $87,000 for Subcommittee on Government Research (amended to $85,000); and

S. Res. 221, $148,000 for Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (amended to $130,000).

Eight resolutions for subcommittees of Committee on the Judiciary, as follows:

S. Res. 233, $587,500 for Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly (amended to $560,000);

S. Res. 236, $228,000 for Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights (amended to $210,000);

S. Res. 245, $125,000 for Subcommittee on Separation of Powers (amended to $90,000);

S. Res. 237, $130,000 for Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures (amended to $120,000);

S. Res. 238, $185,000 for Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization (amended to $170,000);

S. Res. 248, $426,800 for Subcommittee on Internal Security (amended to $400,000);

S. Res. 240, $235,000 for Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency (amended to $225,000); and

S. Res. 243, $108,215 for Subcommittee on Refugees and Escapees (amended to $105,400).

S. Res. 220, extending employment of additional professional and clerical staff for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (with amendments);

S. Res. 218, $110,000 for Subcommittee on Indian Education of Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (with clarifying amendment);

S. Res. 250, $135,000 for Committee on Public Works for additional studies;

S. Res. 223, $230,000 for Special Committee on Aging (amended to $200,000); and

S. Res. 247, $100,000 for extension of Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress through December 31, 1968 (amended to provide $50,000 through June 30, 1968). Pages 6692–6713

Gold Cover: S. 2857, to eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes, was indefinitely postponed. This bill is the companion measure of H.R. 14743, which was passed Thursday, March 14. Page 6715

Printing: Secretary of Senate was authorized to make technical corrections in engrossment of S. Res. 265, authorizing printing of additional copies of Joint Economic Committee report on the January 1968 Economic Report of the President. Page 6672

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: H. Gardner Ackley, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to Italy; and numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. Pages 6716–6717

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2891, 2986, and 3069, bills providing for extension of Public Law 480, Agricultural Trade Development Assistance Act, after receiving testimony from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman; William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID, and Eugene V. Rostow, Under Secretary for Political Affairs, both of the Department of State; Dr. Lee Hamilton, Office of the Assistant Secretary of HEW for Education; Ward Morehouse, New York University; Howard Wriggins, Columbia University; and Dr. Ellis Sandoz, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, receiving testimony from Col. J. A. Graf, Acting Division Engineer, Ohio River Division, Army.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 19, on funds for projects in the South Atlantic Division.

U.S. SUBMARINE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: The Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on the subject of the U.S. submarine program, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Navy Paul R. Ignatius; and Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Thomas H. Moorer.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Andrew Heiskell, Chairman, and William Slayton, both of Urban America; Fred C. Tucker, Jr., and W. P. Bridges, Jr., both representing the National Association of Real Estate Boards; Raleigh W. Green, Jr., National League of Insured Savings Associations; Fred Babson, representing National Association of Counties; and Robert L. Williams, American Institute of Planners.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15693, extending the food-for-peace program. No announcements were made.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session with Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary of State, and Richard C. Steadman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, and discussed the future political status of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. No announcements were made.

INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 14742, to define equitable standards governing relationships between investment companies and their advisers and principal underwriters. Testimony was heard from Manuel Cohen, Chairman, SEC, and public witnesses.

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Monday, March 18, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6797–6832

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3178–3184. Page 6798

Senate Standards of Conduct: Senate began consideration of S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate.

Senators Case and Clark were granted authority until midnight March 18 to file amendments to this resolution. Pages 6832–6852

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received. Pages 6855–6862

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senators Moss, Hart, and Metcalf on funds for items affecting their respective States; and Representative Kyl, on funds for the Lewis and Clark Trail Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from public witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Robert C. Moot, Administrator, Small Business Administration; T. Lawrence Jones, president, American Insurance Association, accompanied by his associates; Sterling T. Tooker, president, Travelers Insurance Companies; H. Richard Heilman, president, Insurance Company of North America; and Don J. DeBolt, Menswear Retailers of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISHERY CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 2553, to reallocate costs of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation, having as its witnesses Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary for Water and Power, Jim T. Casey, Bureau of Reclamation, and William M. White, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, all of the Department of the Interior.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses Matt Meyer, publisher, World Journal Tribune, New York; Bertram Powers, New York Typographical Union, No. 6; Thomas Murphy, Newspaper Guild of New York; and Walter Thayer, former president, New York Herald Tribune.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BRIDGES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings to receive testimony on the adequacy of bridge design criteria, safety inspection standards, and maintenance, having as its witness Lowell K. Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Transportation. Hearings continue tomorrow.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Thursday, March 21, on the nomination of Meriwether Lewis Clark Tyler, of New York, to be Alternate Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission. Mr. Tyler's name was incorrectly spelled in the DAILY DIGEST of March 15, 1968, page D211.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 15999–16031; 12 private bills, H.R. 16032–16043; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1174 and 1175, H. Con. Res. 703–713, and H. Res. 1102, were introduced. Pages 6796–6797

Member Sworn: Hon. Charles H. Griffin appeared in the well of the House and took the oath of office. Page 6737

Urgent Supplemental Appropriation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15399, the Urgent Supplemental Appropriation Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Kirwan, Whitten, Natcher, Flood, Bow, Jonas, and Laird. Page 6737

Private Bill: Adopted the conference report on S. 454, a private bill, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Page 6738

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Indian students: S. 876, relating to Federal support of education of Indian students in sectarian institutions of higher learning.

Indian judgment fund: S. 2336, to determine the respective rights and interests of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation and the Yakima Tribes of Indians of the Yakima Reservation and their constituent tribal groups in and to a judgment fund on deposit in the Treasury of the United States.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Ute Mountain Tribe: H.R. 14922, to amend Public Law 90–60 with respect to judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe.

Constantino Brumidi bust: H. Con. Res. 657, providing for ceremonies in the rotunda of the Capitol in connection with the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

U.S. Code: H.R. 202, to amend section 2735 of title 10 of the U.S. Code, to provide for the finality of settlement effected under sections 2732, 2733, 2734, 2734a, 2734b, or 2736 (76 Stat. 767).

El Dorado, Kans.: S. 1664, for the relief of the city of El Dorado, Kans.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2792. Pages 6738–6740

Suspension Passages: The following measures were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission: S. 793, to provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the U.S. to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission (cleared for the White House; passed by a voice vote). Pages 6740–6741

Civil Defense Act: H.R. 15004, to further amend the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950 to extend the expiration date of certain authorities thereunder (sent to the Senate; passed by a record vote of 319 yeas to 1 nay). Pages 6741–6743

Boston Inner Harbor: H.R. 14681, to declare a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable (sent to the Senate amended; passed by a voice vote). Pages 6743–6744

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BASIC FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Held hearings on the extension of the basic farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: The Subcommittee on Military Construction held hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Edward J. Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Properties and Installations; Dr. Louis M. Rousselot, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health and Medical; Brig. Gen. Robert B. Carney, Jr., Assistant Quartermaster General for Facilities Supply Department, Marine Corps; and Rear Adm. A. C. Husband, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Schweiker and public witnesses.

SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation continued hearings on H.R. 8416, 90, 6166, and S. 119, to establish a system of scenic or wild rivers, and related bills; the subcommittee also considered various House bills relating to individual rivers. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Subcommittee on Postal Operations held hearings on H.R. 15387, and similar bills, to provide for disciplinary action against employees in the postal field service who assault other employees so employed in the performance of official duties. Testimony was heard from Richard Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General and a public witness.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 6930–6941

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3185–3192; S.J. Res. 155; and S. Res. 267–268. Pages 6931, 6932

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: Report of Joint Economic Committee entitled "1968 Joint Economic Report," together with statement of committee agreement, with minority and other views (S. Rept. 1016). Page 6931

Measures Referred: Four House-passed bills and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 6948

Senate Standards of Conduct: Senate continued consideration of S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate.

Pending at adjournment was Clark amendment No. 623 (for himself and others) as a substitute for proposed new Senate rule 44 on disclosure of financial interests. Pages 6941–6943, 6948–6960

Nomination: One Air Force nomination in the rank of general was received. Page 6960

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee resumed its hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, having as its witnesses Dr. Mac C. Adams, Associate Administrator for Advanced Research and Technology; Milton Klein, Director, AEC–NASA Space Nuclear Propulsion program; and Gerald M. Truszynski, Office of Tracking and Data Acquisition, all of NASA.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of the Interior and related agencies, after receiving testimony from numerous public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, having as its witness Maj. Gen. T. J. Hayes, Division Engineer, South Atlantic Division, Army.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. SUBMARINE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed executive hearings on the subject of the U.S. submarine program, having as its witness John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Gov. Richard J. Hughes of New Jersey; Joseph Barr, mayor of Pittsburgh, and president, U.S. Conference of Mayors; Wallace Smith, American Mutual Insurance Alliance; Vestal Lemmon, National Association of Independent Insurers; and Richard L. Smock, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970, having as its witness William C. Foster, Director, who was accompanied by other officials of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FOREIGN AID SHIPMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures held hearings to receive testimony on alleged improper payments of port charges on shipments of foreign aid materiel, having as its witnesses Adm. John Harllee, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; Rutherford M. Poats, Deputy Administrator, AID; Ernest L. Kerley, assistant legal adviser, State Department; Thomas E. Street and Joseph A. Ryan, Jr., both of the Foreign Agricultural Service, De-

partment of Agriculture; Gail D. Wise, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; and Charles P. Taft, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid, Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its hearings on riots and civil disturbances in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from George Pruette, of WWJ News, Detroit, who gave the commentary on a moving picture film of the rioting; Gov. George Romney; Fred Davids, director of the Michigan State Police; and Maj. Gen. George Schmipke, adjutant general of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Michael D. Jaffe, general counsel, Liberty Lobby.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses Frank Tremaine, United Press International, New York City; Colin Miller, of Berkeley, Calif.; and Prof. Raymond Nixon, school of journalism, University of Minnesota.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 26.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed hearings on S. 470, granting consent of Congress to the Indiana-Illinois air pollution control compact, having as its witnesses Clarence Klassen, Illinois Air Pollution Control Board, testifying for Gov. Otto Kerner; William Stanley, director of air pollution, Chicago; J. Theodore Meyer, cochairman, Illinois Legislative Air Pollution Commission, Chicago; John R. Brough, director of air and water control, Inland Steel Co., Chicago; and Orville V. Bergren, Illinois Manufacturers' Association, Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow on proposed Mid-Atlantic States air pollution control compact.

BRIDGES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings to receive testimony on the adequacy of bridge design criteria, safety inspecton standards, and maintenance, having as its witnesses Vice Adm. Paul E. Trimble, Assistant Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; Brig. Gen. H. G. Woodbury, Jr., Director of Civil Works, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers; and John O. Morton, commissioner, New Hampshire State Highway Department, and Ward Goodman, director of highways, State of Arkansas, both representing the American Association of State Highway Officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 16044–16068; 16 private bills, H.R. 16069–16084; and 27 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1176–1187, H. Con. Res. 714–723, and H. Res. 1103–1107, were introduced. Pages 7010–7012

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1180);

H.R. 15856, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (H. Rept. 1181);

H. Res. 1103, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4282, to eliminate certain requirements with respect to effectuating marketing orders for cherries (H. Rept. 1182);

H. Res. 1104, providing for the consideration of H.R. 10477, to increase the amount of home-loan guarantee entitlement from $7,500 to $10,000 (H. Rept. 1183);

H. Res. 1105, providing for the consideration of H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection from radiation emissions from electronic products (H. Rept. 1184); and

H. Res. 1106, providing for the consideration of S. 2029, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Safety Act (H. Rept. 1185). Page 7010

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 2318.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 12073.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2281, 2282, 4058, 4386, 10327, 11381, 12119, H. Res. 991, S. 126, 155, 233, 909, 1040, and 1580.

Recommitted: H.R. 7210 and S. 321. Pages 6962–6963

Coast Guard Authorization: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 15224, to authorize appropriations for procurement of vessels and aircraft and construction of shore and offshore establishments for the Coast Guard.

Adopted committee amendments; and an amendment providing that none of the vessels purchased under the authorization shall be procured from other than U.S. shipyards.

Adopted, by a voice vote, H. Res. 1095, the rule under which the legislation was considered. Pages 6963–6968

Merchant Marine Academy: Received a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries appointing Representatives Down-

ing, Murphy of New York, and Mosher to the Board of Visitors of the Merchant Marine Academy. Page 6968

U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Received a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries appointing to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy Representatives Clark, Lennon, and Grover. Page 6968

Inter-American Development Bank: The House passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 15364, to provide for increased participation by the United States in the Inter-American Development Bank.

Rejected, by a record vote of 126 yeas to 271 nays, a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Adopted a committee amendment.

H. Res. 1096, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 6969–6980

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BASIC FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: The full committee held hearings on the basic farm program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Robert B. Carney, Jr., Assistant Quartermaster General for Facilities Supply Department, Marine Corps; and Rear Adm. A. C. Husband, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. No announcements were made.

MASTER OF MILITARY ART AND SCIENCE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 4 approved for full committee action H.R. 15231, to authorize the Commandant of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College to award the degree of master of military art and science.

Prior to reporting the bill the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 15231 and on S. 1036, Armed Forces contributions. Testimony was heard from Senator Ervin; Alfred B. Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower; Maj. Gen. Michael S. Davison, Commandant, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College; and Brig. Gen. William W. Berg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Personnel Policy.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing, continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Senator Javits. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Fino.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION FUND

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 15198, joint industry promotion fund. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: The full committee met in executive session and considered foreign aid. Testimony was heard from H. Rex Lee, Assistant Administrator for Administration, AID.

U.S. ROLE IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session and considered the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from Mrs. Clare Chennault.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations continued hearings on H.R. 14701, Foreign Service annuities. Testimony was heard from Idar Rimestad, Under Secretary of State for Administration and Chairman of the Board of the Foreign Service.

REORGANIZATION PLAN

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held hearings on the President's Reorganization Plan No. 1. Testimony was heard from Dr. Phillip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health and Scientific Affairs; John Finlator, Director, Bureau of Drug Abuse Control, FDA, HEW; and Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

SBA

Committee on Government Operations: Held a hearing on the Small Business Administration. Testimony was

heard from Robert C. Moot, SBA Administrator, and departmental witnesses.

SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation concluded hearings on H.R. 8416, 90, 6166, and S. 119, to establish a system of scenic or wild rivers. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INSURANCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held hearings on H.J. Res. 958, to authorize a study of existing compensation system for auto accident losses. Testimony was heard from Representative John Murphy; Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation; and public witnesses.

NOISE ABATEMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held hearings on H.R. 3400, to prescribe aircraft noise abatement regulations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and considered bills relating to natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15355, and related bills, LSD and hallucinogenic drugs. Testimony was heard from Dr. Stanley Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, and public witnesses.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The Subcommittee on Postal Operations concluded hearings on related bills to provide penalties for assaulting postal field employees. Testimony was heard from Representative Dulski and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Brasco, Derwinski, Fascell, Hamilton, and Pickle.

HANDICAPPED PERSONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Grounds and Buildings held a hearing on S. 222, public buildings-handicapped persons, and S.J. Res. 74, U.S. Captol Grounds. Testimony was heard from Senator Bartlett, Representatives Bennett, Clarence Long, Eilberg, Scheuer, Capitol Architect J. George Stewart, and departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Senator Randolph; and Representatives Cleveland, Edith Green, Fascell, Richard Fulton, and Charles Mathias.

MARKETING ORDERS FOR CHERRIES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 4282, eliminating certain requirements for obtaining marketing orders for cherries.

RADIATION CONTROL

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment on H.R. 10790, radiation control for health and safety.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY STANDARDS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on S. 2029, exemption from safety standards of limited motor vehicle production.

VA HOUSING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of general debate, making it in order to consider without intervention of any point of order the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment on H.R. 10477, Veterans' Administration law amendments.

RULES MISCELLANY

Committee on Rules: Postponed action on H. Res. 1093 and H. Res. 1097, supplemental investigative resolution of Banking and Currency Committee; and deferred final action until April 9, 1968, on H. Res. 1100, providing for consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation.

VETERANS' ADVISORY COMMISSION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Received a report of the U.S. Veterans' Advisory Commission from Robert McCurdy, Chairman, Advisory Commission.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulatory Agencies continued hearings on promotional practices of public utilities. Testimony was heard from Senator Metcalf and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, March 20, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7096–7130

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3193–3202; and S.J. Res. 156.

Pages 7097–7098

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3135, authorizing funds for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1969 (S. Rept. 1017). Page 7097

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 7097

President's Message—Science: President transmitted message with 17th annual report on National Science Foundation for fiscal year 1967—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 7096–7097

President's Communication—Export-Import Bank: Communication from President transmitting draft of proposed legislation to enable Export-Import Bank to approve extension of certain loans, etc., to improve balance of payments was received and referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 7097

Private Bill: S. 454, private bill, was cleared for President when Senate adopted conference report thereon.

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Appointments by Vice President: Vice President appointed Senators Yarborough and Javits to attend 52d session of International Labor Conference to be held at Geneva June 5–28.

Vice President appointed Senator Jordan of Idaho, in lieu of Senator Baker, to attend U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Conference to be held at Honolulu April 11–17. Page 7149

Senate Standards of Conduct: Senate continued consideration of S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate, rejecting, by 40 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment No. 623 (for himself and others) as a substitute for proposed new Senate rule 44 on disclosure of financial interests. Prior to vote on the amendment it had been modified in several respects by additions of language by Senators Clark and Case and by inclusion of Senator Miller's amendment No. 617.

Pending at adjournment was Curtis amendment No. 632, respecting custody and availability of papers filed with Comptroller General under proposed new rule 44 on disclosure of financial interests.

Pages 7130–7134, 7137–7164, 7166–7167

School Safety Patrol: S.J. Res. 72, to designate second week of May 1968 as National School Safety Patrol Week, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 7164

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, having as its witnesses Brig. Gen. F. P. Koisch, Division Engineer, North Atlantic Division, Army; and Vernon D. Northrop, Delaware River Basin Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Senators Kennedy, of New York, and Tydings; John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Carl Stokes, mayor of Cleveland; and A. O. Hunter, California State Commission on Housing and Community Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: S. 3102, to postpone for 2 years the date on which passenger vessels operating solely on the inland rivers and waterways must comply with certain safety standards; S. 3135, authorizing funds for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1969; S. 2123, providing for the control of the alewife and other fish which adversely affect the ecological balance of the Great Lakes (amended); H.R. 9473, authorizing Federal Maritime Commission to permit a carrier to refund a portion of freight charges collected from a shipper; H.R. 12639, to set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate (amended); H.R. 14401, granting to masters of certain U.S. vessels a lien on such vessels for wages and certain other disbursements; and an original concurrent resolution to provide for an expanded effort in weather predictions.

Also, committee, by a vote of 12 to 5, rejected S. 1365, to amend the Federal Power Act to exempt cooperatives and certain public utilities from FPC jurisdiction.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller, having as its witnesses

Lloyd E. Deilke, National Association of Direct Selling Companies, Winona, Minn.; Stephen Sheridan, Electrolux Corp., New York City; T. Spencer Knight, C. H. Stuart & Co., Inc., Newark, N.Y., who was introduced by Representative Horton; R. O. Lockman, the West Bend Co., Wisconsin; Fleetwood M. McCoy, an attorney for Fuller Products Co., Chicago; and Paul Stark, Stark Bros. Nurseries & Orchards Co., Louisiana, Mo.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to hear former Marine Corps Commandant, Gen. David M. Shoup, testify and answer questions with regard to the situation in Vietnam.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on riots and civil disturbances in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from Robert E. Dunne and Miss B. Crichton Jones, both of the subcommittee's staff; Laverne J. Anderson, a Treasury Department employee on detail to the subcommittee; and James Mitter and Donald Warda, both of whom are GAO employees detailed to the subcommittee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures held hearings on S. 1760, to abolish the death penalty under all laws of the U.S., having as its witnesses former Governor of Ohio Michael Di Salle, National Committee to Abolish the Federal Death Penalty; Clinton T. Duffy, former warden of San Quentin Prison, California; and James V. Bennett, former Director of the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow when testimony will be received from Attorney General Clark, and others.

HEALTH MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 3095, to extend and improve programs for training nurses and other health professions personnel, and S. 255, authorizing loans to students in the health professions outside of the U.S. Testimony was received from Dr. Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General, Dr. Leonard D. Fenninger, Bureau of Health Manpower, Ralph K. Huitt, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, and Dr. Thomas J. Kennedy, National Institutes of Health, all of the Department of HEW; Dr. William N. Hubbard and Dr. Robert Berson, both representing the Association of American Medical Colleges; Mrs. Evelyn Cohelen and Helen Conners, both of the American Nurses' Association; L. Ann Conley and Dr. Margaret Hardy, both of whom represented the National League for Nursing; Father T. Byron Collins, of Georgetown University; and the following representatives of the American Veterinary Medical Association: Dr. Frank Todd; Dr. W. T. S. Thorp, joint committee on education; Dr. Alvin A. Price, college of veterinary medicine, Texas A. & M.; and Dr. James E. Greene, school of veterinary medicine, Auburn University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 2350, granting consent of Congress to the West Virginia-Ohio air pollution control compact, and S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to the Mid-Atlantic States air pollution control compact, having as its witnesses Representatives Hechler of West Virginia and Murphy of New York.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 26, when officials of the Department of HEW will testify.

BRIDGES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded its hearings on the adequacy of bridge design criteria, safety inspection standards, and maintenance, after receiving testimony from Frank Masters, Jr., Harrisburg, Pa., representing the Consulting Engineers Council; John Pershing, International Bridge, Tunnel & Turnpike Association; Nomer Gray and Gerard F. Fox, both of the American Society of Civil Engineers; and Thomas M. Goodfellow, the Association of American Railroads.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 16085–16106; 15 private bills, H.R. 16107–16121; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1188–1192, and H. Con. Res. 724, were introduced.

Pages 7095–7096

Presidential Communication—Balance of Payments: Received and read a letter from the President regarding America's balance-of-payments position—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 285).

Pages 7061–7062

Presidential Communication—National Science Foundation: Received and read a communication from the President transmitting to the House the 17th annual report of the National Science Foundation—referred to the Committee on Science and Astronautics and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 284).

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Radiation Emissions: By a record vote of 381 yeas, the House passed H.R. 10790, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic products.

Adopted the substitute committee amendment.

H. Res. 1105, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 7062–7074

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CRUDE PINE GUM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2511, Crude Pine Gum Act of 1967.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held an open hearing on the bill. Testimony was heard from Representative Stuckey and departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Hagan.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. Robert B. Carney, Assistant Quartermaster General for Facilities Supply Department, Marine Corps; and Rear Adm. A. C. Husband, Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command. The hearings were continued until Monday, March 25, 1968.

SERVICEMEN'S REEMPLOYMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 3 approved for full committee action H.R. 1093, amended, servicemen's reemployment.

Prior to approving the bill, the subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 1093 and on H.R. 15348, special leave for voluntary duty in hostile areas, and H.R. 10897, travel allowances. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. William W. Berg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Personnel Policy.

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: The full committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 13217, Asian Development Bank.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigations Subcommittee held a hearing on bills related to providing an increase in the D.C. teachers' salaries. Testimony was heard from Walter Washington, D.C. Commissioner, and departmental and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Thomas R. Donahue, Assistant Secretary of Labor, and a public witness.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Full committee continued open hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from William S. Gaud, Administrator, AID.

U.S. ROLE IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and began the markup of H.R. 14701, Foreign Service annuities. No announcements were made.

REORGANIZATION PLAN

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on the President's Reorganization Plan No. 1. Testimony was heard from Attorney General Ramsey Clark; Henry L. Giordano, Commissioner of Narcotics, Treasury Department; and departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Conte.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The full committee met in executive session and considered H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project. No announcements were made.

INSURANCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance continued hearings on H.J. Res. 958, to authorize a study of existing compensation system for auto accident losses. Testimony was heard from Representative Cahill and public witnesses.

NOISE ABATEMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on H.R. 3400, to prescribe aircraft noise abatement regulations. Testimony was heard from Representative Celler and a public witness.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

STANDARDIZATION OF MAIL SIZES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional rates for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SUPERGRADES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15890, to provide for additional positions in certain executive agencies.

GEORGE WASHINGTON PARKWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 837, to further the completion of the George Washington Parkway in Prince Georges County, Md. Testimony was heard from Representative Machen, George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service, and public witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from Representative Nichols and departmental and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

B–52 CRASH AT THULE

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony regarding aftermath of the crash of a nuclear-weapons-carrying B–52 at Thule, Greenland, on January 21, 1968. Witnesses heard were Dr. Carl Walske, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Atomic Energy; Maj. Gen. Richard L. Hunziker, U.S Air Force; and Dr. Wright Langham, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, N. Mex.

Thursday, March 21, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7220–7249

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3203–3212; S.J. Res. 157; and S. Con. Res. 65–66. **Pages 7221–7223**

Bills Referred: By unanimous consent it was agreed that H.R. 10790, proposed Hazardous Radiation Act of 1968, and S. 3211, companion Senate bill, be referred to Committee on Commerce, and when that committee makes its report such bills shall be referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. **Page 7221**

Senate Standards of Conduct: Senate continued consideration of S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate, taking the following actions on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 41 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Case-Clark amendment No. 622 providing that allowable contributions to a Senator may be used only toward his nomination or his election; by 45 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Cannon amendment No. 630 to require application of same requirements to all candidates for Senate as would be imposed upon incumbent Senators by new proposed Senate rules 42 and 44 (acceptance of contributions; and disclosure of financial interests); by 43 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Anderson amendment No. 638 to except from provisions of proposed rule 43 (political fund activity by officers and employees) an assistant to a Senator compensated above a stated level, who has been designated in writing by him to perform any such functions, which shall be filed with Secretary of Senate for public inspection; Cannon amendment No. 616 expressing sense of Senate that requirements of the resolution be imposed uniformly in all branches of government; Allott amendment respecting return of papers filed with Comptroller General under rule 44 (disclosure of financial interests) after 7 years or after death or termination of service within 1 year; modified Curtis amendment No. 632 respecting custody and availability of papers filed with Comptroller General under proposed new rule 44; and Smith amendment to include Senate Chaplain among officers supervised by President pro tempore for purpose of proposed rule 41 respecting outside business, financial, or professional activity or employment.

Pending at adjournment was Miller amendment No. 617 to add other documents (such as certain trust agreements, corporation cumulative majority stock interests,

and partnership returns) to those required to be filed with Comptroller General under proposed rule 44.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that effective at conclusion of routine morning business on Friday, March 22, further debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; and that on question of adoption of the resolution there be limitation of 4 hours, equally divided. Pages 7249–7279

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAND CONSERVATION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Soil Conservation and Forestry held hearings on S. 1423, authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to enter into 10-year cost-sharing agreements with landowners for the use of lands and for soil and water conservation. Testimony was received from Senators Carlson, Monroney, and Bayh, the latter of whom submitted a written statement; Representative Schwengel; Hollis R. Williams, Soil Conservation Service, and Fred G. Ritchie, ASCS, both of the Department of Agriculture; Milton Fricke and George Bagley, both of the National Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts; Kenneth O. Pomeroy, American Forestry Association; Lyle Bauer, Kansas Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts; Howard Mendenhall and H. Phil Pearce, both of the Wabash Valley Association, Mount Carmel, Ill.; Lathrop E. Smith, Maryland Association of Soil & Water Conservation Districts; Carl J. Johnson, Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin; George D. Gettinger, representing the State of Indiana; Richard C. Longmire, soil conservation district supervisor, Paul's Valley, Okla.; Fred N. Pfeiffer, San Antonio River Authority, Texas; and Harry L. Graham, National Grange.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, having as its witnesses Col. Remi O. Renier, Division Engineer, New England Division, Corps of Army Engineers; Brig. Gen. W. P. Leber, Governor of the Canal Zone, and President of the Panama Canal Company; Robert G. Storey, Vice Chairman, Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Study Commission; and Louis Feil, Chief of the Planning Division, Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 29.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, having as its witnesses Senator Clark; former Senator Paul Douglas, Chairman, National Commission on Urban Problems; mayor of St. Paul, Thomas R. Byrne, National League of Cities; Mortimer Zuckerman, of Boston; and Robert Kerley, representing the American Council on Education, American Association of State Colleges & Universities, and the National Association of State Universities & Land Grant Colleges.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller, receiving testimony from Allen E. Backman, National Better Business Bureau, Inc., New York City; Edward J. McCabe, Jr., American Educational Publishers Institute; William P. Youngclaus, Jr., National Remodelers Association, New York City; James N. Doyle, Watkins Products, Inc., Winona, Minn.; Albert Walker, Watkins Quality Products, Los Angeles; Albert Haring, Indiana University, Bloomington; William F. Quirk, Commerce & Industry Association of New York; and Stanley E. Sacks, Tidewater Association of House-to-House Installment Cos., Norfolk.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research resumed its series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses E. Blythe Stason, dean, Vanderbilt University Law School; Gerald C. Brauer, director, Divinity School, University of Chicago; and Rev. Kenneth Vaux, director, Institute of Relations, Texas Medical Center, Houston.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on riots and civil disturbances in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from Ray Girardin, commissioner of police; John F. Nichols, superintendent of police; and Sgt. Arthur Howison and Patrolman Charles Henry, both of the Detroit Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MINERAL SHORTAGES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Minerals, Materials, and Fuels held hearings to receive testimony on shortages in certain minerals, and what steps are being taken to correct such shortages. Testimony was received from Dr. Walter R. Hibbard, Jr.,

Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, who was accompanied by his associates.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures continued its hearings on S. 1760, to abolish the death penalty under all laws of the U.S., having as its witnesses Philip Hansen, attorney general of Utah; Rev. Phale D. Hale, member, Ohio House of Representatives; G. Mennen Williams, former Governor of Michigan; Prof. Leon Radzinowicz, British criminologist and author, and member of England's Royal Commission To Abolish the Death Penalty; Prof. Thorsten Sellin, editor of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science; and Douglas Lyons, representing Citizens Against Legalized Murder.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Alvin M. David, Social Security Administration, Department of HEW; and Ross Flanagan, Friends Committee on National Legislation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HEALTH MANPOWER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on S. 3095, to extend and improve programs for training nurses and other health professions personnel, and S. 255, authorizing loans to students in the health professions outside of the U.S. Testimony was heard from Dr. Charles A. McCallum, Jr., American Dental Association; Reid Holmes, American Hospital Association; Dr. William A. Sodeman, American Medical Association; Dr. Clayton B. Ethridge and Dr. Robert G. Page, both of the American Heart Association; Dr. George L. Webster, Charles W. Bliven, and David S. Newton, all representing the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy; Miss Margaret L. Moore, University of North Carolina; and Miss Ruth Brunyate, American Occupational Therapy Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION, AND HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Meriwether Lewis Clark Tyler, of New York, to be Alternate Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission; and with amendments S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Tyler was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 16122–16141; 11 private bills, H.R. 16142–16152; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1193 and 1194, H. Con. Res. 725–730, and H. Res. 1108, were introduced. Pages 7300–7301

Motor Vehicles: By a record vote of 344 yeas to 2 nays, the House passed S. 2029, to amend the National Traffic and Motor Safety Act of 1966 relating to the application of certain standards to motor vehicles produced in quantities of less than 500.

Adopted the committee amendment.

H. Res. 1106, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was passed earlier by a voice vote.

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Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of March 27. Page 7287

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 15693, extending the food for peace program. No announcements were made.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved Army Disposal No. 263, Fort Totten, N.Y.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. No announcements were made.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NAVY CONTRACTORS AND PERSONNEL

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations held a hearing on the relation between Navy contractors and Navy personnel. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

M–16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the M–16 Rifle met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, to assist in the provision of housing for low- and moderate-income families, and to extend and amend laws relat-

ing to housing and urban development; and H.R. 15625, to provide for a national program to improve the availability of necessary insurance protection for residential and business properties against fires, crime, and other perils, through the cooperative efforts of the Federal and State governments and the private property insurance industry; to authorize Federal reinsurance with appropriate loss sharing by the States against insurance losses resulting from riots and other civil commotion. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15066, Vocational Education Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Thomas R. Donahue, Assistant Secretary of Labor and public witnesses.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION FUND

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15198, joint industry promotion fund.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from Covey T. Oliver, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs and U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress; and James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress.

REORGANIZATION PLAN

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization disapproved H. Res. 1101, to disapprove Reorganization Plan No. 1.

Prior to the action on H. Res. 1101 the subcommittee held a hearing on the President's Reorganization Plan No. 1. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

CAPE HATTERAS AND GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation approved for full committee action S. 561, to authorize appropriations for Cape Hatteras National Seashore; and H.R. 14704, authorizing the construction of an entrance road at the Great Smoky Mountain National Park in the State of North Carolina.

Prior to the subcommittee action a hearing was held on the bills. Testimony was heard from Representative Walter Jones; George B. Hartzog, Director, National Park Service, and public witnesses.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and considered H.R. 15355, LSD and hallucinogenic drugs. No announcements were made.

INSURANCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 958, amended, to authorize a study of existing compensation system for auto accident losses.

WEATHER

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and approved for full committee action H. Con. Res. 723, world weather watch.

FOREIGN TOURISTS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on H.R. 15651, to facilitate the entry of foreign tourists into the U.S. Testimony was heard from Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, Under Secretary of State; and Raymond F. Farrell, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

JUDICIAL REVIEW OF FEDERAL EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on S. 3, and H.R. 1198, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from Theodore Ellenbogen, Assistant General Counsel, HEW, and public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

SUPERGRADES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15890, amended, to provide for additional positions in certain executive agencies.

ARMED FORCES EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have served in Vietnam or elsewhere in obtaining suitable employment.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

Friday, March 22, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7348–7369

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3213–3219; and S. Res. 269.

Pages 7349–7355

President's Message—National Capital Housing Authority: President submitted message transmitting 1967 annual report of the National Capital Housing Authority—referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 7349

President's Message—Training: President transmitted report on employees who during fiscal year 1967 participated in training in non-Government facilities in certain courses and those who received awards or contributions—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 7349

Public Broadcasting: Senate passed without amendment S. 3135, authorizing funds for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1969. Page 7357

Senate Standards of Conduct: On Thursday, March 21, in the consideration of S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate, in addition to the amendments shown in DAILY DIGEST as having been adopted, Senate also adopted Smith amendment to include the Senate Chaplain among the officers supervised by President pro tempore for purpose of proposed rule 41 respecting outside business, financial, or professional activity or employment.

By 67 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted with amendments S. Res. 266, to provide standards of conduct for Members, and officers and employees of the Senate, after taking the following actions on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: Allott amendment for immediate notice to be given to individual concerned when Committee on Standards and Conduct has voted to conduct examination and audit of his report of personal financial interests filed with Comptroller General; a series of Dirksen amendments as follows: (1) Nos. 642 and 643 en bloc, providing that minority staff members of committees shall be under the supervision of the ranking minority Senator thereon under rule 41 respecting outside business, financial, or professional activity or employment, (2) modified amendment No. 644, continuing authority for contributions to a Senator or candidate for Senate when derived from a fund raising event sponsored by his political party, (3) modified amendment No. 646, providing that requirement for report on disclosure of financial interests shall include amount and value of each fee over $1,000 received from any source, (4) amendment No. 648, to eliminate requirement in rule 44 for filing with Comptroller General an individual's capacity and period of time with a business or enterprise from which he received compensation, but requiring disclosure of amount of such compensation; and (5) amendment No. 653, to remove any requirement for filing of income tax returns for prior years with Comptroller General under rule 44; by 43 yeas to 28 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Yarborough-Javits amendment to allow a Senator to accept contributions that may be used for travel expenses to and from his home State and for other stated expenses in conducting official duties (first adopted by voice vote but on reconsideration was adopted on record vote); modified Javits amendment No. 658, to eliminate requirement in proposed rule 41 that an officer or employee must receive permission from his supervisor to engage in any business or professional activity or employment for compensation but requiring submission of report to his supervisor of the nature of any personal service activity or employment, who shall then take any necessary action so there will be no conflict of interest or interference with duties to Senate; Bennett amendment respecting supervision of the staffs of the Offices of Secretary for the Majority and for the Minority; and Stennis amendments of a technical conforming nature; and

Rejected: Modified Miller amendment No. 617, to add other documents (such as certain trust agreements, corporation cumulative majority stock interests, and partnership returns) to those required to be filed with Comptroller General under rule 44; Pell amendment No. 639, to include the personal financial interests of the spouse among the items to be filed with the Comptroller General under rule 44; and, by 5 yeas to 65 nays, modified Dodd amendment No. 639, respecting discharge of debt of Senator incurred in efforts to obtain nomination or election, and the use of contributions arising from fundraising events. Pages 7369–7383, 7388–7408

Taxation: Senate took up H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations. Page 7408

Confirmation: Nomination of Meriwether Lewis Clark Tyler, of New York, to be Alternate Federal Cochairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission, was confirmed. Page 7415

Nominations: Two postmaster withdrawals were received. Page 7415

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded its series of hearings on several pending housing bills, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and S. 3028, which deals with the matter of urban insurance, after receiving testimony from Nathaniel Keith, National Housing Conference; James L. Bentley, National Association of Insurance Commissioners; Lewis E. Myers, National Parking Association; J. J. Barr, American Water Works Co., Wilmington, Del.; Berkeley G. Burrell, National Business League; Blue Carstenson, National Farmers Union; and Richard L. Fullerton, Richard L. Fullerton & Associates, Orlando, Fla.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its hearings on riots and civil disturbances in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from Lt. William R. McCoy of the Detroit Police Department; and Alphonse F. Calabrese, of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses Dr. Norman Shumway, division of cardiovascular surgery, Stanford University School of Medicine; Dr. Everett Mendelsohn, associate professor, history of science, Harvard University; and Dr. John A. Anderson, professor and head of pediatrics, University of Minnesota Hospital.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 27.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witnesses former Representative Howard W. Smith, of Virginia; and Paul J. McNichol, Assistant Director of the U.S. Information Agency for Security.

Hearings continue on Monday, March 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968; and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BISCAYNE NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held hearings on H.R. 551, 2085, 2129, 2422, 2769, 3918, and 5646, to authorize the establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in the State of Florida. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bennett, Fascell, and Rogers, and public witnesses.

Monday, March 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7515–7527

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3220–3224. Page 7516

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3033, increasing authorizations for continuing work on the Missouri River Basin project (S. Rept. 1018); and

H.R. 1308, to establish the Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site, Mass. (S. Rept. 1019). Page 7516

Private Bill: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 3216, private bill, which was then indefinitely postponed.

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Taxation: Senate considered H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, adopting (with one exception) all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of amendment. The exception to this action was committee amendment comprising section 5 of the bill respecting interest on industrial development bonds, which was pending at adjournment.

Pages 7527, 7530–7551

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Frank E. McKinney, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Spain; Robert Sargent Shriver, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to France; Wilbur J. Cohen, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; and Edward Clark, of Texas, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank, and also to be

commissioner of the Federal exhibit at the HemisFair 1968. Page 7551

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MICHIGAN NATIONAL BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on S. 356, permitting the establishment of various branch offices by the Michigan National Bank, Lansing, having as its witnesses Howard J. Stoddard, chairman of the board, Michigan National Bank; Richard M. Gillett, president, Old Kent Bank & Trust, Grand Rapids; Harold M. Karls, Second National Bank of Saginaw; and Martin Johnson, Union Bank & Trust Co. N. A.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on H.R. 15364, to increase by $1 billion authorized capital stock of the Inter-American Development Bank, receiving testimony from Under Secretary of the Treasury Joseph W. Barr and Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Robert M. Sayre.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the land and water conservation fund; and without amendment H.R. 1308, to establish the Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site, Mass.; H.R. 7325, a private bill dealing with land exchange in Albany, Oreg.; and S. 3033, increasing authorizations for continuing work on the Missouri River Basin project.

Also, committee approved a rehabilitation and betterment contract for the Carlsbad Irrigation District, Carlsbad project, New Mexico.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; Rev. Richard McSorley, professor of theology, Georgetown University; and Daniel O'Connor, American Legion.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education held hearings on S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education with testimony from Senators Metcalf, Spong, and Clark; and Harold Howe II, Commissioner of Education, who was accompanied by his associates of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Howe.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 32 public bills, H.R. 16153–16184; 22 private bills, H.R. 16185–16206; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1195–1197, H. Con. Res. 731–736, and H. Res. 1109–1111, were introduced. Pages 7513–7515

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13176, to authorize the State of Ohio to use the proceeds from sale of certain lands for educational purposes (H. Rept. 1186); and

Conference report on H.R. 11816, regarding benefits for law enforcement officers not employed by the United States who are killed or injured while apprehending violators of Federal law (H. Rept. 1187). Page 7513

Presidential Message—National Capital Housing: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the 1967 annual report of the National Capital Housing Authority—referred to the Committee on District of Columbia. Page 7448

President's Message—Training: President transmitted a report on employees who during fiscal year 1967 participated in training in non-Government facilities in certain courses and those who received awards or contributions—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 7448

Unfair Trade Practices—Agriculture: By a record vote of 232 yeas to 90 nays, the House passed H.R. 13541, to prohibit unfair trade practices affecting producers of agricultural products.

This passage was subsequently vacated and S. 109 was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture.

Adopted an amendment regarding deletion from the bill of the term "association of producers."; and a technical amendment.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Substitution of the language of S. 109 as introduced in the Senate; and

The inclusion of cotton or tobacco or their products under the provisions of the bill.

H. Res. 1094, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a record vote of 270 yeas to 39 nays. Pages 7448–7469

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 7488

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

KERR MEMORIAL

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 15822, Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center. Testimony was heard from Representative Albert and a departmental witness.

CROP INSURANCE

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 15895, to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Findley.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction held hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Guy H. Goddard and other Air Force witnesses.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from Covey T. Oliver, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, and James R. Fowler, Deputy U.S. Coordinator, Alliance for Progress.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and began markup of H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project. No announcements were made.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered bills relating to natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

Tuesday, March 26, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7661–7678

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3225–3233; and S. Con. Res. 67. Pages 7662–7664

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Con. Res. 67, expressing sense of Congress in favor of expanded effort in weather predictions (S. Rept. 1020). Pages 7663–7664

Massachusetts Historic Site: H.R. 1308, to establish the Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site, Massachusetts, was cleared for President's signature when it was passed without amendment. Page 7658

Missouri River Basin: Senate passed without amendment S. 3033, increasing authorizations for continuing work on the Missouri River Basin project. Pages 7658–7659

Taxation: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, adopting, by 51 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), the remaining committee amendment comprising section 5 of the bill respecting interest on industrial development bonds.

Senate rejected, as shown, the following two amendments proposed to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) constituting a proposed "Balance of Payments and Domestic Economy Act of 1968": by 33 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Long of Louisiana amendment to eliminate provisions for (1) freeze on number of civilian employees in the executive branch to those employed September 20, 1966, (2) moratorium on public works projects, (3) limitation on expenditures during fiscal year 1969 to $180.1 billion, except as to certain stated expenditures, and (4) instructions to Director of the Budget to reexamine current budget and to propose reduction of at least $10 billion in obligational authority. The Long amendment would have retained those basic provisions of the bill in the substitute, as well as the proposal in the substitute for surcharge on income tax for 1968 of 7.5 percent for individuals and 10 percent for corporations, and for 1969, 5 percent for each; and, by 35 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to eliminate provisions in the substitute for income tax surcharge.

Pending at adjournment was Hollings amendment No. 668 to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment (as a substitute for the bill) providing that quantity of textile articles entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption during any calendar year shall not exceed average annual quantity of such articles so entered or withdrawn for consumption during the 6 calendar years 1961–66.

It was agreed that at conclusion of routine morning business on Wednesday, March 27, debate will be limited on pending Hollings amendment to 1 hour, equally divided. Pages 7678–7755

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments:

Commission on the Revision of the Criminal Laws of the District of Columbia—Senators Bible and Prouty; and

U.S.-Mexico Interparliamentary Conference to be held at Honolulu April 11–17—Senator Griffin in lieu of Senator Hansen, excused. Page 7743

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Barry James Shillito, of Ohio, and Randolph S. Driver, of Pennsylvania, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; William K. Brehm, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; J. William Doolittle, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; two judicial; and five Army in the rank of general. Page 7755

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DOD SPACE PROGRAMS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on space programs of the Department of Defense from John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

FOOD FOR PEACE, AND OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments the following bills: S. 2986, to provide for a 3-year extension of Public Law 480, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act; H.R. 15398, to extend and expand food service programs for school children (one amendment would provide a 2-year extension for the school breakfast program); S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment; and H.R. 11527, relating to the conveyance of certain lands to the University of Maine.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs began hearings to receive testimony regarding the effect of past and pending railroad mergers on mass transportation, with testimony from Senator Javits; Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation; Paul J. Tierney, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Robert C. Wood, Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen, firemen, and teachers (amended); H.R. 12019, a private bill, exempting from D.C. taxation certain property of the B'nai B'rith Henry Monsky Foundation; S. 1864, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the D.C.; 2015, clarifying the duties of the D.C. Coroner concerning summoning of juries of inquest; S. 2017, authorizing the D.C. Commissioner to enter into contracts for maintenance of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings; S. 2496, authorizing reciprocal agreements for mutual aid between the D.C. police and local governments of the metropolitan area; and H.R. 5799, to provide that gifts to minors may be deposited in savings and loan associations and related institutions.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on the Judiciary, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 2015, 2017, 2496, and H.R. 5799.

D.C. NARCOTIC AND ALCOHOLIC LAWS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following bills:

S. 1514, relating to the rehabilitation of narcotic addicts in the D.C., with testimony from David G. Bress, U.S. Attorney for the D.C.; Robert F. Kneipp, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; and Dr. John D. Schultz, Associate Director for Mental Health and Retardation of the D.C.;

S. 1515, clarifying conditions under which intoxicated persons in the D.C. are subject to arrest, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp; Dr. John D. Schultz; and several local witnesses; and

S. 1740 and H.R. 14330, setting forth a program for the prevention of alcoholism, and for the rehabilitation of alcoholics, with testimony from Senator Tydings; Robert F. Kneipp; and Dr. John D. Schultz.

INTERNATIONAL GRAINS ARRANGEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on proposed International Grains Arrangement (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses John A. Schnittker, Under Secretary of Agriculture; William M. Roth, Special Assistant to the President for Trade Negotiations; and Jules Katz, Acting Director of International Commodities, Department of State.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, in executive session, resumed its hearings on planning, programing, and budgeting in the national security area, having as its witness Comptroller General of the U.S. Elmer B. Staats.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses Philip Hochstein, for-

mer executive editor, Newhouse Newspapers, Inc.; and the following members of the Federal Communications Commission: Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Robert B. Bartley, Robert E. Lee, James J. Wadsworth, Kenneth A. Cox, Lee Loevinger, and Nicholas Johnson.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witness Max Bishop, former Ambassador to Thailand, representing the World Affairs Council, Pittsburgh.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers began a series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view to determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other administrative agencies, are carrying out the intent of the Congress. Witnesses heard were Senator Griffin; John Kilcullen, who presented the statement of Fred A. Hartley, Jr., former Member of Congress from New Jersey; and Bernard Schwartz, professor, New York University School of Law. A written statement was submitted for the record by Senator McClellan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education, with further testimony from Harold Howe II, Commissioner of Education, Department of HEW, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL COMPACTS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution concluded its series of hearings on the following three bills: S. 470, granting consent of Congress to the Indiana-Illinois Air Pollution Control Compact; S. 2350, granting consent of Congress to the West Virginia-Ohio Air Pollution Control Compact; and S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to the Mid-Atlantic States Air Pollution Control Compact. Testimony was heard from Deputy Under Secretary Dean W. Coston, Surgeon General William H. Stewart, and Dr. John Middleton, National Center for Air Pollution Control, all of the Department of HEW.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee met in executive session to consider several organizational matters and adopted an agenda of proposed activities for this session of the Congress.

Also, committee presented a special certificate to Senator Sparkman in appreciation of his many years of service as chairman of the committee.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 16207–16227; 23 private bills, H.R. 16228–16240; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1198–1201, H. Con. Res. 737–739, and H. Res. 1112–1115, were introduced. Pages 7657–7658

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 658, providing for the printing of the proceedings in connection with the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi (H. Rept. 1188);

H. Res. 1112, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13738, regarding per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business (H. Rept. 1189);

H. Res. 1113, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15344, regarding authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury (H. Rept. 1190);

H. Res. 1114, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15856, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (H. Rept. 1191);

Private bills, S. 172, 948, 1052, amended, 1406, 2149, 2178, amended, 1608, H.R. 2263, amended, 2758, amended, 3010, amended, 4939, amended, 10989, amended, 12246, 12306, 12502, 12539, amended, 12816, 12894, 14323, and 15633 (H. Repts. 1192–1211).

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Constantino Brumidi: Adopted H. Con. Res. 658 providing for the printing of the proceedings in connection with the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi.

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Veterans' Housing: By a record vote of 366 yeas to 12 nays the House passed H.R. 10477, the Veterans' Administration Housing Law amendments.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the measure with instructions regarding housing credit shortage areas.

Prior to adoption of the committee amendment adopted an amendment to increase to $12,500 the amount of guarantee for any GI home loan.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Six percent interest rate limit on veterans' home loans;

Reconsideration of a limit on interest rates after a period of 1 year after enactment of the bill; and

Points and discounts on loans.

A point of order was sustained against an amendment.

H. Res. 1104, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 7612–7638

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR PEACE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16165, extending the food-for-peace program.

KERR MEMORIAL

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15822, to provide for the establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Arboretum and Nature Center.

AGRICULTURAL MISCELLANY

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 15895, to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act; the committee will consider H.R. 15895 again on April 1 and 2, 1968.

The committee also referred back to the Subcommittee on Oilseed and Rice S. 2511, Crude Pine Gum Act of 1967.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Guy H. Goddard and other Air Force witnesses.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION FUND

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15198, amended, joint industry promotion fund.

AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16014, to include certain agricultural workers under the provisions of the National Labor Relations Act.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued hearings on foreign aid. Testimony was heard from James P. Grant, Assistant Administrator of AID for Vietnam.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and considered H.R. 14701, Foreign Service annuities. No announcements were made.

MARITIME COMMISSION AND RENEGOTIATION BOARD

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on the Federal Maritime Commission and the Renegotiation Board. Testimony was heard from George H. Hearn, Vice Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, and Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman of the Renegotiation Board.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project.

REGIONAL HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held a hearing on H.R. 15758, regional medical program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Phillip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary of HEW, and departmental and public witnesses.

AVIATION SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on aviation safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1166, amended, natural gas pipeline safety.

CORRECTIONAL SYSTEMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15216, amended, to authorize the Bureau of Prisons to assist State and local governments in the improvement of their correctional systems.

STAMP REPRODUCTION

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15972, to permit black and white or color reproductions of U.S. and foreign postage stamps under certain circumstances.

MONDAY HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15951, Monday holiday observance.

PRIVATE IMMIGRATION AND CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and acted on several private claims and immigration bills.

FISH AND PROTEIN

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife held a hearing on H.R. 15490, fish and protein. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

MARINE RESOURCES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13781, amended, to amend title II of the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966.

POSTAL APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 8516, nonpolitical postal appointments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ROAD EROSION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing on H.R. 6854, and related bills, road erosion control. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kee and Landrum and J. C. Moore, Assistant Secretary of Interior, and public witnesses.

PURCHASE OF U.S. OBLIGATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 15344, extending for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES PER DIEM

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 13738, increase per diem allowance of Government employees.

NASA

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate on H.R. 15856, NASA authorization.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development held a hearing on the utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from Dr. Donald F. Hornig, Director, Office of Science and Technology, and Dr. Alvin M. Weinberg, Director, Oak Ridge, Tenn., National Laboratory.

CEMETERY ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Special Subcommittee on Cemeteries and Burial Benefits held a hearing on cemetery administration. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of the administration's balance-of-payments proposals. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

D.C. SCHOOL BOARD

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13042, to provide for an elected school board in the District of Columbia.

Wednesday, March 27, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 7818–7847

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3234–3248; and S. Res. 270–273.

Pages 7822, 7833, 7834

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2745, observing centennial of the signing of the 1868 Treaty of Peace between the Navajo Indians and the U.S. (S. Rept. 1021);

S.J. Res. 131, designating May 20, 1968, as "Charlotte, N.C., Day" (S. Rept. 1022);

H.J. Res. 933, to proclaim National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month, with amendment (S. Rept. 1023);

S. 1316, relating to the term of office and retirement benefits of referees in bankruptcy, with amendments (S. Rept. 1024);

S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad, with individual views (S. Rept. 1025);

S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal con-

trol of the Interstate Highway System, with amendments (S. Rept. 1026);

Ten printing resolutions from Committee on Rules and Administration (titles may be found under action of that committee today under "Committee Meetings")—S. Res. 271, S. Con. Res. 64 and 66, S. Res. 255, 258, 259, 261, and 269 (S. Repts. 1027–1034); and H. Con. Res. 658 and S. Res. 254 (S. Repts. 1036 and 1040, respectively);

Three joint resolutions of the Committee on Rules and Administration providing for appointments to Smithsonian Board of Regents (titles under action of that committee today)—S.J. Res. 142, 143, and 144 (S. Repts. 1037–1039);

H. Con. Res. 657, providing for ceremonies at unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi (S. Rept. 1035); and

S. Res. 272–273, providing for gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees (no written reports).

Pages 7821, 7834

Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 7821

Taxation: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations. The two amendments shown below as adopted were offered to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) but were by unanimous consent incorporated also in the original bill.

Adopted: By 55 yeas to 31 nays (motion to table reconsidered), Hollings-Thurmond amendment No. 668, providing that quantity of textile articles entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption during any calendar year shall not exceed average annual quantity of such articles so entered or withdrawn for consumption during the calendar years 1961 through 1966 (textile import quotas); and, by 57 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Murphy amendment to exempt from taxation the earnings from commercial advertising in a periodical published by a charitable or educational organization; and

Rejected: By 35 yeas to 54 nays, Hart motion to table Hollings-Thurmond amendment No. 668 (to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 as a substitute for the bill) described under "Adopted" above (textile import quotas); by 18 yeas to 74 nays, McGovern-Church amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the Williams-Smathers amendment No. 662 as a substitute for the bill), eliminating its expenditure reductions and income tax surcharge and imposing an excess profits tax; and, by 5 yeas to 86 nays, Hartke amendment to exempt individuals engaged in unincorporated trade or business from estimated tax payments.

Pending at recess was modified Mundt-Byrd (Virginia) amendment No. 671 to impose a 20-percent surtax on taxpayers trading with Communist countries supplying North Vietnam. It was agreed that Senate will vote on this amendment not later than 1 p.m. Thursday, March 28; that there be a 15-minute period for routine morning business after approval of the Journal; and that the remaining time before 1 p.m. be equally divided between proponents and opponents of the amendment.

Pages 7848–7899, 7902

Nomination Withdrawn: One postmaster nomination was withdrawn. Page 7902

Recess: Recessed at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S. SUBMARINE PROGRAM

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed executive hearings on the subject of the U.S. submarine program, receiving further testimony from John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued hearings on the effect of past and pending railroad mergers on commuter transportation, having as its witnesses Robert W. Minor, Penn Central Railroad; David J. Goldberg, department of transportation, State of New Jersey; Owen Clarke, Chesapeake & Ohio and Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, who also represented the Norfolk & Western Railroad; Richard Tomlinson, Reading Railway System; Harold Lenske and Richard M. Freeman, both of the Chicago Northwestern Railway; and Richard J. Mulhern, Boston & Maine Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FTC

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee began hearings on S. 3065 and S. 3066, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act, and S.J. Res. 130, to authorize the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvement industry. Witnesses heard were John J. O'Connell, attorney general, and Donald L. Navoni, assistant attorney general, State of Washington; Betty Furness, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and Margaret Dana, Consumer Relations Counsel, Doylestown, Pa.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on the following bills:

S. 766, increasing from 10 to 90 days maximum im-

prisonment for D.C. traffic violations, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.;

S. 1628, authorizing D.C. government to sue for delinquent taxes and obtain judgments in the courts of the States on a reciprocal basis, with testimony from Henry E. Wixon, Office of Corporation Counsel, D.C.;

H.R. 836, granting to nonresidents of the D.C. the exemptions from garnishment and attachment of wages afforded by their State laws, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp;

H.R. 3931, changing the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies to National Conference of State Societies, with testimony from Robert J. Schissell, past president, Conference of State Societies; and Robert F. Kneipp; and

H.R. 8581, to increase sales price for reports of opinions of U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C., with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp.

FOREIGN AID SHIPMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Aid Expenditures resumed hearings to receive testimony on alleged improper payments of port charges on shipments of foreign aid materiel, having as its witnesses Charles Hylander, International Operations Division, GAO; Joseph Ryan, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture; and James D. Dunlap, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research resumed its series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses Dr. William H. Stewart, Surgeon General of the U.S.; Dr. James L. Dennis, dean, medical center, University of Oklahoma; Dr. Eli Ginzberg, professor of economics, Columbia University; and Dr. John J. Conger, dean, school of medicine, University of Colorado.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TIWA INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 10599, assuring full citizenship rights to the Tiwa Indians of El Paso County, Tex.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

S. 2657, authorizing the use of judgment funds in favor of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington, with testimony from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and Robert D. Dellwo, an attorney of Spokane;

S. 2257, declaring that the U.S. holds in trust for the Washoe Tribe of Indians certain lands in Alpine County, Calif., with testimony from Senator Bible; Robert L. Bennett; and Alvin James and John Dressler, members of the Washoe Tribe;

S. 2701, providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont., with testimony from Robert L. Bennett; and John W. Cragun, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; and

S.J. Res. 157, relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak., with testimony from Robert L. Bennett.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of George I. Cline, to be U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Kentucky; Klyde Robinson, to be U.S. attorney for the district of South Carolina; Edward J. Schwartz, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of California; Leonard v. B. Sutton, of Colorado, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and James E. Atwood, to be U.S. marshal for the eastern district of Washington; H.R. 11254, a private bill; S. 1316, relating to the term of office and retirement benefits of referees in bankruptcy; H.J. Res. 933, to proclaim National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month; S.J. Res. 131, designating May 20, 1968, as Charlotte, N.C., Day; S. 2745, observing centennial of the signing of the 1868 Treaty of Peace between the Navajo Indians and the U.S.; and an original resolution requesting printing of additional copies of hearings before the Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee relating to firearms; 19 private immigration bills (S. 1000, 1069, 1749, 1960, 2165, 2250, 2311, 2371, 2378, 2383, 2448, 2469, 2491, 2501, 2504, 2506, 2581, 2585, and 2720); and two private claims bills (S. 2409 and S. Res. 113).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 36 private immigration bills (S. 42, 86, 231, 245, 246, 297, 309, 311, 346, 502, 689, 746, 806, 867, 920, 954, 972, 977, 1107, 1412, 1884, 2080, 2187, 2222, 2304, 2337, 2424, 2505, 2578, 2586, 2596, 2660, 2676, 2683; H.R. 1907, 6659).

Also, committee considered S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, took several actions on proposed amendments thereof, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, having as its witnesses Wes Gallagher, general manager, Associated Press; and Amon Carter Evans,

publisher, accompanied by John Siegenthaler, editor, Nashville Tennessean.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 29.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view to determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other administrative agencies, are carrying out the intent of the Congress. Today's witness was Bernard Meltzer, professor, Chicago University Law School.

Hearings continue on Friday, March 29.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: President Keith Spalding, Franklin & Marshall College; President John Oswald, University of Kentucky, and National Association of State Universities & Land-Grant Colleges; President Kermit Morrissey, Community College of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh, and American Association of Junior Colleges; and President Earle T. Hawkins, Towson State College, Baltimore, and Association of State Colleges & Universities, all of the American Council on Education; Dr. Charles F. Schuller, Michigan State University; Dean Robert F. Ray, University of Iowa, and Dean Thurmond J. White, University of Oklahoma, both of the National University Extension Association; Dr. Edmon Low, University of Michigan, Dr. Donald P. Culp, East Tennessee State University, and Dr. Robert M. Hayes, UCLA, all representing the American Library Association; and Dr. James Skipper, Princeton University, representing the Association of Research Libraries.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings to receive testimony on activities of the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration from the following Interior Department officials: Stewart L. Udall, Secretary; Max N. Edwards, Assistant Secretary; and Joe G. Moore, Jr., Commissioner, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: S. Con. Res. 64, to print additional copies of Government Operations Committee hearings relating to establishment of a Commission on Balanced Economic Development; S. Con. Res. 66, to print additional copies of hearings of the Committee on Aging relating to long-range program and research needs in aging; S. Res. 254, to print as a Senate document first annual report of the New England Regional Commission (amended); S. Res. 255, to print as a Senate document the first annual report of the Ozarks Regional Commission; S. Res. 258, to print as a Senate document History of the Committee on the Judiciary; S. Res. 259, to print as a Senate document report of Committee on Appropriations entitled "Federal Arctic Research"; S. Res. 261, to print as a Senate document report of Public Works Committee on air pollution by Federal facilities; S. Res. 269, to print additional copies of Senate Report 1006 entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States"; H. Con. Res. 657, providing for ceremonies in the rotunda of the Capitol upon the occasion of the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi; H. Con. Res. 658, to print as a Senate document proceedings of the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi; S.J. Res. 142, 143, and 144, reappointing Drs. Crawford H. Greenewalt, Caryl P. Haskins, and William A. M. Burden, respectively, as Citizens Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad; two original resolutions (S. Res. 272–273) providing for gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees; and an original resolution (S. Res. 271) authorizing printing as a Senate document revised edition of "Election Law Guidebook."

Also, committee approved (1) an amendment to the Senate travel regulations dealing with insurance fees on rented automobiles, (2) a contract between the Senate Committee on Public Works and two firms for making certain studies, and (3) a report on Senate committee use of services of personnel of Government agencies on a reimbursable basis during the previous year.

Committee also discussed, but deferred until its next meeting, the matter of S. Res. 13, to create a Standing Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Prior to approval of S. 2884, Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections approved this bill for full committee consideration.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 16241–16269; 16 private bills, H.R. 16270–16285; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1202 and 1203, H. Con. Res. 740–743, and H. Res. 1116 and 1117, were introduced. Pages 7981–7982

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15216, regarding improvement of State and local correctional systems, amended (H. Rept. 1212);

H.R. 15972, regarding reproductions of U.S. and foreign postage stamps under certain circumstances (H. Rept. 1213); and

H. Res. 1101, to disapprove Reorganization Plan No. 1, 1968 (to create a new Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs in the Department of Justice) (H. Rept. 1214). Page 7981

Benefits—Law Enforcement Officers: Adopted, by a record vote of 375 yeas, the conference report on H.R. 11816, to provide certain benefits for law enforcement officers not employed by the United States who are killed or injured while apprehending violators of Federal law, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 7904–7908

Cherries: By a record vote of 197 yeas to 185 nays, the House passed H.R. 4282, to eliminate certain requirements with respect to effectuating marketing orders for cherries.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. Res. 1103, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted by a record vote of 316 yeas to 44 nays. Pages 7908–7917

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 7981

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grain met in executive session and considered bills to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act. No announcements were made.

REPROGRAMING

Committee on Armed Services: Full committee met in executive session and approved four reprograming actions. Testimony was heard from Dr. E. Rechtin, Director, Advance Research Projects Agency, Department of Defense; Dr. Robert N. Anthony, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Comptroller; Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Installations and Logistics; and departmental witnesses.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. T. F. Caldwell, Jr., U.S.N., Director, antisubmarine warfare program.

M–16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on the M–16 rifle met in executive session and considered the M–16 rifle. Testimony was heard from Dr. Robert A. Brooks, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics; and Maj. Gen. Roland B. Anderson, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. Testimony was heard from Brig. Gen. J. C. Dalrymple and departmental witnesses.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from Floyd Hyde, mayor, Fresno, Calif., and public witnesses.

TEACHER'S SALARIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 14051, to amend the D.C. Teacher's Salary Act.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and considered H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15827, Vocational Rehabilitation Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 14314, trust funds for scholarships and child-care centers. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of foreign aid. Testimony was heard from James P. Grant, Assistant Administrator of AID for Vietnam; Philip C. Halib, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Richard C. Steadman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for East Asia and Pacific Affairs.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe continued hearings on East-West trade. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and disapproved H. Res. 1101, disapproving Reorganization Plan No. 1; and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15688, amended, extending the reorganization plan.

The committee also approved the following reports: "Unshackling Local Government" (rev. ed.); "Scientific Brain Drain from Developing Countries."

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8578, amended, land and water conservation fund amendments.

SALINE WATER

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2912, amended, saline water conversion authorization.

FOSS RESERVOIR CONTRACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1946, to amend the Foss Reservoir Master Conservancy District's repayment contract.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14074, authorizing construction of an entrance road at the Great Smoky Mountains National Park in North Carolina.

CAPE HATTERAS NATIONAL SEASHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 561, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Cape Hatteras National Seashore.

CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on H.R. 15986, to extend authorization for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. Testimony was heard from William Cary, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget, and a public witness.

AVIATION SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on aviation safety. Testimony was heard from F. Lee Bailey and other public witnesses.

REGIONAL HEALTH PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15758, regional health programs. Testimony was heard from Dr. Michael DeBakey and other public witnesses.

FEDERAL EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on H.R. 15450, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 15189, maritime authorization. Testimony was heard from Lawrence E. Imhoff, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Administration; James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator; and Philip S. Hughes, Bureau of the Budget.

ASCS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1028, with technical amendments, ASCS county office employees.

The subcommittee also held a hearing on wage board pay system in the Defense Department. Testimony was heard from Alfred Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense.

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15387, to provide for penalties for assaulting a postal field employee.

PAY ADJUSTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15395, amended (sec. 2), to provide salary step advancements and adjustments for employees moving to and from different pay systems.

PROJECT REVISIONS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved seven project revisions.

STANDARDS

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H. Res. 1099, to continue the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct as a permanent standing committee of the House.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

CEMETERY ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Cemeteries and Burial Benefits continued hearings on cemetery administration. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16241, travel tax.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to mark up S. 2880 and H.R. 14905, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, March 28, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8079–8109

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3249–3259; and S. Con. Res. 68.

Pages 8080, 8084

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7325, a private bill dealing with land exchange in Albany, Oreg. (S. Rept. 1041);

H.R. 5785, authorizing disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile (S. Rept. 1042);

H.R. 14367, authorizing disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile (S. Rept. 1043);

S. 1000, 1749, 1960, 2250, 2311, 2371, 2378, 2383, 2448, 2469, 2491, 2501, 2504, 2581 1069, 2165, 2506, 2585, 2720, 2409, H.R. 11254, and S. Res. 113, private bills and resolution (S. Repts. 1044–1065). Pages 8079–8080

Special Month: Senate passed with committee amendment H.J. Res. 933, to proclaim National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month. Page 8097

Auto Safety: S. 2029, relating to application of auto safety standards to vehicles produced in quantities of less than 500, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto.

Pages 8193–8194

Taxation: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 15414, continuing existing tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, taking the following additional actions on amendments offered to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill):

Adopted: Carlson-Tydings amendment No. 664 respecting tax-exempt status of certain hospital service organizations; by 50 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Ribicoff amendment to end tax-exempt status of industrial development bonds beginning in 1969 (also added to text of bill and motion to reconsider tabled); by 79 yeas to 5 nays Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment of a perfecting nature to the language imposing moratorium on public works projects in their substitute amendment No. 662; by 42 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Randolph amendment No. 675, to eliminate from Williams-Smathers substitute amendment No. 662 the entire provision for a moratorium on public works projects; Jackson amendment to include CIA among agencies exempt from employment freeze; and by 48 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) modified Dominick amendment No. 667 directing Secretary of Treasury to make demand for payment on all countries more than 90 days in arrears in payment of debts to U.S. (also added to text of bill by voice vote and motion to reconsider tabled); and

Rejected: By 38 yeas to 44 nays, modified Mundt-Byrd of Virginia amendment No. 671 to impose a 20-percent surtax on taxpayers trading with Communist countries supplying North Vietnam; and by 13 yeas to 62 nays, Monroney amendment No. 676 to lower proposed rates on income tax surcharge, to increase tax on liquor and cigarettes, and to reimpose certain excise taxes.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit debate to 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment to the Williams (Delaware)-Smathers substitute amendment No. 662 (except for Javits amendment No. 672, on which there may be debate of 2 hours, equally divided). There will be a limit of 4 hours of debate, equally divided, on the Williams-Smathers substitute amendment No. 662.

Pending at recess was Javits amendment No. 672 to exempt seven designated programs from expenditure reductions in Williams-Smathers substitute amendment No. 662. Pages 8109, 8111–8112, 8125–8194

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Leonard v.B. Sutton, of Colorado, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; and four judicial. Page 8195

Nominations: Two Army nominations in the rank of general; and numerous postmaster nominations were received.

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Recess: Recessed at 8:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Joe W. Fleming, Federal Cochairman, Appalachian Regional Commission; and Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, accompanied by Commissioners Kenneth A. Cox and Lee Loevinger, all of the Federal Communications Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from representatives of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges, National Association of State Water Conservation Districts, National Association of State Departments of Agriculture, and numerous other public witnesses representing various organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

F-111B, STOCKPILING, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to mark up proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, and announced that it had agreed to exclude the Navy F-111B program. Committee did not conclude marking up this proposed legislation and recessed subject to call.

Also, committee ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 5785, authorizing disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile, and H.R. 14367, authorizing disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile. Prior to this action, Subcommittee on the National Stockpile approved this legislation for full committee consideration.

Committee also approved 3,281 nominations in the Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs concluded hearings on the effect of past and pending railroad mergers on commuter transportation, after receiving testimony from William J. Ronan, Metropolitan Commuter Transportation Authority, New York City; Perry M. Shoemaker, the Central Railroad Co. of New Jersey; George L. DeMent, Chicago Transit Board; Leo J. Cusick, Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority; William J. Kirk, New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; and Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments the following three bills: S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system; S. 913, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers; and S. 758, to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to utilize its employees more effectively and to improve administrative efficiency.

FTC

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 3065 and S. 3066, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act, and S.J. Res. 130, to authorize the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvement industry. Witnesses heard were Francis A. Miskell, Commissioner, Office of Consumer Credit, State of Texas; John H. Haas, General Improvement Contractors Association, Washington, D.C.; William P. Youngclaus, Jr., National Remodelers Association, New York City; and Edwin S. Rockefeller, representing the National Chamber of Commerce, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses Chief Judge David Bazelon, U.S. Court of Appeals, D.C. Circuit; Dr. Joshua Lederberg, Stanford University School of Medicine, Palo Alto; Dr. Seymour S. Kety, Department of Psychiatry, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; and Dr. Jesse Edwards, a pathologist of Charles T. Miller Hospital, St. Paul, and president of the American Heart Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 1.

PALMETTO BEND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 2319, authorizing funds for construction and land acquisition in connection with the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas, with testimony from Senator Yarborough; Representatives Young and Pickle; Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary, Water and Power Development, accompanied by Harry P. Burleigh, Area Engineer, Bureau of Reclamation, Austin, both of the

Department of the Interior; Howard Boswell, Texas Water Development Board; Harrison Stafford, Jackson County (Tex.) Flood Control District; Larkin T. Thedford, County Judge, Jackson County (Tex.); and William N. Patman, State senator of Texas.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its executive consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, April 2.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Otto Kerner, of Illinois, to be U.S. circuit judge for the seventh circuit, with testimony from Senators Percy and Hruska, the latter of whom spoke in behalf of Senator Dirksen. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Prof. Joseph T. Sneed, Stanford University Law School; Dean Bayless A. Manning, Stanford University Law School; Dean John Scarlett, South Dakota University Law School; Robert M. O'Neil, professor of law, State University of New York at Buffalo; Dean Kenneth S. Tollett, Texas Southern University Law School; Prof. Morris L. Cohen, University of Pennsylvania Law School; Dean William B. Lockhart, University of Minnesota Law School; Dean Robert B. McKay, New York University Law School; and Prof. William W. Greenhalgh, Georgetown University Law Center, all representing the Association of American Law Schools; Brewster C. Denny, University of Washington, representing Council on Graduate Education for Public Administration; Earl M. Aldrich, Jr., University of Wisconsin; Carl J. Megel and Dr. Israel Kugler, both representing the American Federation of Teachers, AFL–CIO; Harry G. Green, Phillips Business College, Lynchburg, Va., representing the United Business Schools Association; and George T. Cody, Division of Social Studies, Cleveland Public Schools.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 2.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 16286–16305; five private bills, H.R. 16306–16310; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1204–1206, and H. Con. Res. 744–747, were introduced. Pages 8078–8079

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Scientific Brain Drain From the Developing Countries" (23d report) (H. Rept. 1215);

Private bills, H.R. 15591, S. 68, amended, 1129, amended (H. Repts. 1216–1218);

H.R. 15198, joint industry promotion fund, amended (H. Rept. 1219);

H.R. 15822, to provide for the establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Arboretum and Nature Center (H. Rept. 1220);

H.R. 13781, regarding extension of the Sea Grant College program, amended (H. Rept. 1221); and

H.R. 15190, regarding site for a sea-level Atlantic-Pacific Ocean Canal (H. Rept. 1222). Page 8078

Late Report: Permission was granted to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries to file a report by midnight Friday, March 29, on H.R. 15979, regarding the effect of pesticides on fish. Page 8057

Save Your Breath Month: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 933, proclaiming National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month. Pages 8057–8058

Purchase—U.S. Obligations: By a record vote of 359 yeas to 5 nays the House passed H.R. 15344, to extend for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency by a voice vote.

H. Res. 1113, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 8058–8062

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of April 3. Page 8062

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15146, amended, amending the Poultry Products Inspection Act.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction continued hearings on H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction.

BAND DIRECTORS AND DEPENDENTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 approved for full committee action H.R. 11466, Marine Corps band directors, and H.R. 15865, Armed Forces dependent definition.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing, to continue hearings on H.R. 15624, Hous-

ing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from Roy B. Martin, mayor, Norfolk, Va., and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15827, Vocational Rehabilitation. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on Foreign Aid. Testimony was heard from Paul C. Warnke, Assistant Secretary of Defense, and Vice Adm. Luther C. Heinz, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 3299, amended, Spokane Indian Reservation;
S. 1119, amended, Crow Indians;
H.R. 5704, Northern Cheyenne Indians;
H.R. 15271, Spokane Indian judgment funds.

The subcommittee also referred to the full committee for appropriate action H.R. 5705, Crow Indians.

Prior to action on the bills listed above the subcommittee held hearings on the bills and H.R. 15072, Indian lands. Testimony was heard from Representative Burton and departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Battin and Foley.

REGIONAL MEDICAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare concluded hearings on H.R. 15758, regional health programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 859, Public Utility District, Washington. Testimony was heard from Representative May and public witnesses.

FEDERAL EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on H.R. 1198 and S. 3, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MARITIME AUTHORIZATION, CANAL, COLLEGE, PESTICIDES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 15189, maritime program authorization;
H.R. 15190, study a site for a sea-level Atlantic-Pacific Ocean canal;
H.R. 13781, amended, extension of the Sea Grant College;
H.R. 15979, amended, effect of pesticides on fish.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15979, amended, effect of pesticides on fish; the subcommittee also considered and passed over S. 322, to restrict the disposition of National Wildlife Refuge System lands.

STANDARDIZATION OF MAIL SIZE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates held a hearing on H.R. 14029, to increase charges for nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POSTAL APPOINTMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on H.R. 8516, to remove politics from postal appointments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ALASKA HIGHWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 2124, to authorize funds for construction and improvement of the Alaska Highway. Testimony was heard from Representatives Olsen and Pollock, and Francis E. Turner, Director, Bureau of Public Roads, and departmental witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H. Res. 1100, providing for agreement to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2516, civil rights bill. Testimony was heard from Representative Celler.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

AEC AUTHORIZATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the Senate and House, respectively, original bills in lieu of S. 2880 and H.R. 14905, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Friday, March 29, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8267–8276

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3260–3264. Page 8267

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2986, to provide for a 3-year extension of Public Law 480, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 1066);

H.R. 15398, to extend and expand food service programs for schoolchildren, with amendments (S. Rept. 1067);

H.R. 11527, relating to the conveyance of certain lands to the University of Maine, with amendment (S. Rept. 1068);

S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment, with amendments (S. Rept. 1069);

H.R. 10599, assuring full citizenship rights to the Tiwa Indians of El Paso County, Tex. (S. Rept. 1070); and

S. 1401, to provide that receipts from mineral leases on offshore lands be deposited in the land and water conservation fund, with amendments (S. Rept. 1071). Page 8267

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 8267

D.C.: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 13042, to provide for an elected school board in the District of Columbia. Pages 8278–8281

Taxation: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 15414, continuing existing tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, taking the following additional actions on amendments offered to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 (in the nature of a substitute for the bill):

Adopted: Kuchel amendment No. 669 (for Dirksen) respecting advertising in a program of a national political convention (also added to text of bill and motion to reconsider tabled); modified Javits amendment No. 661 requiring President to submit proposals for comprehensive reform of the Internal Revenue Code by December 31, 1968 (also added to text of bill and motion to reconsider tabled); Baker amendment to exempt from freeze on number of Government employees, those employees of TVA engaged in its power program and paid from other than its appropriated funds; and

Rejected: By 22 yeas to 55 nays, Javits amendment No. 672 to exempt seven designated programs from expenditure reductions in the substitute amendment No. 662, after rejecting, by 17 yeas to 62 nays, Clark amendment No. 680 (to Javits amendment No. 672) to provide so far as practicable that expenditure reductions be from those involving military and space; by 36 yeas to 40 nays, Javits amendment No. 670 to establish a Commission on Federal Budget Priorities and Expenditure Policies; and, by 37 yeas to 38 nays, McGovern amendment to impose quotas on imported dairy products.

Carlson-Tydings amendment No. 664 respecting tax-exempt status of certain hospital service organizations (which had been adopted March 28 to Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662 in the nature of a substitute for the bill), was today also added to the text of the bill.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed numerous nominations in the Navy and Marine Corps and one in the Air Force. Page 8329

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Price Daniel, Director, James D. O'Connell, Assistant Director, and Director of Telecommunications Management, and other officials of the Office of Emergency Planning; and Manuel F. Cohen, Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 2.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with further testimony from several public witnesses on funds for various proposed items.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 1, to receive testimony from other public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, receiving testimony from Max N. Edwards, Assistant Secretary, and Joe G. Moore, Jr., Commissioner, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, both of the Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 2.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 15122, H.R. 15419, and S. 1843, protection of Indian rights. Testimony was heard from Representatives Berry and Denney and Indian and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Berry and Cunningham and Senator Ervin.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Held a hearing on H. Res. 1100, providing for agreement to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2516, civil rights bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dingell and Byron Rogers.

Monday, April 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8409–8449

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3265–3266; and S. Res. 274.

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President's Communication—Wilderness: Communication was received from President urging Congress to make 26 additions to the Nation's wilderness system—referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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Agriculture: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 109, prohibiting discrimination against agricultural producer concerning his right to belong to an association of producers. Motion to reconsider concurrence was tabled. These actions cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 8418–8419

Taxation: Senate's unfinished business remains H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations. Pending at adjournment was question of adoption of Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662, as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the bill).

Pages 8449, 8464–8466

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar 40 measures, of which 19 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Indians: H.R. 10599, assuring full citizenship rights to the Tiwa Indians of El Paso County, Tex.;

Public lands: H.R. 7325, a private bill dealing with land exchange in Albany, Oreg.; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 11254.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S. 2745, observing centennial of the signing of the 1868 Treaty of Peace between the Navajo Indians and the U.S.;

Charlotte, N.C., Day: S.J. Res. 131, designating May 20, 1968, as "Charlotte, N.C., Day";

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 142, 143, and 144, reappointing Drs. Crawford H. Greenewalt, Caryl P. Haskins, and William A. M. Burden, respectively, as Citizens Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; and

Private bills: 13 private bills, S. 1000, 1749, 1960, 2250, 2311, 2371, 2378, 2383, 2469, 2491, 2501, 2504, and 2581.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Five private bills, S. 1069, 2165, 2506, 2585, and 2720.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Weather forecast: S. Con. Res. 67, expressing sense of Congress in favor of expanded effort in weather predictions;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 64, to print additional copies of Government Operations Committee hearings relating to establishment of a Commission on Balanced Economic Development;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 66, to print additional copies of hearings of the Committee on Aging relating to long-range program and research needs in aging;

Printing: S. Res. 255, to print as a Senate document the first annual report of the Ozarks Regional Commission;

Printing: S. Res. 258, to print as a Senate document history of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Printing: S. Res. 259, to print as a Senate document report of Committee on Appropriations entitled "Federal Arctic Research";

Printing: S. Res. 261, to print as a Senate document report of Public Works Committee on air pollution by Federal facilities;

Printing: S. Res. 269, to print additional copies of Senate Report 1006 entitled "The Migratory Farm Labor Problem in the United States";

Brumidi bust: H. Con. Res. 657, providing for ceremonies in the rotunda of the Capitol upon the occasion of the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 658, to print as a House document proceedings of the unveiling of the bust of Constantino Brumidi;

Printing: S. Res. 271, authorizing printing as a Senate document revised edition of "Election Law Guidebook"; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 272–273, providing for gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Resolution adopted with amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 254, to print as a Senate document first annual report of the New England Regional Commission. Pages 8419–8437

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed. Page 8470

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senator Metcalf, who submitted a statement; and representatives of farm organizations, national rural telephone associations, and other public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANK PROTECTION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on S. 3001, providing security measures to discourage robberies of banks and other financial institutions, having as its witnesses Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General; Peter Pitchess, sheriff of Los Angeles County; Robert J. Lally, chief of Maryland State Police, and member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police; and Ferris C. Lucas, National Sheriffs Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Kimbell Johnson, Director, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, and William P. Berzak, Chairman, Board of Appeals and Review, both of the Civil Service Commission.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view to determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other administrative agencies, are carrying out the intent of the Congress. Witnesses heard today were Senator Fannin; Derek Bok, professor of law, Harvard University; Cornelius J. Peck, professor of law, University of Washington; Harry H. Wellington, professor of law, Yale University; Mozard G. Ratner, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; and J. Mack Swigert, an attorney of Cincinnati.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 8.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed its hearings on S. 3063, to provide employment and training opportunities for low-income and unemployed persons, having as its witness John W. Gardner, former Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and presently chairman of the National Urban Coalition.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 3.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 55 public bills, H.R. 16311–16365; 24 private bills, H.R. 16366–16389; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1207–1213, H. Con. Res. 748–750; and H. Res. 1118 and 1119, were introduced. Pages 8406–8408

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15979, regarding the effect of pesticides on fish, amended, filed on Friday, March 29 (H. Rept. 1223);

Private bills, S. 107, amended, 1147, 1180, 1395, 1490, 1808, amended, 1483, and 1918 (H. Repts. 1224–1231);

Conference report on H.R. 13042, to provide for the election of members of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1232);

Private bills, H.R. 1527, amended, 4404 amended, 6655, amended, H. Res. 1098, to refer H.R. 1624 to the Court of Claims, H. Res. 1110, to refer H.R. 9752, to the Court of Claims, H. Res. 1111, to refer H.R. 1761 to the Court of Claims, S. 321, amended, 1828, 1829, 1968, 2005, 2022, and 2023 (H. Repts. 1233–1245);

H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce, amended (H. Rept. 1246);

S. 2912, to authorize appropriations for the saline water conversion program, amended (H. Rept. 1247);

H. Res. 1099, to amend H. Res. 418, 90th Congress, to continue the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, amended (H. Rept. 1248);

H. Res. 1119, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1099, to continue the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct as a permanent standing committee of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 1249);

Private bills, H.R. 6321, amended, S. 2078, 2132, 2139, 2176, 2193, 2248, amended, 2256, 2285, 2301, 2381, 2403, 2404, and 2489 (H. Rept. 1250–1263); and

H.R. 16241, to extend the tax on the transportation of persons by air and to reduce the personal exemption from duty in the case of returning residents (H. Rept. 1264). Page 8406

D.C. Criminal Laws: Appointed Representatives Whitener and Harsha as members of the Commission on Revision of Criminal Laws in the District of Columbia. Page 8345

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Prescription of fees: H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees; and

Ohio land sale: H.R. 13176, to authorize the State of Ohio to use the proceeds from the sale of certain lands for educational purposes. Pages 8345–8348

Suspension Passages: The House considered and passed the following bills under suspension of the rules:

Bureau of Prisons: H.R. 15216, to authorize the Bureau of Prisons to assist State and local governments in the improvement of their correctional systems (by a voice vote, amended). Pages 8353–8355

Reproduction of postage stamps: H.R. 15972, to permit black and white or color reproductions of U.S. and foreign postage stamps under certain circumstances (by a voice vote, amended). Pages 8355–8357

Noncombat activities-Armed Forces: H.R. 203, to provide for settlement, under international agreements, of certain claims incident to the noncombat activities of Armed Forces (by a voice vote, amended). Pages 8357–8359

Marine resources: H.R. 13781, to amend title II of the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 (by a voice vote, amended). Pages 8359–8360

Fish-wildlife: H.R. 15979, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, and pesticides (by a record vote of 333 yeas to 25 nays, amended). Pages 8360–8366

Independence National Historical Park: H.R. 6347, relating to the acquisition of property for the Independence National Historical Park (by a voice vote). Pages 8371–8374

Suspensions: The following bills failed to get the two-thirds vote necessary for passage under suspension of the rules:

Employer contributions: H.R. 15198, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances or a joint committee or joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective bargaining agreements (by a record vote of 219 yeas to 138 nays). Pages 8348–8353

Sea-level canal: H.R. 15190, providing for an investigation and study to determine a site for the construction of a sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans (by a record vote of 216 yeas to 137 nays). Pages 8366–8371

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION, FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered a clean bill introduced in lieu of the amended H.R. 15146, to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act.

The committee also considered and then discontinued consideration on H.R. 15895 and H.R. 8057, Federal Crop Insurance Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Findley.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15264, Housing and Urban Development Act, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from Frank Wozencraft, member, President's National Advisory Panel on Insurance in Riot Affected Areas, and Assistant Attorney General of the U.S.; Robert C. Wood, Under Secretary, Department HUD; and public witnesses.

URANIUM MINER'S COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 14558, uranium miner's compensation. Testimony was heard from Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary for Labor Standards, Department of Labor.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings in executive session on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Paul C. Warnke, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, and Vice Adm. Luther C. Heinz, Director of Military Assistance, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and considered the future political status of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; H.R. 15151, to promote the economic development of Guam; H.R. 7329, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam. No announcements were made.

CEMETERY ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Special Subcommittee on Cemeteries and Burial Benefits continued hearings on cemetery administration. Testimony was heard from William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, Veterans' Administration.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Wednesday, April 3.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through March 31, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	52	42	..
Time in session	274 hrs., 16′	148 hrs., 37′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	3,664	2,364	6,028
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	2,467
Public bills enacted into law	22	9	31
Private bills enacted into law	3	..	3
Bills in conference	3	8	..
Bills through conference	4	2	..
Measures passed, total	77	137	..
Senate bills	6	25	..
House bills	9	42	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	4	..
House joint resolutions	2	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	1	3	..
Simple resolutions	56	56	112
Measures reported, total	*164	*152	..
Senate bills	34	29	..
House bills	16	67	..
Senate joint resolutions	7	2	..
House joint resolutions	1	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	3	2	..
Simple resolutions	99	49	148
Special reports	7	16	..
Conference reports	..	5	..
Reported measures not acted on	72	94	..
Measures introduced, total	555	2,200	2,755
Bills	442	1,717	2,159
Joint resolutions	26	235	261
Concurrent resolutions	16	142	158
Simple resolutions	71	106	177
Quorum calls	25	37	..
Yea-and-nay votes	69	38	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 125 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 173 has been filed in the House.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through March 31, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 3,153, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,145
Unconfirmed	8
Air Force nominations, totaling 2,858, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,857
Unconfirmed	1
Navy nominations, totaling 3,116, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,116
Unconfirmed	None
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,537, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,537
Unconfirmed	None
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 731, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	45
Unconfirmed	686
Postmaster nominations, totaling 430, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	None
Unconfirmed	427
Withdrawn	3

Summary

Total nominations received	12,825
Total confirmed	11,700
Total unconfirmed	1,122
Total withdrawn	3

Tuesday, April 2, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8525–8542

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3267–3274; and S.J. Res. 158. Page 8528

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2123, providing for the control of the alewife and other fish which adversely affect the ecological balance of the Great Lakes, with amendments (S. Rept. 1072); and

S. 438, to provide additional assistance to areas suffering from major disasters, with amendments, and with separate views (S. Rept. 1073). Page 8527

Bills Referred: Seven House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 8554

President's Message—Communications Satellite: President transmitted Fifth Annual Report under the Communications Satellite Act of 1962—referred to Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences. Page 8525

President's Message—Appalachia: President transmitted the Second Annual Report of the Appalachian Regional Commission for fiscal year 1967—referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 8525

Private Bill: S. 2448, a private bill, was passed without amendment. Page 8521

Public Lands—Maine: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 11527, relating to the conveyance of certain lands to the University of Maine. Pages 8521–8522

Taxation: By 57 yeas to 31 nays, Senate passed H.R. 15414, continuing existing tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, after adopting, by 53 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware)-Smathers amendment No. 662, as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), which in addition to the basic language of the bill provides for (1) freeze on number of civilian employees in executive branch, (2) limitation on expenditures during fiscal year 1969, with certain exceptions, (3) Director of Budget to propose stated reductions of obligational authority in current budget, and (4) surcharge on income tax for 1968 and 1969. Prior to adoption of substitute amendment No. 662 it was further amended today by adoption of Long (Louisiana) amendment respecting operation of State laws with respect to family-planning services; and Williams (Delaware) amendment respecting special rule regarding payment of estimated tax by corporations due on April 15, 1968.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long (Louisiana), Smathers, Anderson, Williams (Delaware), and Carlson. Pages 8542–8568

Fish Concentrate: Senate passed without amendment S. 3030, authorizing funds to construct an experimental and demonstration plant to develop fish protein concentrate. Pages 8568–8569

Authority To Report: Extension of time was granted until April 17 for filing of the report of the Special Committee on Aging. Page 8528

Confirmation: Nomination of Edward Clark, of Texas, to be Commissioner for Federal exhibit at HemisFair 1968, was confirmed. Page 8593

Nominations: Senate received nominations of George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador at Large, and of Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany. Page 8593

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from several public witnesses on various items. Senator Dominick was present to introduce a representative of the Colorado Agricultural Experiment Station.

Today's session concluded testimony from public witnesses, and hearings will resume on Wednesday, April 17, with testimony from departmental officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, and Virginia Mae Brown, George M. Stafford, and Dale W. Hardin, members, all of the Interstate Commerce Commission; and Lawrence E. Hartwig, Chairman, and Thomas D'Alesandro, Jr., Herschel C. Loveless, and Jack Beaty, members, all of the Renegotiation Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Selective Service System and Federal Trade Commission.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf

of funds for his Department from Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, who was accompanied and assisted by his associates.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 5, when officials of related agencies will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for Army civil functions, receiving testimony from Col. Donald L. Wardle, Chief, Memorial Branch Department of the Army; and Henry P. Caulfield, Jr., Executive Director, Water Resources Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee resumed executive consideration of proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for military procurement, and announced that it had approved authorization of $287 million, which would include funds for development of a substitute for the recently cancelled Navy F–111B-type aircraft program.

Prior to this action, committee heard Secretary of the Navy Paul R. Ignatius and Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Thomas H. Moorer testify in connection with necessary budget adjustments resulting from the above-mentioned cancellation of the F–111B program.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to continue marking up this proposed legislation.

DIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from officials of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

BANK PROTECTION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions concluded its hearings on S. 3001, providing security measures to discourage robberies of banks and other financial institutions, after receiving testimony from Martin L. Schnider, Northern Virginia Savings & Loan Association, and the National League of Insured Savings Associations; Herman C. Eberts, First National Bank, Melbourne, Fla., and the ABA Insurance and Protective Committee; A. Wayne Jackson, Diebold, Inc., accompanied by Walter Crow; and Melvin Stack, American Insurance Association.

INTEROCEANIC CANAL

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 2948, authorizing funds to continue study to determine site for a sea-level canal through Central America, having as its witnesses Robert B. Anderson, Chairman, Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Commission; Brig. Gen. Charles C. Noble, Commission Engineering Agent, Corps of Army Engineers; and John S. Kelly, Division of Peaceful Nuclear Excavation, AEC.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its series of hearings on S.J. Res. 145, to establish a Presidential commission to conduct studies of social and legal implications of federally supported biomedical research and technology programs, having as its witnesses Dr. James Shannon, Director, National Institutes of Health, Department of HEW; and Prof. David Krech, Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed its executive consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, with testimony on such concentrations in West Germany from Prof. Egon Sohmen, Department of Economics, University of Saarlandes, Saarbrucken; Prof. Dr. Helmut Arndt, institute für konsentrationsforschung, Free University of Berlin; and Dr. Eberhart Gunther, president, Bundeskartellamt, Berlin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education held hearings on S. 3099, to consolidate and strengthen existing vocational and technical education programs, and related bills, with testimony from Representative Patman; and Dr. J. Graham Sullivan, Deputy Commissioner of Education, who was accompanied by other officials of the Office of Education, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution began hearings on S. 2525, providing stricter regulation of control of pollution from vessels using the navigable waters of the U.S., receiving testimony from Joe G. Moore, Jr., Commissioner Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, Department of the Interior; Carl C. Davis, General Counsel, Department of Commerce; and Col. Alvin F. Meyer, Jr., USAF, Environmental Pollution Control Committee.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL PROCUREMENT IN POVERTY AREAS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement held hearings to investigate the extent to which Federal procurement can be used to alleviate hard-core unemployment in urban and rural poverty districts. Witnesses heard were Howard J. Samuels, Under Secretary of Commerce; John M. Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Installations and Logistics, and Albert W. Lazure, Director for Small Business and Economic Utilization, both of the Department of Defense; and Dan Kimball and L. Wayne Mullane, both of Aerojet-General Corp., El Monte, Calif.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 16390–16425; 21 private bills, H.R. 16426–16446; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1214–1217, H. Con. Res. 751–753, and H. Res. 1120 and 1121, were introduced. Pages 8667–8668

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10417, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 1265);

H.R. 16324, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission (H. Rept. 1266);

Private bills, H.R. 8241, 12115, 15462 (H. Repts. 1267–1269);

Twenty-fourth Annual Report on "Unshackling Local Government" (H. Rept. 1270);

Report entitled "The Development of U.S. Private Enterprise in Developing Countries" (H. Rept. 1271);

H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have served in Vietnam or elsewhere in obtaining suitable employment (H. Rept. 1272); and

H. Con. Res. 723, to increase the accuracy and extend the time range of weather predictions (H. Rept. 1273). Page 8667

Fire Prevention-Control: The Speaker appointed Representatives Miller of California and Pettis to the National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control. Page 8593

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the White House: S. 172 and 1580.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 12119.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 2281, 2282, 4058, 4386, 10327, 11381, H. Res. 991, S. 126, 155, 233, 909, and 1040. Pages 8596–8598

D.C. Board of Education: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 13042, the District of Columbia Elected Board of Education Act, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Page 8598

Reorganization Plan No. 1: The House rejected H. Res. 1101, to disapprove Reorganization Plan No. 1 (to create a new Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs in the Department of Justice) by a record vote of 190 yeas to 200 nays, thus approving the plan. Pages 8601–8629

Taxation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15414, continuing existing excise tax rates on communication services and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, agreed to a conference with the Senate, and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, King of California, Boggs, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis. Page 8629

Communications Satellite: Received a message from the President transmitting the annual report regarding the Communications Satellite—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 295). Page 8642

Appalachian Regional Commission: Received a message from the President transmitting the Second Annual Report of the Appalachian Regional Commission—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed as a House document with illustrations (H. Doc. 294). Page 8642

Referrals: 26 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 8666

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY PRODUCTS INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16363, amended, Poultry Products Inspection Act amendments.

PERMITTEES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests held hearings on H.R. 11370 and H.R. 11360, compensate certain permittees where permits for summer or recreation-type residences on national forests lands are terminated and not renewed. Testimony was heard from Representative Dingell, and departmental and public witnesses.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. William C. Hushing, Commander, Portsmouth Naval Shipyard.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Service Academies met in executive session and considered pending business. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Army, Stanley Resor, and Army Chief of Staff, Harold Johnson.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing and Urban Development Act, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TEACHERS PAY—FEDERAL CITY COLLEGE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House a clean bill on D.C. teachers pay, and H.R. 15280, to make Federal City College a land-grant college.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15827, Vocational Rehabilitation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Gen. L. L. Lemnitzer, Supreme Allied Commander, U.S. European Command.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 14701, foreign service annuities. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and considered draft language for a resolution relative to the anniversary of the founding of the Pan American Union.

GOVERNMENT-REJECTED ITEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Special Studies Subcommittee, Special Inquiry on Consumer Representation in the Federal Government, held hearing on the sale to consumers of low quality government-rejected food and nonfood products. Testimony was heard from Dr. J. L. Goddard, Commissioner, FDA, and Brig. Gen. Robert E. Lee, Executive Director, Procurement and Production Directorate, Defense Supply Agency.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and continued consideration of the future political status of the Trust Territory of Pacific Islands. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING, WORLD WEATHER WATCH, INSURANCE

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H. Con. Res. 723, world weather watch;

H.J. Res. 958, amended, to authorize a study and investigation of motor vehicle accident insurance;

H.R. 15986, Corporation for Public Broadcasting authorization.

Prior to the full committee action the Subcommittee on Communications and Power approved for full committee action H.R. 15986.

MAIL STANDARDIZATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional postage charges for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

D.C. INTERSTATE SYSTEM

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 16000, D.C. Interstate System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Resumed hearings on H. Res. 1100, providing for consideration of H.R. 2516, to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Celler, Corman, and Whitener. Hearings will be continued on H. Res. 1100 on Thursday, April 4, 1968, at 10:30 a.m.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation and Pensions held a hearing on pending compensation increase bills for service connected disabled veterans. Testimony was heard from representatives of veterans' organizations.

RENEGOTIATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered extension of the Renegotiation Act. No announcements were made.

Wednesday, April 3, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8838–8854

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3275–3279. Page 8841

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3262, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission (S. Rept. 1074);

H.R. 5799, to provide that gifts to minors may be deposited in savings and loan associations and related institutions (S. Rept. 1075);

S. 2015, clarifying the duties of the D.C. Coroner concerning summoning of juries of inquest, with amendment (S. Rept. 1076); and

S. 2496, authorizing reciprocal agreements for mutual aid between the D.C. police and local governments of the metropolitan area, with amendments (S. Rept. 1077). Page 8841

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 8841

President's Message—Food for Freedom: President transmitted 1967 Report on Food for Freedom program—referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 8840

Tariff: Senate rescinded its action after earlier passing with committee amendments H.R. 2155, revising tariff schedules with respect to classification of Chinese gooseberries. Page 8843

Private Bill: S. 2409, private bill, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 8843–8844

Food for Freedom: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2986, to provide for a 3-year extension of Public Law 480 of the 83d Congress, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act. Pages 8844–8845

Fishing Vessels Seizure: By 49 yeas to 24 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 2269, regarding unlawful seizure of U.S. fishing vessels by foreign countries, after adopting committee amendments and taking the following actions on other amendments to the bill:

Adopted: By 69 yeas to 9 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Kuchel amendment to suspend foreign aid to any country failing to repay U.S. for its indemnification for a fishing vessel unlawfully seized by such country until Secretary of State certifies to President such claim has been paid in full; and

Rejected: By 27 yeas to 50 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Lausche amendment (in nature of a substitute for Kuchel amendment No. 678 shown above under "Adopted") barring assistance to any country seizing or imposing sanction against U.S. fishing vessel in international waters until President determines such harassment has ceased. Pages 8854–8865, 8868–8882

Law Enforcement: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 11816, providing compensation to survivors of local law enforcement officers killed while apprehending persons for committing Federal crimes. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 8882–8884

Appointment by Vice President: It was announced on behalf of the Vice President that he has appointed Senator Moss in lieu of Senator Gore to attend Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Conference to be held April 11–17 at Honolulu. Page 8884

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed. Page 8884

Nomination: Nomination of Bernard Norwood, of New Jersey, to be a member of the U.S. Tariff Commission was received. Page 8884

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began hearings on proposed farm program, having as its witnesses Tony T. Dechant, president, who was accompanied by other members of the National Farmers Union; W. J. Grant and Patrick B. Healy, both of the National Milk Producers Federation; John C. York, Eastern Milk Producers Association; L. C. Carpenter, Midcontinent Farmers Association; and James H. Gilfoil III, Lake Providence, La.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; and Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, accompanied by Commissioner A. Everette MacIntyre, both of the Federal Trade Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Veterans' Administration.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original bill authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969. The bill would also prescribe authorized personnel strength of the selected reserves of each Reserve component of the Armed Forces.

It was announced that the report will be filed in the Senate sometime next week.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on S. 3133, to provide a 2-year extension of authority for more flexible regulation of maximum interest rates, with testimony from J. L. Robertson, member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Frederick L. Deming, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs; John E. Horne, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and William F. McKenna, who presented the statement of Raleigh W. Green, Jr., National League of Insured Savings and Loan Associations.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 2923, providing a 2-year extension of authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury, with testimony from J. L. Robertson and Frederick L. Deming.

COAST GUARD PROCUREMENT

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 3034 and H.R. 15224, authorizing funds for the procurement of vessels and aircraft and other Coast Guard facilities for fiscal year 1969, with testimony from Adm. W. J. Smith, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard; and Alan L. Dean, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Administration.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

OAS, AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY FUNDS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported Protocol of Amendment to the Charter of the Organization of American States, signed at Buenos Aires on February 27, 1967 (Ex. L, 90th Cong., first sess.).

Also, committee approved with amendments H.R. 14940, to authorize $17 million for activities of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970, of which amount $7 million would be for external research purposes.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee met to continue executive consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, but took no action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, with testimony from Dr. Eleanor Hadley, U.S. Tariff Commission; and Prof. Tsutomy Nakamura, Department of Economics, Nanzan University, Nagoya, Japan.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 5.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of William C. Keady, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Mississippi, with favoring testimony from Senators Eastland and Stennis.

This nomination was subsequently reported to the Senate and confirmed.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3099, to consolidate and strengthen existing vocational and technical education programs, and related bills, receiving testimony from Floyd D. Johnson, president, and Lowell A. Burkett, both of the American Vocational Association; Bill Elkins, of Dallas, president, National Association of Trade and Technical Schools; Hugh Calkins, Cleveland Board of Education, representing the National School Boards Association; John A. Rowell, American Library Association; Dr. John P. Mallan, American Association of Junior Colleges; and James R. Dorland, National Association for Public School Adult Education.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued its hearings on S. 3063, to provide employment and training opportunities for low-income and unemployed persons, and S. 3249, proposed National Manpower Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Mayor of Philadelphia James H. J. Tate, representing the National League of Cities; Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO; and Frank Riessman, New Careers Development Center.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 5.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of John Johnson, to be a member of the Advisory Board, Post Office Department; and 229 postmaster nominations.

Also, committee considered further the matter of proposed additional supergrade positions, but took no final action thereon.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 2525, providing stricter regulation of control of pollution from vessels using the navigable waters of the U.S., receiving testimony from Joseph E. Choate, National Association of Engine & Boat Manufacturers, Inc., New York City; Fred B. Lifton, Boating Industry Association, Chicago;

Tom S. Gable, Joint Committee for Water Craft Sewage Disposal Devices, National Sanitation Foundation, Ann Arbor; Harper H. Hull, American Boat & Yacht Council, Inc., New York City; E. S. Terwilliger, Yacht Safety Bureau, Inc., Westwood, N.J.; Alexander B. Hawes, The American Waterways Operators, Inc., Washington, D.C.; and Vice Adm. James A. Hirshfield, USCG (retired), Lake Carrier's Association, Cleveland.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL PROCUREMENT IN POVERTY AREAS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Government Procurement continued hearings to investigate the extent to which Federal procurement can be used to alleviate hard-core unemployment in urban and rural poverty districts. Witnesses heard were Commissioner Cyril Tyson, Manpower and Career Development Agency, New York City; Berkeley G. Burrell, Matthew Clarke, and Buxton W. Cooke, all of the National Business League; Stanley H. Ruttenberg, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower; Robert C. Moot, Administrator, Small Business Administration; and William Haskins, National Urban League.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 16447–16466; five private bills, H.R. 16467–16471; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1218 and 1219, H. Con. Res. 754–757, and H. Res. 1122–1127, were introduced. Pages 8837–8838

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16014, to amend the National Labor Relations Act (H. Rept. 1274);

H. Res. 1122, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15189, regarding maritime programs (H. Rept. 1275);

H. Res. 1123, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16241, to extend the tax on the transportation of persons by air (H. Rept. 1276);

H. Res. 1124, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 16324, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission (H. Rept. 1277);

H. Res. 1125, to provide for the consideration of H. Con. Res. 705, regarding Vietnam veterans' employment (H. Rept. 1278); and

Conference report on H.R. 15399, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 (H. Rept. 1279). Pages 8812, 8837

Presidential Message—Food for Freedom: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the report on the food-for-peace program—referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 296). Pages 8775–8776

Standards of Official Conduct: Adopted, by a record vote of 405 yeas to 1 nay, H. Res. 1099, to amend H. Res. 418, 90th Congress, to continue the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct as a permanent standing committee of the House of Representatives.

Adopted a committee amendment.

Rejected the Ottinger substitute amendment; and an amendment to eliminate fundraising testimonial dinners and regarding disclosure of sources of campaign funds.

A point of order against an amendment was sustained.

H. Res. 1119, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 8776–8812

Committee Appointments: Adopted H. Res. 1126, providing that the following-named Members be elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Banking and Currency: Representatives Wolff and Griffin.

Committee on District of Columbia: Representative Kyros.

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Representative Leggett.

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Representative Podell.

Read a letter of resignation from the Committee on Science and Astronautics from Representative Wolff. Page 8812

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 8837

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CRUDE PINE GUM ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests approved for full committee action S. 2511, Crude Gum Pine Act.

The subcommittee also held a hearing on H.R. 11370 and H.R. 11360, recreation use permit termination. Testimony was heard from Representative Harold Johnson and public witnesses.

SENTINEL ABM SYSTEM

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and considered all elements of the Sentinel ABM system. No announcements were made.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, Housing

and Urban Development Act, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mink and Ryan, and John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 15827, vocational rehabilitation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Gen. Theodore J. Conway, U.S.A., U.S. Commander in Chief, Middle East, Africa South of the Sahara, and Southern Asia.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and continued markup on H.R. 14701, Foreign Service annuities. No announcements were made.

GOVERNMENT-REJECTED ITEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Special Studies Subcommittee, Special Inquiry on Consumer Representation in the Federal Government, held a hearing on the sale to consumers of low-quality Government-rejected food and nonfood products. Testimony was heard from Dr. G. L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, and Dr. Keith Lewis, Chief, food protection program, PHS.

ICC

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Operations held a hearing on the ICC. Testimony was heard from Paul Tierney, Chairman, ICC.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 3299, amended, Spokane Indian Reservation lands;

H.R. 15271, Spokane Indian judgment funds;

H.R. 5705, amended, Crow Indian oil, gas, and mineral rights;

H.R. 5704, amended, Northern Cheyenne oil, gas, and mineral rights.

NOISE ABATEMENT—FREIGHT FORWARDERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and considered H.R. 3400, aircraft noise abatement, and H.R. 10831, to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. No announcements were made.

PENDING LEGISLATION AND PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and considered pending legislation. Testimony was heard from Miss Barbara Watson, Acting Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State, and other departmental witnesses.

Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FISHING VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13366, to exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the requirements of certain laws.

D.C. INTERSTATE SYSTEM

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 16000, D.C. Interstate System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TRAVEL TAX, MARITIME AND AEC AUTHORIZATIONS, VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Rules: Considered and granted the following rules:

H.R. 16241, travel tax, closed rule, waiving points of order, three hours;

H.R. 15189, maritime authorization, open rule, 2 hours debate;

H.R. 16324, AEC authorization, open rule, 2 hours debate;

H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans in obtaining employment, open rule, 1 hour debate.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from G. F. Tape, Commissioner, AEC, F. W. Lehan, Assistant Secretary of Transportation, and departmental witnesses.

COMPENSATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Compensation and Pensions continued hearings on compensation increase bills for service-connected disabled veterans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968.

TAXATION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing 10-percent surcharge on income taxes, continuing existing excise tax on communication and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but made no announcements, and will meet again on Friday, April 5.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 8944–8959

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3280–3286. Page 8947

Great Lakes Fish: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2123, providing for the control of the alewife and other fish which adversely affect the ecological balance of the Great Lakes. Pages 8945–8946

Interstate Highways: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2658, to raise the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate Highway System. Motion to reconsider passage of the bill was tabled.

Pages 8959, 8966, 8970–8981

Treaty Reported: Protocol of Amendment to the Charter of the Organization of American States (Ex. L, 90th Cong., 1st sess.) was reported (Ex. Rept. 1, 90th Cong., 2d sess.). Page 8945

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of John H. Johnson, of Illinois, to be member of Advisory Board for Post Office Department, and numerous postmaster nominations. Pages 8982–8983

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on proposed farm program, having as its witnesses Charles H. Shuman, president, American Farm Bureau Federation, accompanied by James D. Graugnard, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation; Harry L. Graham, the National Grange; Raymond D. Obrecht, Colorado State Grange, Elbert, Colo.; and John Heimburger, representing the Independent Milk Producers-Distributors' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their department from William J. Driver, Administrator, and other witnesses from the Veterans' Administration.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 9, on funds for the Federal Power Commission and Office of Science and Technology.

DEFENSE REPROGRAMING, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of William K. Brehm, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, Randolph S. Driver and Barry J. Shillito, to be Assistant Secretaries of the Navy, and J. William Doolittle, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; and seven Army nominations.

Prior to this action, committee held open hearings on the four aforementioned nominees.

Following this action, committee met jointly, also in executive session, with the Defense Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations, to consider three reprograming requests involving procurement by the Department of Defense of 1,075 aircraft at a cost of $447.3 million.

INTERNATIONAL GRAINS ARRANGEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on proposed International Grains Arrangement (Ex. A, 90th Cong., 2d sess.), receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Herbert E. Harris and John C. Lynn, both of the American Farm Bureau Federation; William R. Pearce, Grain & Feed Dealers Association; Dr. G. Burton Wood, Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.; N. R. Danelian, International Economic Policy Association; William F. Brooks, National Grain Trade Council, who submitted a statement; and David Johnson, an economist, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings on S. 47, S. 2116, and S. 2832, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses Edward R. Bagley, of New Canaan, Conn., representing the Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.; and Archer L. Bolton, Jr., of Lawrence, Mass., representing the National Association of Manufacturers.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, concluded action on S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, and ordered the bill favorably reported with amendments. It was announced that the bill and report will be filed in the Senate within 10 days.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3099, to consolidate and strengthen existing vocational and technical education programs, and related bills, and S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education. Witnesses heard were Dr. John L. Lumley, Richard Carrigan, and Clayton Seeber, all of the National Education Association; Howard Warrington, representing the American Book Publishers Association, and the American Educational Publishers Institute; Dr. Blue A. Carstenson, National Farmers Union; Dr. Paul Briggs, superintendent of schools, Cleveland, accompanied by Michael Annison, both of the Research Council of the Great Cities Program for School Improvement; and Hans Rosenhaupt and Peter H. Melvin, both of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Secretary of Labor Wirtz will testify.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 1248, providing Federal assistance in programs to prevent and control juvenile delinquency.

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON AGING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Aging, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S.J. Res. 117, stating the sense of the Congress that the President call a White House Conference on Aging in January of 1970.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution concluded its hearings on S. 2525, providing stricter regulation of control of pollution from vessels using the navigable waters of the U.S., after receiving testimony from Rear Adm. Charles P. Murphy, Chief, Office of Merchant Marine, Department of Transportation; William B. Matthews, Jr., Maryland State Department of Chesapeake Bay Affairs, and president of the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators; Jerry D. Maxa, Koehler-Dayton Co., Dayton, Ohio; Robert E. Synnestvedt, National Boat Federation; and the following panel of witnesses: Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; C. R. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Joseph W. Penfold, Izaak Walton League of America; and Roland Clements, National Audubon Society.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 16472–16489; 17 private bills, H.R. 16490–16506; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1220–1222 and H. Res. 1128, were introduced.

Pages 9059–9060

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15951, to provide for uniform annual observances of certain legal public holidays on Mondays (H. Rept. 1280);

H.R. 15986, to amend the Communications Act by extending the authorization of appropriations for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (H. Rept. 1281);

H.J. Res. 958, regarding compensation system for motor vehicle accident losses, amended (H. Rept. 1282);

H.R. 15688, to extend the executive reorganization provisions of title 5, U.S. Code, for an additional 4 years, amended (H. Rept. 1283);

H.R. 16489, Treasury-Post Office appropriation (H. Rept. 1284). Page 9059

Tax on Transportation: By a record vote of 279 yeas to 102 nays the House passed H.R. 16241, to extend the tax on the transportation of persons by air and to reduce the personal exemption from duty in the case of returning residents.

Adopted a technical amendment.

H. Res. 1123, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 8985–8991

Atomic Energy Commission Authorization: By a record vote of 381 yeas to 14 nays the House passed H.R. 16324, to authorize appropriations to the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with section 261 of the Atomic Energy Act.

H. Res. 1124, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 8991–9019

Urgent Supplemental Appropriation: By a voice vote adopted the conference report on H.R. 15399, urgent supplemental appropriations. By a record vote of 199 yeas to 189 nays adopted an amendment to Senate Amendment No. 6. Pages 9020–9032

Saline Water Conversion: By unanimous consent adopted S. 2912, the saline water conversion bill, together with committee amendments. Pages 9032–9034

Calendar Wednesday: By unanimous consent dispensed with calendar Wednesday on April 10, 1968. Page 9034

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 9059

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension held a hearing on H.R. 15030, Potato Research and Promotion Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mark Andrews, Evans, Hathaway, Harold Johnson, Walter Jones, Langen, Robert Mathias, and May, and departmental and public witnesses.

APPROPRIATION—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported favorably to the House the Treasury-Post Office appropriation bill.

ANTISUBMARINE WARFARE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered antisubmarine warfare. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. E. J. Fahy.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session and considered H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. No announcements were made.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing continued hearings on H.R. 15624, housing and urban development, and H.R. 15625, cooperative insurance. Testimony was heard from Representative Fraser and public witnesses.

URANIUM MINER'S COMPENSATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 14558, uranium miner's compensation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Gen. R. W. Porter, U.S.A., Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command.

FUTURE ROLE OF U.S. IN ASIA AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs continued hearings on the future role of the U.S. in Asia and the Pacific. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NEAR EAST AND SOUTH ASIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Near East met in executive session and received a briefing on the Near East and South Asia from Lucius D. Battle, Assistant Secretary of State, Near East and South Asian Affairs.

FOREIGN SERVICE AND DISABILITY FUND

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 14701, foreign service annuities. No announcements were made.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS—PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 acted on several private claims bills.

The subcommittee approved for full committee action H.R. 859, for the relief of Public Utility District No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash.

INTERSTATE DETAINERS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 15421, interstate detainers. Testimony was heard from Myrl E. Alexander, Director, Bureau of Prisons, and a public witness.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills:

S. 2531 and H.R. 13514, San Gabriel Wilderness;

S. 220 and H.R. 13797, sale of certain public lands; and

S. 1059, Alaska grazing leases.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Harrison, Lipscomb, Pollock, and departmental and public witnesses.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered S. 1166, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety. No announcements were made.

INCREASE INTEREST RATE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine approved for full committee action H.R. 14796, amended, to change provisions with respect to the maximum rate of interest permitted on loans and mortgages insured under title XI of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936.

Prior to action on the bill a hearing was held. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

ASCS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1028, with technical amendments, ASCS county employees.

D.C. INTERSTATE SYSTEM

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 16000, D.C. Interstate System. Testimony was heard from Representative Scott and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Continued consideration of H. Res. 1100, to provide for agreeing to Senate amendments to H.R. 2516, civil rights. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Charles Mathias, MacGregor, Reifel, and Sikes.

FEDERAL LABORATORIES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on the utilization of Federal laboratories. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a hearing on legislative programs of veterans' organizations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9135–9151

Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3287–3288; and S. Res. 275.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 9473, authorizing Federal Maritime Commission to permit a carrier to refund a portion of freight charges collected from a shipper (S. Rept. 1078);

H.R. 14401, granting to masters of certain U.S. vessels a lien on such vessels for wages and certain other disbursements (S. Rept. 1079);

S. 3102, to postpone for 2 years the date on which passenger vessels operating solely on the inland rivers and waterways must comply with certain safety standards (S. Rept. 1080);

H.R. 12639, to set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate, with amendments (S. Rept. 1081);

H.R. 12019, to exempt from D.C. taxation certain property of the B'nai B'rith Henry Monsky Foundation (S. Rept. 1082); and

H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen, firemen, and teachers, with amendments (S. Rept. 1083). Pages 9145–9146

Bill Placed on Calendar: One House-passed private bill was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 9136

Martin Luther King: Senator Mansfield offered for himself and Senator Dirksen the following condolence resolution which was adopted by unanimous consent: S. Res. 275, expressing sorrow on the tragic death of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., condemning his assassination, and expressing appreciation for his service and sacrifice in the tradition of non-violence in the struggle for social progress and human dignity. Page 9145

AEC Authorizations: Senate took up for consideration S. 3262, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission. Page 9149

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on proposed farm program, receiving testimony from Robert N. Hampton, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; Glen D. Hofer, National Association of Wheat Growers; Walter W. Goeppinger and John W. Curry, both of the National Corn Growers Association; Donald M. Mennel, National Soft Wheat Millers Association; and W. S. Bromley, American Pulpwood Association, New York City.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 8.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony from the following officials of related agencies: Frank W. McCulloch, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board; Howard F. Gamser, Chairman, National Mediation Board; Howard W. Habbermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; William E. Simkin, Director,

Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Lt. Gen. Albert Watson II, Governor, U.S. Soldiers Home; and Paul C. Tompkins, Executive Director, Federal Radiation Council.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 8, when HEW Secretary Cohen will testify.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on S. 3218, to improve the balance of payments by creating a special fund within the Export-Import Bank, having as its witnesses Harold F. Linder, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States; John R. Petty, Acting Assistant Secretary for International Affairs, Department of the Treasury; Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary for Domestic and International Business, Department of Commerce; who sat as a panel of witnesses; and M. R. Crockard, President, Bankers' Association for Foreign Trade, Vice President, Bank of the Southwest, Houston, Texas; Ellwood F. Curtis, President, Deere & Co., Moline, Illinois; Charles W. Stewart, President, Machinery and Allied Products Institute; who also sat as a panel of witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERNATIONAL GRAINS AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on proposed International Grains Arrangement (Ex. L, 90th Cong., 2d sess.), with testimony from Dr. Helen Farnsworth, Stanford University; Vernon C. Lee, Greater North Dakota Association; R. G. Houghtlin, National Soybean Producers Association; C. Allen Tom, National Association of Wheat Growers; Harry L. Graham, National Grange; Lloyd Fairbanks, National Farmers Union; and Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JUDICIAL IMPROVEMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 1351, to pay reasonable costs and fees to defendants in actions by the U.S. for condemnation of real property, with testimony from Senator Morse.

Subcommittee also held hearings on H.R. 13315, relating to territorial boundaries of the two Federal judicial districts of Virginia, with testimony from William E. Foley, Deputy Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, having as its witnesses Professor Giorgio Bernini, school of political science, University of Padova, Bologna, Italy; and Professor (Emeritus) P. Sargant Florence, department of economics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued its hearings on S. 3063, to provide employment and training opportunities for low-income and unemployed persons, having as its witnesses Mayor William F. Walsh, of Syracuse; Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro, of Baltimore; and George H. Esser, Jr., representing the National Association for Community Development, and the North Carolina Fund.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education continued its hearings on S. 3099, to consolidate and strengthen existing vocational and technical education programs, and related bills, and S. 3098, to extend and expand Federal programs for higher education, having as its witness W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 11552, for the relief of property owners in Tate County, Mississippi; and

H.R. 14005, regarding land disposition by Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Ordered reported to the full committee H.R. 13514, regarding the San Gabriel Wilderness.

Heard testimony from Representatives Whitten (H.R. 11552), Hammerschmidt (H.R. 14005), Departmental witnesses (all bills), and a public witness (H.R. 14005).

Joint Committee Meetings

TAXATION

Conferees, continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communication and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but made no announcements, and will meet again on Tuesday, April 9.

Monday, April 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9188–9202

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3289–3292; and S.J. Res. 159.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7909 and 2434, private bills (S. Repts. 1084–1085); and

S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system, with amendments (S. Rept. 1086). Page 9192

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar three bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C.: H.R. 5799 to provide that gifts to minors may be deposited in savings and loan associations and related institutions.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 2015, clarifying the duties of the D.C. Coroner concerning summoning of juries of inquest; and

D.C.: S. 2496, authorizing reciprocal agreements for mutual aid between the D.C. police and local governments of the metropolitan area. Pages 9188–9191

AEC Authorizations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 16324, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Motion to reconsider passage was tabled, and S. 3262, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 9203–9211

Passports: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 1418, to amend in several regards laws relating to passports. Pages 9211–9214

Voting Abroad: S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad, was passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled).

Pages 9221–9224

Treaty: By unanimous consent it was agreed that Senate will vote at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 10, on resolution of ratification of Protocol of Amendment to the Charter of the Organization of American States (Ex. L, 90th Cong., first sess.). Pages 9214–9221

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: J. William Doolittle, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force; William K. Brehm, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army; Randolph S. Driver, of Pennsylvania, and Barry James Shillito, of Ohio, each to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy; and seven Army in the rank of general.

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Nomination: Numerous Air Force and postmaster nominations were received. Pages 9227–9235

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee resumed its series of hearings on proposed farm program, having as its witnesses Edwin E. Marsh, National Wool Growers Association, Salt Lake City; Jack A. Crowder, National Association of Wool Manufacturers; Walter Collett, Oregon-Washington Vegetable and Fruit Growers Association, Salem; Edward B. Williams, National Association of Frozen Food Packers; and Herschel C. Ligon, Registered Farmers, Lebanon, Tenn.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from HEW Secretary Wilbur J. Cohen, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Food and Drug Administration.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs began executive consideration of pending housing legislation, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, dealing with urban insurance, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research began hearings on the subject of human resources development, having as its witnesses, Jackie Robinson, special assistant to the Governor of New York; and Mrs. Iola Taylor Hayden, director, Oklahomans for Indian Opportunity.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 10.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, having as its witnesses Prof. Jacques Houssiaux, faculty of law and economics, University of Nancy, Nancy, France; Prof. H. W. de Jong, Europa Institute, University of Leiden, Leiden, The Netherlands; and Prof. Corwin Edwards, Department of Economics, University of Oregon.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 10.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view to determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were Theophil C. Kammholz, an attorney of Chicago; Thomas E. Harris, Associate General Counsel, AFL–CIO; Leonard S. Janofsky, Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.; Prof. Sylvester J. Petro, New York University Law School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 16507–16526; and seven private bills, H.R. 16527–16533, were introduced. Pages 9187–9188

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 16409, to amend the District of Columbia Teachers' Salary Act of 1955 (H. Rept. 1285). Page 9187

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 9187

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S. AID OPERATIONS IN LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Government Operations: Foreign Operations and Government Information Subcommittee met in executive session and considered U.S. aid operations in Latin America. No announcements were made.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation approved for full committee action H.R. 15657, Missouri River Basin authorization.

Prior to action on the bill a hearing was held and testimony was heard from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

CARGO RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 163, to prevent vessels built or rebuilt outside the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Concluded hearings on H. Res. 1100 and H. Res. 1118, relative to agreeing or disagreeing to Senate amendments to H.R. 2516, the civil rights bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Waggonner and Watson.

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Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on the proposed farm program, having as its witnesses Collier Wenderoth, Jr., Agriculture Committee, Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.; Frank Heffelfinger, Grain & Feed Dealers National Association; William A. Crabill and Charles R. Sayre, National Cotton Council of America; B. F. Smith, Delta Council, Stoneville, Miss.; P. R. Smith, Southern Cotton Growers, Winder, Ga.; Paul S. Ransom, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation; and Jack Hamilton, Louisiana Cotton Producers Association, Oak Ridge, La.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Wel-

fare, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Dr. James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, and Harold Howe II, Commissioner of Education, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session with CIA Director Richard Helms to discuss strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its executive consideration of pending housing legislation, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, dealing with urban insurance, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

SHIP CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 3016, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, having as its witnesses James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, and Lawrence E. Imhoff, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, both of the Commerce Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 16534–16562; 17 private bills, H.R. 16563–16579; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1223 and 1224, H. Con. Res. 758–760, and H. Res. 1129, were introduced. Pages 9333–9334

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15271, regarding funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Spokane Tribe of Indians (H. Rept. 1286);

H.R. 3299, regarding purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands on the Spokane Indian Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 1287);

S. 1119, to grant minerals, including oil and gas, on certain lands in the Crow Indian Reservation, Mont., to certain Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1288); and

H. Res. 1100, to provide for agreeing to the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2516) to prescribe penalties for certain acts of violence or intimidation (H. Rept. 1289). Pages 9332–9333

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: By a record vote of 342 yeas to 10 nays the House passed H.R. 16489, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969.

Rejected, by a record vote of 102 yeas to 250 nays, a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to reduce the postal operations appropriation by $121.2 million.

Adopted an amendment providing that total expenditures not exceed $7,461,423,000.

Rejected an amendment identical to the recommittal motion and amendments to reduce the postal operations appropriation by $30 million, and to reduce the plant and equipment appropriation by $20 million.

Pages 9283–9307

National Visitors Center: The Chair appointed as members of the National Visitors Facilities Advisory Commission Representatives Gray, Jones of Alabama, Fallon, Cramer, McEwen, and Schwengel.

Page 9317

Referrals: Four Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 9332

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15784, 1969 military construction. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Adm. Ulysses S. G. Sharp, Commander in Chief, Pacific.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action H.R. 14672, amended, relating to the acceptance of gifts for the benefit of Indians; and H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument in the State of South Dakota, to authorize exchanges of land mutually beneficial to the Oglala Sioux Tribe and the U.S.

Prior to reporting the bills the subcommittee held hearings on the following bills: H.R. 14672; H.R. 9098; S. 1173, to convey certain federally owned lands to the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma; and H.R. 15225, to place in trust status certain lands on the Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming. Testimony was heard from Representatives Berry and Edmondson, and Harry Anderson, Assistant Secretary of Interior for Public Land Management.

INTERSTATE DETAINERS—KANSAS CITY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 has approved for full committee action H.R. 15421, amended, interstate detainers; and H.J. Res. 1111, granting consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority by the States of Kansas and Missouri.

CARGO RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 163, cargo restrictions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MARINE SANCTUARIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on H.R. 11584, marine sanctuaries study. Testimony was heard from Representative Keith and public witnesses.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1100, providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2516, civil rights bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives McCulloch, Railsback, and Wiggins.

Joint Committee Meetings

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communication and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call, probably sometime after the Easter recess.

Wednesday, April 10, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9407–9448

Bills Introduced: 18 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3293–3310; and S. Res. 276.

Pages 9432, 9438

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969 (S. Rept. 1087);

H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970, with individual views (S. Rept. 1088);

Report of Committee on Government Operations entitled "AID's Mismanagement of Excess Property Program" (S. Rept. 1089);

H.R. 10477, Veterans' Administration housing law amendments, with amendments (S. Rept. 1090); and

S. Res. 276, authorizing additional $20,000 for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 9432, 9438

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees.

Pages 9407, 9493

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar seven bills, of which one was private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Merchant marine: H.R. 9473, authorizing Federal Maritime Commission to permit a carrier to refund a portion of freight charges collected from a shipper;

Merchant marine: H.R. 14401, granting to masters of certain U.S. vessels a lien on such vessels for wages and certain other disbursements;

D.C.: H.R. 12019, to exempt from D.C. taxation certain property of the B'nai B'rith Henry Monsky Foundation; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 7909.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

D.C.: H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen, firemen, and teachers.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Merchant marine: S. 3102, to postpone for 2 years the date on which passenger vessels operating solely on the inland rivers and waterways must comply with certain safety standards.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Auto insurance study: S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system.

Pages 9407–9430

Courts: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 159, authorizing transfer to a single district of civil actions involving one or more common questions of fact pending in different districts. This action cleared bill for President.

Pages 9448–9449

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate considered and rejected by 24 yeas to 54 nays conference report on H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968. Senate then further insisted on its amendments and asked for further conference with House. Javits motion was adopted that Senate conferees be instructed to insist upon the Senate amendments add-

ing $90,950,000 for school aid in impacted areas, $75 million for summer job program, $25 million for Headstart program, and $25 million for Farmers Home Administration.

Hill motion that Chair (Senator Hart) be authorized to appoint the conferees for further conference, was adopted, and Senators Holland, Ellender, Magnuson, Bible, McGee, Yarborough, Mundt, Smith, and Javits were appointed. Subsequently, on her request, Senator Smith was excused from service as a conferee.

Pages 9476–9499

Easter Recess: Senate adopted H. Con. Res. 761, providing that when the House adjourns on Thursday, April 11, it stand adjourned until Monday, April 22, after adopting Mansfield amendment providing that when Senate adjourns on Thursday, April 11, it stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 17. Page 9499

Taxation: H.J. Res. 1223, continuing until May 1, 1968, the existing excise tax rates on autos and communication services, was passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled), and cleared for President's signature.

Pages 9499–9502

Authority To Report: Time for filing of report of Special Committee on Aging was extended until April 29.

Page 9521

Ocean Cruises: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 12639, to set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate. Page 9520

Tariff: H.R. 2155, revising tariff schedules with respect to classification of Chinese gooseberries, was passed with committee amendments. Page 9520

School Food Services: Senate took up H.R. 15398, to extend and expand food service programs for schoolchildren, agreeing to the following unanimous consent request with respect to its consideration:

Immediately after conclusion of morning business of not more than 15 minutes on Wednesday, April 17, Senate proceed to consideration of the bill and that at 1 p.m. that day Senate will vote on committee amendment as a substitute for the House-passed language; that immediately thereafter the third reading of the bill be had on the bill, to be followed immediately by vote on final passage. The time prior to 1 p.m. shall be equally divided. Pages 9520–9521

Treaty Ratified: By unanimous vote of 75 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of Protocol of Amendment to the Charter of the Organization of American States (Ex. L, 90th Cong., first sess.). Page 9449

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: W. Marvin Watson, of Texas, to be Postmaster General; John H. Crooker, Jr., of D.C., to be member of Civil Aeronautics Board; and numerous Army and Coast Guard nominations. Pages 9523–9527

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued its hearings on the proposed farm program, having as its witnesses Dr. Willard F. Williams, Department of Agricultural Economics, Texas Technological College, Lubbock; Dr. Vernon W. Ruttan, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Minnesota, St. Paul; Dr. Daniel I. Padberg, New York State College of Agriculture, Cornell University; Milton E. Burns, B. & W. Co-op, Inc., Breckenridge, Mich.; Sydney L. Gross, Iowa Farmers Union, Clive, Iowa; Bob J. Hoffman, Harold Callahan, and Clifford Daleness, National Association of Farmer-elected Committeemen; and Lloyd J. Fairbanks, National Farmers Organization, Corning, Iowa.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs continued its executive consideration of pending housing legislation, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, dealing with urban insurance, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, April 18.

SHIP CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries continued its hearings on S. 3016, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, with further testimony from James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, and Lawrence E. Imhoff, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, both of the Department of Commerce. Testimony was also received from Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

BRIEFING BY SECRETARY RUSK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk testify and answer questions with regard to his recent attendance at the SEATO Council of Ministers meeting, and current negotiations with North Vietnam.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to receive testimony from Bill Baggs, editor, Miami, Fla., News; and Harry Ashmore, for-

merly of the Arkansas Gazette, and presently affiliated with the Center for Democratic Institutions, Los Angeles. The witnesses testified and were questioned with regard to their trip in 1967 to Hanoi.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its hearings on the subject of human resources development, having as its witnesses L. J. Twomey, S.J., director, Institute of Human Relations, Loyola University, New Orleans; Barry Passett, director, New Jersey Community Action Training Institute, Trenton; Oscar Cohen, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, New York; and Tom Norfleet and Allen Cherry, both of Success Motivation Institute, Inc.

Hearings continue on Thursday, April 18.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, having as its witnesses Prof. Heinrich Kronstein, Institute for International and Foreign Trade Law, Georgetown University, and the University of Frankfurt, Germany; and Prof. George Staller, Department of Economics, Cornell University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witness Joseph J. Liebling, Director for Security Policy, Department of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Affairs held hearings on H.R. 14934, reducing from five to four the number of career regular employees necessary to permit the employment of one career substitute in the postal field service, receiving testimony from William M. McMillan, Assistant Postmaster General for Operations; Patrick J. Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL-CIO; Jerome J. Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; and David Silvergleid, National Postal Union.

WATER QUALITY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Senators Nelson and Moss; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary, Department of the Interior; Gov. Nelson Rockefeller of New York, chairman of the Health and Welfare Committee, National Governors Conference; Lt. Gov. William Milliken of Michigan; and James F. Wright, Delaware River Basin Commission, Trenton, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 16580–16594; 18 private bills, H.R. 16595–16612; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1225–1228, and H. Con. Res. 761, were introduced. Pages 9621, 9637

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1290); and

H.R. 15890, to provide for additional positions in certain executive agencies, amended (H. Rept. 1291). Page 9637

Bill Rereferred: Rereferred from the Committee on House Administration to the Committee on Public Works H.R. 16358, regarding construction of a National Gallery of Art Building. Page 9553

Civil Rights: Adopted, by a record vote of 250 yeas to 171 nays, H. Res. 1100, providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2516, to provide penalties for interference with civil rights.

Adopted the motion to order the previous question by a record vote of 229 yeas to 195 nays. Pages 9553–9621

Easter Adjournment: Adopted H. Con. Res. 761, providing for adjournment of the House from Thursday, April 11, to Monday, April 22, 1968. Page 9621

Clerk Receive—Speaker Sign: Granted permission for the Clerk of the House to receive messages and the Speaker to sign enrollments during the adjournment. Page 9621

Excise Tax: Passed by a voice vote H.J. Res. 1223, to continue for a temporary period the 7-percent excise tax rate on automobiles and the 10-percent excise tax rate on communication services. Page 9622

Maritime Authorization: Passed by a voice vote H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce.

Adopted the committee amendment and rejected an amendment regarding the building of ships in the United States.

H. Res. 1122, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 9622–9630

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Construction met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15784, amended, 1969 military construction authorization.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 15683, Defense Production Act. Testimony was heard from Price Daniel, Director, Office of Emergency Planning.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing from William Bundy, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

FEDERAL RESEARCH GRANTS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Research and Technical Programs held a hearing on failure of Federal Government to plug the dollar drain caused by Federal research grants to foreign scientists. Testimony was heard from William D. Carey, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget, and departmental witnesses.

SAN GABRIEL, MISSOURI RIVER BASIN, INDIAN AFFAIRS, PUBLIC LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 13514, San Gabriel Wilderness;

H.R. 14672, amended, gifts for the benefit of Indians;

H.R. 9098, amended, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument in the State of South Dakota, to authorize exchanges of land mutually beneficial to the Oglala Sioux Tribe and the U.S.; and

S. 3033, Missouri River Basin authorization.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and continued an analysis and review of October 3, 1965, amendments to the Immigration and Nationality Act. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on private claims bills.

ANNUITIES—COST-OF-LIVING ALLOWANCES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 held hearings on H.R. 9391, Federal judges and widows annuities; and H.R. 13016, cost-of-living allowances for judicial employees stationed outside the continental U.S. or in Alaska or Hawaii. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

MARINE SANCTUARIES—CARGO RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 163, cargo restrictions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on H.R. 11584, marine sanctuaries study. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Joseph B. McDevitt, Judge Advocate General of the Navy, and departmental and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again sometime after the Easter recess.

Thursday, April 11, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9684–9720

Bills Introduced: 15 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3311–3325. Page 9686

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 9627

Saline Water: Senate concurred in House amendments to and cleared for President's signature S. 2912, authorizing funds for saline water conversion for fiscal year 1969. Page 9696

Tariff: Senate reconsidered its action of Wednesday, April 10, in passing with committee amendments H.R. 2155, revising tariff schedules with respect to classification of Chinese gooseberries. On its reconsideration the bill was again passed, the committee amendments being considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, which were amended by technical, corrective amendments offered by Senator Byrd (W. Va.) on behalf of Senator Long (La.). The amendment to the title of the bill was disagreed to. Pages 9699–9700

Unemployment Compensation Appropriations: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House (motion to reconsider tabled), H.J. Res. 1229, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 to provide an additional $28 million for Bureau of Employment Security, Labor Department, for unemployment compensation for Federal employees and ex-servicemen. Pages 9726–9727

School Food Services: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 15398, to extend and expand food service programs for schoolchildren, modifying its unanimous consent agreement made on April 10, so that on Wednesday, April 17, debate on any amendment to the bill will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided, and debate on committee amendment as a substitute for the House-passed language will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; and that immediately thereafter there be a third reading of the bill, to be followed by vote on final passage. Pages 9720, 9722–9729

Confirmations: Two judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 9730

Nominations: Two judicial, and 21 Army nominations in the rank of general were received. Page 9730

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee continued its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witness Leonard C. Meeker, Legal Adviser, Department of State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, having as its witnesses Vinod Prakash, Co-Director, Monopolies Commission, Government of India; Prof. Howard N. Ross, Baruch School of Business, City College of New York; and William G. Shepherd, department of economics, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 17.

WATER QUALITY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Senator Williams of New Jersey, accompanied by Richard Sullivan, New Jersey State Department of Health; Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget; Bernard Hillenbrand, National Association of Counties; Ronald Agard, who appeared for Ilus Davis, mayor of Kansas City, Mo., representing the National League of Cities, and the U.S. Conference of Mayors; Mrs. Donald E. Clusen, Water Resources Committee, League of Women Voters; Valentine Janicki, Metropolitan Sanitary District of Greater Chicago; Dr. Ralph Fuhrman, Water Pollution Control Federation; and Henry Graeser, American Water Works Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 16613–16629; 21 private bills, H.R. 16630–16650; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1229 and 1230, H. Con. Res. 762 and 763, and H. Res. 1129 and 1130, were introduced. Pages 9682–9684

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5704, to grant minerals, including oil, gas, and other natural deposits, on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Montana, to certain Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1292);

S. 1946, to amend the repayment contract with the Foss Reservoir Master Conservancy District (H. Rept. 1293);

S. 561, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Cape Hatteras National Seashore (H. Rept. 1294); and

H.R. 14074, regarding construction of an entrance road to Great Smoky Mountains National Park in the State of North Carolina (H. Rept. 1295). Page 9682

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of April 24, 1968. Page 9658

Pan American Union: House adopted H. Res. 1127, relative to the anniversary of the founding of the Pan American Union. Pages 9658–9662

Supplemental Appropriation: The House passed H.J. Res. 1229, making a supplemental appropriation for the

fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 (Department of Labor, Bureau of Employment Security, for an additional amount of "unemployment compensation for Federal employees and ex-servicemen," $28,000,000). Page 9677

Adjournment Resolution: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H. Con. Res. 761, providing for adjournment of the House from Thursday, April 11, to Monday, April 22, 1968. Page 9682

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 9682

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and considered pending business.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action H.R. 15072, Navajo Indian Reservation; H.R. 15225, Wind River Indian Reservation; and S. 1173, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma.

MARINE SANCTUARIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography continued hearings on H.R. 11584, marine sanctuaries study. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9855–9868

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3326–3338; and S. Con. Res. 69–70. Pages 9856, 9865

Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 234, private bill, clearing it for President's signature. Page 9855

El Dorado, Kans.: S. 1664, for the relief of city of El Dorado, Kans., was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Pages 9855–9856

School Food Services: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) and cleared for President's signature H.R. 15398, to extend and expand food service programs for schoolchildren, after rejecting amendments thereto, as follows:

By 14 yeas to 38 nays, committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), following a prior vote thereon of 14 yeas to 33 nays, which vote was held to be of no effect, as a quorum had not voted; and by 12 yeas to 39 nays, Clark amendment to permit local school board to make its own determination on whether to operate its own food programs or to enter contracts with firms therefor (this amendment was permitted to be offered by unanimous consent despite the operation of the unanimous consent agreement controlling receipt of amendments). Pages 9889–9903

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet until noon Thursday, April 18, while Senate is in session. Page 9907

Military Procurement: Senate took up for consideration S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969. Pages 9903, 9907–9914

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Frederic G. Donner, of New York, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corp.; and one Army in the rank of general. Page 9915

Recess: Recessed at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, receiving testimony from John N. Luft, Jr., Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Donald A. Campbell, Administrator, Packers and Stockyards Administration, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Farmers Home Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S., and James L. Harrison, the Public Printer, who were accompanied by their associates.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 19, when the Librarian of Congress will testify.

ECONOMIC CONCENTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings on economic concentration in foreign countries, having as its witnesses Prof. Joel Dirlam, Department of Economics, University of Rhode Island, Kingston; Prof. Emil Kauder, Department of Economics, Florida Presbyterian College, St. Petersburg; and Prof. Norman Dodge, Department of Economics, University of Maryland.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FAILING NEWSPAPERS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Tuesday, April 16, the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 1312, to give antitrust exemptions to certain newspaper combinations, after receiving testimony from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Donald Turner, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division; and Bruce Sagan, president, San Diego Independent.

EXPEDITING ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Tuesday, April 16, Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2721 and S. 2806–2812, relating to procedures in appealing antitrust cases, with testimony from Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; and Richard W. McLaren, representing the American Bar Association, Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

THERMAL POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on the subject of thermal pollution of rivers and other bodies of water resulting from introduction of warm water from atomic-powered electric generating plants. Subcommittee received testimony on such pollution of the Chesapeake Bay and tributaries from the following witnesses: Paul W. McKee, Director, Maryland Department of Water Resources; Solomon Liss, Chairman, Maryland Public Service Commission; John W. Gore, vice president, accompanied by Austin E. Penn, chairman of the Board, both of the Baltimore Gas & Electric Co.; and Louis W. Cadwallader, vice president, Potomac Electric Power Co., accompanied by Dr. Ruth Patrick, Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences.

Hearings continue on Friday, April 19, in Miami, Fla.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: The Subcommittee on International Finance met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Thursday, April 18, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 9940–9955

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and 4 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3339–3346; S.J. Res. 160–161; and S. Res. 277–278. Pages 9942–9945

Military Procurement: Senate continued consideration of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, reaching unanimous consent agreement to limit further debate as follows: 30 minutes, equally divided on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except for motion to table), but there may be 1 hour each, equally divided, on three amendments to be offered by Senator Clark; and 4 hours, equally divided, on question of passage of bill, with vote thereon to be taken not later than 2:30 p.m. Friday, April 19. It was agreed that additional time for debate on amendments may be yielded from time for debate on the bill.

The following amendments to the bill were rejected today, as indicated: by 28 yeas to 30 nays, Hart amendment to limit aggregate authorizations for research and development to $7,366,600,000; by 17 yeas to 41 nays, Nelson amendment to reduce by $342.7 million authorizations for missiles; and by 28 yeas to 31 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cooper amendment barring use of authorized funds for deployment of anti-ballistic-missile system until Secretary of Defense has certified to Congress that the system is practicable and its cost can be determined with reasonable accuracy.

Pending at recess was Javits amendment recommending that so far as practicable Secretary of Defense shall take into account as a favorable factor in awarding contracts the undertaking by a contractor to employ a substantial number of unemployed or low-income persons thereon.

Pages 9928–9940, 9956–9958, 9961–9962, 9964–9966, 9968, 9980–10004

Recess: Recessed at 5:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates

for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony on funds for the Farmers Home Administration from Senator Moss; and John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary, Howard Bertsch, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the REA.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 3218, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued executive consideration of S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, relating to the establishment of programs and urban insurance, and other pending housing legislation, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, April 23.

D.C. RIOT DAMAGE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce began hearings to receive testimony on the rebuilding of riot-damaged areas in the District of Columbia. Witnesses heard were Price Daniel, Director, Office of Emergency Planning; William B. Ross, Deputy Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation; James Alexander, Director, Center for Community Planning, Department of HEW; Horace Holmes, Manpower Administrator for the D.C., Department of Labor; Edwin W. Webber, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development Planning; Howard Greenberg, Deputy Administrator, Small Business Administration; and Melvin Stark, American Insurance Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 30.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador at Large; Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany; Sargent Shriver, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to France; and Edward Clark, of Texas, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Prior to this action, in open hearings, Messrs. Shriver and Clark were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Mr. Clark was introduced to the committee by Senator Yarborough.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research resumed its hearings on the subject of human resources development, having as its witnesses Dean Joseph W. Mathews, the Ecumenical Institute, Chicago; Dr. Curtis C. Aller, Associate Manpower Administrator, Department of Labor; and Francis Keppel, General Learning Corp., New York City.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 23.

EXPEDITING ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 2721, and S. 2806–2812, relating to procedures in appealing antitrust cases, after receiving testimony from Donald Turner, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division; Marcus Matteson, of Los Angeles; and Harold E. Kohn, of Philadelphia.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee resumed its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, having as its witness J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division.

It was announced that hearings will probably continue sometime next week.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session.

Committee Meetings

There were no committee meetings.

Friday, April 19, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10055–10075

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3347–3350. Page 10055

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President announced appointment of the following Senators as members of the National Visitors Facilities Advisory Com-

mission: Bible, Nelson, Tydings, Scott, Thurmond, and Baker. Page 10028

Military Procurement: By 54 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 30 yeas to 23 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Javits amendment recommending that so far as practicable Secretary of Defense shall take into account as a favorable factor in awarding contracts the undertaking by a contractor to employ a substantial number of unemployed or low-income persons thereon; by 45 yeas to 13 nays, Williams of Delaware amendment to limit aggregate authorized funds to $21,341,738,000 (an approximate 3-percent reduction); and a Stennis corrective amendment; and

Rejected: By 12 yeas to 44 nays, Clark amendment to reduce by individual category the authorizations for fiscal year 1969 to the amount appropriated for that category for fiscal year 1968, if the latter is lower than in the current bill (an approximate 10-percent reduction); and by 28 yeas to 31 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment to reduce authorized funds for naval vessels by $183,600,000 and barring use of funds for fast deployment logistic ships.

Pages 10017, 10020–10027, 10028–10050

Obscene Telephone Calls: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 375, to set penalties for persons convicted of making obscene or harassing telephone calls. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Page 10048

Arms Control: Senate took up H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970, and agreed by unanimous consent that on Monday, April 22, after approval of the Journal, there will be 15 minutes for routine morning business, and that debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, and that vote on passage of the bill will be taken at 3 p.m. Pages 10050–10054

Veterans' Home Loans: Senate passed with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 10477, Veterans' Administration housing law amendment.

Pages 10074, 10077–10080

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Robert Sargent Shriver, Jr., of Illinois, to be Ambassador to France; George C. McGhee, of Texas, to be Ambassador at Large; Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany; and Edward Clark, of Texas, to be Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony on funds for the Rural Electrification Administration from John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary, Norman M. Clapp, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 22, on funds for the Agricultural Research Service.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with testimony from Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, the Librarian of Congress.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 22, with further testimony from Dr. Mumford.

CONSUMER CREDIT PROBLEMS IN THE GHETTO

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings to receive testimony on consumer credit problems and practices in ghetto areas of American cities, having as its witnesses Betty Furness, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; and William O'Brien, Assistant Director, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, April 22, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10140–10174

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3351–3354. Pages 10143–10144

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 15344, to extend for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury (S. Rept. 1091). Page 10143

Arms Control: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and Clark amendment to assure that field test activities will not be barred despite limitation in the bill on research and development studies; and

Rejected: By 18 yeas to 53 nays, modified Clark amendment No. 701 to provide authorizations of $33 million for the 3 fiscal years 1969–71 rather than $17 million for the 2 fiscal years 1969 and 1970; and, by 26 yeas to 47 nays, modified Clark amendment No. 702 to provide authorizations of $20 million for the 2 fiscal years 1969 and 1970 rather than $17 million.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Fulbright, Sparkman, Mansfield, Morse, Aiken, Hickenlooper, and Carlson. Pages 10173–10181

Land and Water Conservation: Senate took up S. 1401, proposed Land and Water Conservation Fund amendments, adopting committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment to eliminate provision for use of a portion of the receipts from oil and gas leasing on the Outer Continental Shelf as additional source of revenue to finance the legislation. Pages 10190–10191

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Edward Weinberg, of Maryland, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior; George Henry Hearn, of New York, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner; one judicial; and numerous Air Force. Pages 10191–10192

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Agricultural Research Service from Dr. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary, Dr. George W. Irving, Jr., Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony on funds for the ARS.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with further testimony from Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, the Librarian of Congress, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Architect of the Capitol Stewart.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization began hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Senator Javits; and Dr. Martin Cherkasky, Director, Montefiore Hospital and Medical Center, and Chairman of the Department of Community Health of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 3058, to increase authorizations for water resources planning activities, with testimony from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power; Henry P. Caulfield, Executive Director, Water Resources Council; and Sam Thompson, representing Interstate Conference on Water Problems.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN BANK EROSION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings on S. 537, modifying comprehensive plan for the Missouri River Basin with respect to bank protection works, with testimony from Senators Young of North Dakota and Burdick; E. V. Lahr, mayor, Milo W. Hoisveen, State engineer, Robert D. Bain, Merl L. Burgin, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Ray Shoff, United Power Association, and Irvin Bourgois, all of Bismarck; A. R. Shaw, Board of City Commissioners, and A. C. Mork, both of Mandan, N. Dak.; Col. William R. Needham, Assistant Director of Civil Works, Plains Division, Office of Chief of Army Engineers; and Albert Steffenson, Oliver County, N. Dak.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 16651–16674; 28 private bills, H.R. 16675–16702; and four resolutions,

H.J. Res. 1231–1233; and H. Con. Res. 764, were introduced. Pages 10138–10139

D.C. Teachers' Salaries: By a record vote of 255 yeas to 32 nays the House passed H.R. 16409, to amend the D.C. Teachers' Salary Act.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill with instructions designed to reduce by $200 starting salaries provided in the bill.

Adopted, by a record vote of 146 yeas to 140 nays, an amendment providing that the school board set the educational requirements of D.C. teachers' aides.

Rejected an amendment identical to the recommittal motion. Pages 10104–10131

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDUSTRIAL STANDARDS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on voluntary industrial standards. Testimony was heard from Dr. John Kincaid, Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, Department of Commerce, and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10270–10301

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3355–3367; S.J. Res. 162; and S. Res. 279. Pages 10275, 10276

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1864, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the D.C., with amendment (S. Rept. 1092); and

S. 2017, authorizing the D.C. Commissioner to enter into contracts for maintenance of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings, with amendments (S. Rept. 1093). Pages 10275–10276

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of S. 3350, respecting GI flight training, and the bill was then referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 10276

President's Message—International Exhibitions: President submitted message transmitting Fifth Annual Report on Special International Exhibitions—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 10270

Land and Water Conservation: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments.

Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment No. 704, to eliminate provision for use of a portion of the receipts from oil and gas leasing on the Outer Continental Shelf as additional source of revenue to finance the legislation. Pages 10301–10321

Treaty Received: International Coffee Agreement, 1968, signed on behalf of U.S. on March 21, 1968, at New York City (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second session), was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 10321

Confirmation: Nomination of W. Marvin Watson, of Texas, to be Postmaster General, was confirmed. Page 10322

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 33 postmasters, one Army in the rank of general, and one Marine Corps in the rank of general. Pages 10321–10322

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE SCIENCE PROGRAMS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on space science programs from the following witnesses: Dr. Gordon J. F. MacDonald, Institute for Defense Analysis; Dr. John A. Simpson, Enrico Fermi Institute, Chicago; and Dr. H. H. Hess, Department of Geology and Geophysics, Princeton University, representing the National Academy of Sciences.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear NASA Administrator Webb, and others.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with further testimony in behalf of funds for the Agricultural Research Service from Dr. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary, Dr. George W. Irving, Jr., Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with testimony on funds for the Cooperative State Research Service and Extension Service.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony from Senator Jordan of North Carolina; and J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC HEALTH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Public Health Service from the following witnesses: Dr. William H. Stewart, the Surgeon General; Dr. Leo J. Gehrig, Deputy Surgeon General; Dr. James H. Cavanaugh, Director, Office of Comprehensive Health Planning; Vernon G. MacKenzie, Bureau of Disease Prevention and Environmental Control; and Dr. Donald R. Chadwick, National Center for Chronic Disease Control.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed executive consideration of the matter of strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witness Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when testimony will be received from Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

DIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from officials of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued its executive consideration of pending housing legislation, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, relating to the establishment of programs and urban insurance, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

FISHERY PRODUCTS ACT

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2958, proposed Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, and S. 3064, providing financial assistance to the fishing industry in meeting requirements of the Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, having as its witnesses Representative Wyatt; Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, accompanied by James L. Goddard, Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, both of HEW; Stanley A. Cain, Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife, and Parks, accompanied by Harold E. Crowther, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries, both of the Department of the Interior; H. Edward Dunkelberger, National Canners Association; and Lowell Wakefield, Wakefield Fisheries; Port Wakefield, Alaska.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 3014, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969, having as its witness Peace Corps Director Jack Hood Vaughn, who was accompanied by his associates.

Committee will consider this bill in executive session on Thursday, April 25.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research resumed its hearings on the subject of human resources development, having as its witnesses Dr. William R. Carmack, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; Morris L. Eisenstein, United Community Centers, Brooklyn, N.Y.; John H. Niemeyer, Bank Street College of Education, New York City; and Brent Ashabranner, Deputy Director, Peace Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., receiving testimony from Dr. Howard A. Rusk, the Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York University Medical Center; Dr. Kerr L. White, Department of Medical Care and Hospitals, School of Hygiene and Public Health, Johns Hopkins University; and Victor R. Fuchs, associate director of research, National Bureau of Economic Research, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 3055, proposed Judicial Reform Act; S. 3060, providing benefits for survivors of Federal judges; S. 3061, setting the voluntary retirement age for Federal judges at 65 years and compulsory retirement age at 70 years; and S. 3062, to appoint an Administrator of the Courts for each judicial circuit. Witnesses heard were Senior Judge Albert B. Maris (retired); and Chief Judge John Biggs, Jr. (retired), both of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

POSTMASTER GENERAL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of W. Marvin Watson, of Texas, to be Postmaster General of the U.S., prior to which action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senators Tower and Yarborough, and Representative Patman. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

WATER QUALITY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued its hearings on S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1968, receiving testimony from the following panel of witnesses representing the Investment Bankers Association: Robert Krumm, Equitable Securities, Morton & Co., New York City; William Simon, Salomon Bros. & Hutzler, New York City; De Witt Horner, First National City Bank of New York; and James Lopp, Eastman Dillon, Union Securities & Co., New York City, who were accompanied by Alvin Shoemaker, municipal director of the association.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. William M. O'Brien, Department of Preventive and Internal Medicine, University of Virginia Medical School; and Dr. Donald Mainland, representing the American Rheumatism Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 16703–16731; 22 private bills, H.R. 16732–16753; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1234–1237, H. Con. Res. 765, and H. Res. 1132–1134, were introduced. Pages 10350–10351

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16703, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 1296);

H.R. 16165, to extend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act (H. Rept. 1297);

H. Res. 1132, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15190, regarding site for the construction of a sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans (H. Rept. 1298); and

H. Res. 1133, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15986, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (H. Rept. 1299). Pages 10350–10351

Urgent Supplemental Appropriation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15399, the Urgent Supplemental Appropriation Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Kirwan, Whitten, Natcher, Flood, Bow, Jonas, and Laird. Page 10322

Committee To Sit: Granted permission for the Committee on Public Works to sit during general debate for the balance of the week. Page 10327–10328

Warsaw Ghetto Uprising: Agreed to H. Con. Res. 655, regarding the 25th anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising against the Nazi occupation forces. Page 10322

Presidential Messages—Cultural Exchange, International Exhibitions: Received and read messages from the President transmitting a report on educational and cultural exchange and an annual report on Special International Exhibitions—both referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Page 10328

Government Per Diem Allowance: By a record vote of 289 yeas to 65 nays, the House passed H.R. 13738, to increase the maximum rate of per diem allowance for employees of the Government traveling on official business.

H. Res. 1112, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 10328–10337

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 10350

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16703, 1969 military construction authorization.

SECURITY MEASURES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 15345, providing security measures for banks and other financial institutions. Testimony was heard from Fred Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General for Criminal Division, Department of Justice.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16729, higher education amendments.

Prior to the full committee action the Special Sub-

committee on Education approved for full committee action title IV of H.R. 15067, amended, higher education amendments.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INVESTMENTS ABROAD

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Foreign Economic Policy met in executive session and heard testimony from Joseph W. Bartlett, General Counsel, Office of the Secretary of Commerce, on U.S. Government restrictions on direct private investments abroad.

COST PROFILES

Committee on Government Operations: Held a hearing on cost profiles. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7329, amended, providing for the popular election of the Governor of Guam.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held a hearing on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from Representative Adams and a public witness.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on bills relating to water pollution. Testimony was heard from Representative William Steiger, Stewart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and departmental and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.R. 15190, Atlantic-Pacific sea-level canal study; an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 15986, Corporation for Public Broadcasting; considered, but did not take final action on, H.R. 735, create Freedom Commission and the Freedom Academy.

RIOTS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee resumed hearings on 1967 riot in Newark, N.J. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

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DRUG INDUSTRY

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on small business problems in the drug industry. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10483–10507

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and 2 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3368–3379; S. Con. Res. 71; and S. Res. 280. Pages 10491, 10494

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 913, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers, with amendments (S. Rept. 1094). Page 10491

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 10490–10491, 10521

Resolution Placed on Calendar: H. Con. Res. 655, recognizing the 25th anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising, was ordered to be placed on the calendar. Page 10521

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar three bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Banking: H.R. 15344, to extend for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 2017, authorizing the D.C. Commissioner to enter into contracts for maintenance of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings; and

D.C.: S. 1864, to define and regulate the practice of psychology in the D.C. Pages 10483–10487

Merchant Marine: Senate concurred in House amendments to and cleared for President S. 10, directing Secretary of the Treasury to document as vessel of U.S. with coastwise privileges SS *Ocean Delight,* and S. 1093, to authorize the use of SS *Annie B.* in the coastwise trade. Page 10489

Land and Water Conservation: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments.

Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment No. 704, to eliminate provision for use of a portion of the receipts from oil and gas leasing on the Outer Continental Shelf as additional source of revenue to finance the legislation. Pages 10507–10519

Treaty Received: Convention on Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards, adopted at New York City on June 10, 1958 (Ex. E, 90th Cong., second sess.), was received—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 10487–10488

Nominations: Senate received three Army nominations in the rank of general (one being Gen. William Childs Westmoreland, to be Chief of Staff); and one Navy nomination in the rank of admiral. Page 10521

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR ROCKET PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee held hearings to receive testimony on policy issues of the nuclear rocket program from James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and James T. Ramey, member, Atomic Energy Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on technical and cost aspects of this program.

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee heard Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman testify and answer questions with regard to the farm program.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from Senator Monroney, on funds for the Soil Conservation Service; and the following officials of the Department of Agriculture: Dr. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary; Theodore C. Byerly, Administrator, Cooperative State Research Service; Lloyd H. Davis, Administrator, Federal Extension Service; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Consumer and Marketing Service.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony from Joseph Romm, Acting Director of Civil Defense, Department of the Army, on funds for civil defense activities; and Dr. Henry C. Huntley, Director, Division of Health Mobilization, U.S. Public Health Service, on funds for emergency health activities.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the National Science Foundation.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, with testimony on items under the Architect of the Capitol from Senator Jordan of North Carolina; J. George Stewart, Architect of the Capitol; and Dr. L. Quincy Mumford, the Librarian of Congress.

Hearings continue tomorrow, on Senate items in the bill.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued its hearings on the matter of strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witness Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee continued its executive consideration of pending housing legislation, including S. 3029, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act, and S. 3028, relating to the establishment of programs and urban insurance, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

FISHERY PRODUCTS ACT

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 2958, proposed Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, and S. 3064, providing financial assistance to the fishing industry in meeting requirements of the Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, having as its witnesses Randolph Hodges, Florida State Board of Conservation, Tallahassee; Wilton Miller, Florida Department of Agriculture, Tallahassee; Lee J. Weddig, National Fisheries Institute, Inc., Washington, D.C.; Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen of North America; George Michael, State Department of Public Health, Boston; William R. Neblett, National Shrimp Congress, Key West; Oscar M. Longnecker, Jr., Texas Shrimp Association, Brownsville; James C. Farrelly, New Orleans Shrimp Association; Fred Phebus, Congress of American Fishermen, and Fishermen's Marketing Association, Eureka, California; and Jacob Dykstra, Point Judith Fishermen's Cooperative Association, Rhode Island.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. INSTALLMENT SALES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce met in executive session to consider S. 316, S. 2589, and S. 2590, to regulate retail installment sales and finance charges in the D.C., but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on

Tuesday, April 30, to consider these and other pending bills.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York; and Melvin A. Glasser, who testified in behalf of Walter P. Reuther, United Auto Workers, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Research continued its hearings on the subject of human resources development, having as its witnesses Alvin L. Schorr, Acting Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare for Individual and Family Services; Bernard Wohl, South Side Settlement, Columbus, Ohio; Alice Geoffray, Adult Education Center, Inc., New Orleans; and Lawrence Reddich, Opportunities Industrialization Center Institute, Inc., Philadelphia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills: S. 203, permitting institution of suits by Indians who reject payments for tribal lands in connection with the Big Ben Dam and Reservoir project, South Dakota; S. 1120, granting mineral deposits on lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont., to certain Indians; S. 3275, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept donation of funds or other property for the advancement of the Indian race; and H.R. 14922, relating to the distribution of judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe in Colorado. Testimony was received from Senator Mundt, and John Larson, an attorney representing Indian claimants, both of whom directed their remarks to S. 203; and Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, who testified with regard to all of the bills.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee met in executive session to consider further S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, and agreed to language to be embodied in an amended version of title IV of the bill entitled "State Firearms Control Assistance." Committee then ordered the bill favorably reported to the Senate.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued its hearings on S. 3055, proposed Judicial Reform Act, having as its witness Joseph Borkin, an attorney of the D.C.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 1.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 13176, authorizing State of Ohio to use proceeds from the sale of certain public lands for educational purposes.

Committee also considered, but did not complete action on, S. 1308, to further promote equal employment opportunities of American workers.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Robert S. Pinals, of Lemuel Shattuck Hospital, Boston, and professor at Tufts Medical School.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 16754–16777; 22 private bills, H.R. 16778–16799; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1238–1241, H. Con. Res. 766–768, and H. Res. 1135–1137, were introduced. **Pages 10481–10482**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14672, regarding gifts for the benefit of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1300);

H.R. 15348, regarding leave for members of the uniformed services who voluntarily extend their tours of duty in hostile fire areas (H. Rept. 1301);

H.R. 10897, regarding maximum rates of per diem allowance and reimbursement (H. Rept. 1302);

H.R. 1093, to amend and clarify the reemployment provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act, amended (H. Rept. 1303);

H.R. 2629, regarding remission or cancellation of indebtedness of enlisted members of the Armed Forces and the National Guard of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 1304);

H.R. 2632, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers, amended (H. Rept. 1305);

H.R. 11466, regarding director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band (H. Rept. 1306);

H.R. 13050, to authorize an increase in the numbers of officers of the Navy designated for engineering duty, aeronautical engineering duty, and special duty (H. Rept. 1307);

H.R. 13593, to increase the number of congressional

alternates authorized to be nominated for each vacancy at the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies, amended (H. Rept. 1308);

H.R. 14739, to authorize additional medical and dental care and other related benefits for reservists and members of the National Guard, under certain conditions, amended (H. Rept. 1309);

H.R. 15865, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent (H. Rept. 1310);

H.R. 15863, to change the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department (H. Rept. 1311);

H.R. 3300, regarding Colorado River Basin project, amended (H. Rept. 1312);

H.R. 8578, to amend title I of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act, amended (H. Rept. 1313);

H.R. 10573, regarding "Truth in Negotiations Act," amended (H. Rept. 1314);

H.R. 15789, to authorize certain contracts for services and related supplies to extend beyond 1 year (H. Rept. 1315);

H. Res. 1136, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15688, to extend the executive reorganization provisions of title 5, United States Code, for an additional 4 years (H. Rept. 1316); and

H. Res. 1137, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 16703, to authorize certain construction at military installations (H. Rept. 1317). Page 10481

Arms Control—Disarmament: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14940, to extend the authorization for appropriations for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency until 1971; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Morgan, Zablocki, Kelly, Hays, Adair, Mailliard, and Frelinghuysen. Page 10424

Corporation for Public Broadcasting: By a record vote of 241 yeas to 132 nays, the House passed H.R. 15986, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3135 in lieu of H.R. 15986.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Rejected an amendment regarding public payment for educational programs.

H. Res. 1133, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 10424–10437

Veterans' Employment: Passed by a voice vote H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have served in Vietnam or elsewhere in obtaining suitable employment.

H. Res. 1125, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 10423–10424, 10437–10441

Fire Service Recognition Day: The House passed H.J. Res. 908, designating the second Saturday in May of 1968 as National Fire Service Recognition Day, amended.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:42 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on extending the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MILITARY BILLS

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1093, amended, to amend and clarify the provision of the Universal Military Training Act;

H.R. 2629, amended, regarding remission or cancellation of indebtedness of enlisted members of the Armed Forces and the National Guard of the U.S.;

H.R. 2632, amended, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers;

H.R. 5783, to provide for confinement and treatment of offenders against the Uniform Code of Military Justice;

H.R. 10573, amended, to provide authority to increase the effectiveness of the "Truth in Negotiations Act";

H.R. 10897, adjust reimbursement to meet actual expenses of travel;

H.R. 11466, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band;

H.R. 13050, to increase the number of Naval officers designated for engineering duty, aeronautical engineering duty, and special duty;

H.R. 13593, amended, to increase congressional alternates to service academies;

H.R. 14739, amended, increase National Guard and Reserve medical and dental benefits;

H.R. 15231, establish master of military science degree;

H.R. 15348, special 30-day leave for members of Armed Forces who voluntarily extend tour of duty in hostile fire areas;

H.R. 15789, extend beyond 1 year certain contracts;

H.R. 15863, amended, change Army Medical Service to Army Medical Department;

H.R. 15865, to include a foster child within definition of dependent; and

H.R. 15971, to increase the participation of law officers and counsel on courts-martial.

SECURITY MEASURES—WALT DISNEY—TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILROAD

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House:

H.R. 15345, amended, providing security measures for banks and other financial institutions;

H.J. Res. 1234, Walt Disney medal;

S. 1909, transcontinental railroad centennial medal.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education approved for full committee action a bill regarding vocational rehabilitation.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

CONFERENCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa received a report on the Second Conference on Economics and Industry held in Ethiopia. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COST PROFILES

Committee on Government Operations: Special Study Subcommittee continued hearings on cost profiles. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS—GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1173, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma lands; S. 391, addition to Navajo Indian Reservation; and H.R. 15225, Wind River Reservation.

Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs considered H.R. 15151, to promote the economic development of Guam. No final action was taken.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

HOOD RIVER COUNTY—PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 3165, amended, Hood River County, Oreg., and acted on a private claims bill.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held hearings on the bills. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

EDUCATION GRANTS—CODE—COST-OF-LIVING ALLOWANCES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 9391, amended, to amend section 376(a) of title 28, United States Code; and H.R. 13016, amended, to provide cost-of-living allowances for judicial employees stationed outside the continental U.S. or Alaska or Hawaii.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from Donald Baker, General Counsel, OEO.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to develop a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WAGE BOARD PAY SYSTEM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on wage board pay system. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on water pollution. Testimony was heard from Gov. Nelson Rockefeller of N.Y.; Representatives Dingell, Hanley, and Keith; and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of general debate on H.R. 16703, 1969 military construction authorization, testimony was heard from Representatives Bates and Rivers; granted an open rule with 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 15688, extension of executive reorganization authority, testimony was heard from Representatives Blatnik and Holifield; considered but took no final action on H.R. 15890, additional GS-16, 17, and 18 positions, testimony was heard from Representatives Gross and Henderson; deferred action on H.R. 13718, to authorize the establishment and to provide for the regulation of Federal savings institutions.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

RIOTS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee concluded hearings on the 1967 riot in Newark, N.J. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

Joint Committee Meetings

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communications and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corpora-

tions, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, April 30.

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, April 30.

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Thursday, April 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10588–10620

Bills Introduced: 14 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3380–3393. Page 10590

Resolutions Referred: One House-passed joint resolution and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 10589

Warsaw Ghetto: H. Con. Res. 655, recognizing the 25th anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising, was adopted. Page 10589

Water Carriers: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 913, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers. Pages 10600–10601

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet on Friday, April 26, while Senate is in session. Page 10626

Land and Water Conservation: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments, entering orders respecting same as follows: When Senate concludes its business on Friday, April 26, it will adjourn until 10 a.m. Monday, April 29, when, following approval of the Journal, Senator Brooke will be recognized to address Senate for not more than 2 hours, following which there will be a brief period for transaction of routine morning business, immediately following which further debate will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided, on pending Ellender amendment No. 704, to eliminate provision for use of a portion of the receipts from oil and gas leasing on the Outer Continental Shelf as additional source of revenue to finance the legislation. Pages 10613, 10620–10627

Nominations: The following nominations were received: G. Mennen Williams, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Philippines; Pardo Frederick Delliquadri, of Hawaii, to be Chief of the Children's Bureau, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; eight judicial; numerous Navy; one Marine Corps in the rank of general; and the withdrawal of one postmaster nomination. Pages 10629–10635

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR ROCKET PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony on technical and cost aspects of the nuclear rocket program, having as its witnesses Milton Klein, Director, Division of Space Nuclear Systems, and Dr. Mac C. Adams, Associate Administrator for Advanced Research and Technology, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Dr. Norris Bradbury, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory (AEC), New Mexico.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 30, when Dr. Wernher von Braun will testify.

YOUNG FARMERS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held and concluded hearings on S. 1567, to facilitate the granting of long-term real estate and operating loans to young farmers, with testimony from Senator Nelson; Representative Kastenmeier; Howard Bertsch, Administrator, Farmers Home Administration, Department of Agriculture; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; Gilbert C. Rohde, Wisconsin Farmers Union, Chippewa Falls; Harry L. Graham, the National Grange; William C. Eckles, Pure Milk Products Cooperative, Fond du Lac, Wis.; William E. Murray, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; E. S. Weise, of Jewell, Iowa; and Walter C. Kirchner, Pure Milk Association, Chicago.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with testimony from Dr. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary; Rodney E. Leonard, Administrator, Consumer and Marketing Service; Raymond A. Ioanes, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service; Lyle P. Schertz, Deputy Administrator, International Agricultural Development Service; and Edward M. Shulman, Office of the General Counsel, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation; and Dr. Philip Handler, Chairman, National Science Board.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, April 30.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, receiving testimony on proposed Senate items from Darrell St. Claire, Chief Clerk of the Senate; and Robert A. Brenkworth, Senate Financial Clerk.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, concluded marking up pending housing legislation and ordered reported to the Senate an original bill embodying proposed housing amendments of 1968.

TRAFFIC SAFETY

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings to receive testimony regarding the implementation of provisions of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 (P.L. 89–563), receiving testimony from Alan S. Boyd, Secretary, and Dr. William Haddon, Jr., Director, National Highway Safety Bureau, both of the Department of Transportation; and Dr. Allan Nahum, director, vehicle trauma research group, Center for Health Sciences, UCLA.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FISHERY PRODUCTS ACT

Committee on Commerce: Consumer Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 2958, proposed Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, and S. 3064, providing financial assistance to the fishing industry in meeting requirements of the Wholesome Fish and Fishery Products Act, after receiving testimony from Senator Long of Louisiana; Ralph Nader, an attorney of Washington, D.C.; Elizabeth Wallace, Oyster Institute of North America, Sayville, N.Y.; Elizabeth Guhring, American Seafood Distributors Association, Washington, D.C.; H. R. Robinson, American Shrimp Canners Association, New Orleans, who was introduced by Senator Long; James D. Ackert, Atlantic Fishermen's Union, Boston; Edward E. McCollum, Domestic Seafood Producers Association of New England, Gloucester; S. J. Favazza, City of Gloucester Fisheries Commission; and Harold R. Bassett, Chesapeake Seafood Packers Association, Salisbury, Md., the latter four of whom submitted statements.

D.C. ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on S. 1379 and H.R. 7417, to prescribe administrative procedures for the D.C. government, with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp, Office of the D.C. Corporation Counsel; John E. Powell, Bar Association of the District of Columbia, who was accompanied by his associates; and James H. Heller, National Capital Area Civil Liberties Union.

PEACE CORPS, AND TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 2914, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969.

Committee also approved International Exhibitions Convention (Ex. P, 90th Cong., first sess.).

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Olcott D. Smith, Aetna Life & Casualty, Hartford, Conn.; Dr. Robert Coles, research psychiatrist, Harvard University Health Services, Cambridge; and Dr. Joseph M. Brenner, medical director of the Cambridgeport Clinic, and staff psychiatrist, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Edward Weinberg, of Maryland, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior, prior to which action, in open session, Mr. Weinberg was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were John E. Tate, an attorney of Lincoln, Nebr.; Joseph A. Jenkins, of Dallas, representing the International Society of Skilled Trades; Leonard S. Janofsky, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Donald Mahon, National Federation of Independent Unions; and John Doesberg, Printing Industries of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments the following bills: S. 1308, to further promote equal employment opportunities of American workers; S. 2688, extending the health services program for domestic agricultural migratory workers; H.R. 5404, to change in several regards the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation; H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965; and S.J. Res. 117, stating the sense of the Congress that the President call a White House Conference on Aging in January of 1970.

INTERNATIONAL HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee held hearings on S. 1779, to establish an international health, education, and labor program to provide support for private activities in these and other welfare fields. Witnesses heard were Joseph A. Beirne, Communication Workers of America, Washington, D.C.; Edwin Golin, Inter-American Partners of the Alliance Business Committee; and Edward Schwartz, U.S. National Student Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NATIONAL ART GALLERY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 3159, authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art.

Subcommittee also approved for full committee consideration numerous public building prospectuses.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 16800–16824; 23 private bills, H.R. 16825–16847; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1242–1247, H. Con. Res. 769 and 770, and H. Res. 1138, were introduced. Pages 10609–10691

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 15231, to authorize the Commandant of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College to award the degree of master of military art and science (H. Rept. 1318). Page 10690

Military Construction: By a record vote of 345 yeas to 14 nays, the House passed H.R. 16703, to authorize certain construction at military installations.

H. Res. 1137, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 10637–10671

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of May 1. Page 10671

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 10690

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on extension of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on legislation relating to Federal credit unions. Testimony was heard from public and departmental witnesses.

REVENUE BILLS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on all pending D.C. revenue bills. Testimony was heard from D.C. Commissioner, Walter Washington, Chairman of D.C. Council, John Hechinger, and a departmental witness.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued consideration of higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUEBLO

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session on the *Pueblo* matter. Testimony was heard from W. G. Brown, former Ambassador to Korea and presently Special Assistant to the Secretary of State.

COST PROFILES

Committee on Government Operations: Special Studies Subcommittee continued hearings on cost profiles. Testimony was heard from Comptroller General Elmer B. Staats, GAO, and a public witness.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee action: S. 1059, Alaska grazing leases; S. 1699, convey U.S. land to Lawton, Okla.; H.R. 14005, Hot Springs, Ark., land sale; H.R. 11552, amended, Tate County, Miss.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

BID PEDDLING—LILLY ESTATE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8213, amended, to prevent bid peddling; and a private bill, S. 2409, for the relief of Josiah K. Lilly Estate.

EDUCATION GRANTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, judicial review of

constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on water pollution. Testimony was heard from Representative Charles Teague and public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL CLAIMS SETTLEMENT ACT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9063, proposing numerous amendments to provisions of the International Claims Settlement Act, but did not reach agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Friday, April 26, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10783–10799

Bills Introduced: Three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3394–3396; S. Con. Res. 72; and S. Res. 281. Pages 10787, 10789

Bill Referred: H.R. 16703, military construction authorizations was referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 10783

Private Bill: H.R. 2434, private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. Page 10783

Stockpiling: Senate passed the following three stockpiling bills, each with an amendment by Senator Williams of Delaware to require public advertising for bids and sales to the highest responsible bidders:

H.R. 5789, authorizing disposal of platinum from the national stockpile;

H.R. 5785, authorizing disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile; and

H.R. 14367, authorizing disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile. Pages 10799–10802

Potatoes: S. 562, to require fresh potatoes sold in interstate commerce to be labeled according to the State in which such potatoes were grown, was, by unanimous consent, taken from calendar and placed with "Subjects on the Table." Page 10802

Senate Office Building: Senate took up and debated S. 2484, authorizing acquisition of property to extend site for an additional Senate Office Building; however this bill returned to the calendar without action when Senate's unfinished business, S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments, came before Senate and remained the unfinished business at adjournment. Pages 10802–10806

Land and Water Conservation: At 1 p.m. Senate's unfinished business, S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments, was laid before the Senate, and Williams of Delaware motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was offered, which remained the pending question at adjournment. Pages 10806–10807

Agriculture: By unanimous consent, S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment, was taken from calendar and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations for further study. Page 10807

Confirmation: Nomination of Edward Weinberg, of Maryland, to be Solicitor of the Department of the Interior was confirmed. Page 10809

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from Senator Hart on funds for the school lunch program and Soil Conservation Service; John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary; Donald A. Williams, Administrator, Soil Conservation Service; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer, all of the Department of Agriculture; and R. B. Tootell, Governor, Farm Credit Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC HEALTH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Public Health Service from Jerome H. Svore, National Center for Urban and Industrial Health; Dr. David J. Sencer, National Communicable Disease Center; James G. Terrill, Jr., National Center for Radiological Health; Dr. John T. Middleton,

National Center for Air Pollution Control; Dr. Carruth J. Wagner, Director, Bureau of Health Services; Dr. John J. Walsh, Division of Direct Health Services; Harold M. Graning, Division of Hospital and Medical Facilities; and Dr. Leonard D. Fenninger, Director, Bureau of Health Manpower.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 29, with further testimony on funds for the PHS, and on NIH.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its consideration of the matter of strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witness Alain C. Enthoven, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Systems Analysis).

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., receiving testimony from Wilbur Cohen, Secretary-designate, accompanied by Dr. Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary for Health and Sicentific Affairs, and Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Social Security Administration, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EKLUTNA DAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 224, providing for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna Dam project, damaged by the 1964 Alaska earthquake. Testimony was received from Senator Bartlett; Representative Pollock; Gus Norwood, administrator, Alaska Power Administration; and L. J. Schultz, Chugach Electric Association, Inc., Anchorage, Alaska.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were Gerard D. Reilly, Louis Sherman, and Stanley R. Strauss, all of whom are D.C. attorneys; and David Benetar, an attorney of New York.

Hearings continue on Monday, April 29.

INTERNATIONAL HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 1779, to establish an international health, education, and labor program to provide support for private activities in these and other welfare fields, after receiving testimony from John Nagle, president, National Federation of the Blind, Inc.; Jack Otero, Bureau of Railway, Airline and Steamship Clerks, affiliated with Railway Labor Executives Association; Richard Humphrey, Commission on International Education, American Council on Education; Francis Pressly, director of international programs, National 4-H Foundation; Dr. Mansfield I. Smith, Experiment in International Living; and James Fowler, president, U.S. Youth Council, New York City.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

STAPLE COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 15098, regarding extra-long-staple cotton, and heard testimony from Representatives Morris of New Mexico, and White; Department of Agriculture officials; and public witnesses. Statements were presented for the record by Representatives Walker, Udall, and Steiger of Arizona.

Monday, April 29, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10853–10901

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3397–3404; and S. Res. 282–283.

Pages 10854, 10858

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2914, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969 (S. Rept. 1095);

H.R. 13176, authorizing State of Ohio to use proceeds from the sale of certain public lands for educational purposes (S. Rept. 1096); and

S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, with amendments, and with minority, individual, and additional views (S. Rept. 1097); and

Report of Special Committee on Aging entitled "Developments in Aging, 1967," with minority views (S. Rept. 1098). Page 10853

Urgent Supplemental Appropriations: Senator Hruska was appointed as an additional conferee on the

part of the Senate on H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968.

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Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate adopted S. Res. 283, authorizing printing of additional copies of report of Committee on the Judiciary on S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Page 10852

Land and Water Conservation: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments, the following amendments thereto being adopted after Williams of Delaware motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was withdrawn:

By 39 yeas to 27 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Williams of Delaware amendment to confine authorizations in the bill to the next 3 fiscal years rather than the next 5, and eliminating authorizations of $300 million for each of fiscal years 1972 and 1973 (as a perfecting amendment to Ellender amendment No. 704 by eliminating part of the language proposed to be stricken by that amendment); and by 37 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Ellender amendment No. 704, to eliminate provision for use of a portion of the receipts from oil and gas leasing on the Outer Continental Shelf as additional source of revenue to finance the legislation. Pages 10901–10909

Treaty Reported: Convention relating to international exhibitions, signed at Paris on November 22, 1928, together with two protocols, signed May 10, 1948, and November 16, 1966, modifying the convention (Ex. P, 90th Cong., 1st sess.), was reported (Ex. Rept. 2). Page 10853

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PHS AND NIH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony on behalf of funds for the Public Health Service from Dr. Leonard D. Fenninger, Director, Bureau of Health Manpower; Viron L. Diefenbach, Director, Division of Dental Health; and James A. Shannon, Director; Kenneth M. Endicott, Director, National Cancer Institute; and Roderick Murray, Director, Division of Biologics Standards, all of NIH.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony on funds for the NIH.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee began hearings jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on S. 3225 (H.R. 16703), proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1969, having as its witnesses Thomas D. Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; and John J. Reed, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Family Housing.

Army officials.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were Prof. Howard Lesnick, University of Pennsylvania Law School; Prof. Robert Koretz, Syracuse University Law School; Bernard Kleiman, United Steelworkers of America; Guy Farmer, a D.C. attorney; and Daniel F. Minahan, representing American Apparel Manufacturing Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Twenty-five public bills, H.R. 16848–16872; 16 private bills, H.R. 16873–16888; and 14 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1248–1254, H. Con. Res. 771, and H. Res. 1139–1144, were introduced. Pages 10838–10839

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16729, to extend for two years certain programs providing assistance to students at institutions of higher education, to modify such programs, and to provide for planning, evaluation, and adequate leadtime in such programs, filed on Friday, April 26 (H. Rept. 1319);

H.R. 13217, to authorize the appropriation of $200 million for a U.S. contribution to multilateral special funds of the Asian Development Bank, amended (H. Rept. 1320);

H.R. 13514, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, California (H. Rept. 1321);

H.R. 5783, regarding offenders against the Uniform Code of Military Justice (H. Rept. 1322);

H.R. 15225, regarding Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming (H. Rept. 1323);

S. 391, regarding the Navajo Indian Reservation (H. Rept. 1324);

S. 1173, to convey certain federally owned lands to the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma (H. Rept. 1325); and

S. 3033, regarding authorization for appropriation for the Missouri River Basin (H. Rept. 1326). Page 10838

D.C. Police-Firemen: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15131, to increase generally, the rates of compensation for police and firemen in the District of Columbia and makes various adjustments in alinement; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives McMillan, Whitener, Sisk, Fuqua, Nelsen, Harsha, and Broyhill of Virginia. Page 10824

Executive Reorganization: By a record vote of 258 yeas to 51 nays the House passed H.R. 15688, to extend the executive reorganization provisions of title 5, U.S. Code, for an additional 4 years, with committee amendments.

H. Res. 1136, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 10825–10830

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 10837

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM LOAN AND FARM CREDIT ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16674, amendments to the Federal Farm Loan Act and Farm Credit Act to improve the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks and production credit associations.

A public hearing on H.R. 16674 was held prior to reporting the bill. Testimony was heard from agency and public witnesses.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Real Estate Subcommittee met in executive session and approved several real estate projects.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 10911, to provide for preparation of a roll of persons of California Indian descent who are eligible to share in the distribution of certain judgment funds and for a referendum on the compromise settlement in consolidated dockets Nos. 31, 37, 80, 80–D, and 347, Indian Claims Commission. Testimony was heard from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

PANDERING ADVERTISEMENTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and considered P.L. 90–206 and pandering advertisements. Testimony was heard from Department of Justice witnesses.

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Tuesday, April 30, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 10968–11004

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3405–3413; and S.J. Res. 163. Page 10972

Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 10968

President's Message—Special Drawing Rights: President transmitted message urging approval of an amendment to the International Monetary Fund Agreement so as to create a new form of international reserve (special drawing rights)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Pages 10969–10970

Land and Water Conservation: Senate passed with amendments S. 1401, proposed Land and Water Conservation Fund Act amendments, after adopting two additional amendments as follows:

Jackson amendment to bar exchange for privately owned lands of certain federally owned lands harvested under a sustained-yield program; and Jackson amendment of a conforming nature respecting authorizing of funds to finance the legislation. Pages 11004, 11009–11014

Peace Corps: S. 2914, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969, was passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 11014–11015

Public Lands—Ohio: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 13176, authorizing State of Ohio to use proceeds from the sale of certain public lands for educational purposes. Page 11015

Senate Office Building: Senate resumed consideration of and passed with committee amendment, by 42 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), S. 2484, authorizing acquisition of property to extend site for an additional Senate Office Building. Pages 11015, 11018–11021

D.C.: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen, firemen, and teachers, agreed to hold conference with House

thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Spong, Morse, and Morton. Page 11021

Veterans' Home Loans: Senate concurred in House amendment to Senate amendment to H.R. 10477, Veterans' Administration housing law amendments, clearing bill for President's signature. Motion to reconsider this action was tabled. Pages 11021–11022

Treaty Ratified: By unanimous vote of 74 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification on Convention relating to International Exhibitions, signed at Paris, on November 22, 1928, together with two protocols, signed May 10, 1948, and November 16, 1966, modifying the Convention. Pages 11004–11009, 11012

Nominations: One civilian nomination and one Air Force nomination in the rank of general were received. Page 11029

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2918, proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after receiving testimony from Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director, George C. Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Ala. Dr. von Braun testified with regard to development of the nuclear rocket engine as related to advanced propulsion technology.

FEDERAL INTERMEDIATE CREDIT BANKS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification held hearings on S. 3292, to improve the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks and production credit associations, receiving testimony from Lorin T. Bice, Chairman, Federal Farm Credit Board; R. B. Tootell, Governor, Farm Credit Administration; C. B. Funderburk, Farm Credit Board of Columbia, Atlanta; H. M. Boddy, Production Credit Associations, Henrietta, Tex.; James D. Hendry, Farm Credit Board of Omaha, Lost Cabin, Wyo.; J. Richard S. Nelson, Farm Credit Board of Springfield, Madison, Conn.; Samuel S. Studebaker, Farm Credit Board of Louisville, Tipp City, Ohio; Herschel C. Newsom, National Grange; and Kit H. Haynes, American Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from John E. Horne, Chairman; and Michael Greenebaum and Robert L. Rand, members, all of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman; and G. Joseph Minetti, Whitney Gillilland, and John G. Adams, members, all of the Civil Aeronautics Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Federal Power Commission and Office of Science and Technology.

APPROPRIATIONS—NIH

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with testimony from the following officials of the National Institutes of Health: Dr. Paul Kotin, Director, Division of Environmental Health Sciences; Dr. Donald S. Fredrickson, Director, National Heart Institute; Dorland J. Davis, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Dr. G. Donald Whedon, Director, National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases; Assistant Surgeon General S. J. Kreshover, Director, National Institute of Dental Research; Dr. Richard L. Masland, Director, National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness; Dr. Gerald D. La Veck, Director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; and Dr. Frederick L. Stone, Director, National Institute of General Medical Sciences.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony on funds for the NIH, and for the Social Security Administration.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items from Senator Bayh, on funds for Burns Harbor and Calumet Sag Channel, part II, Indiana; Senator Morse, on several projects in Oregon; Senators Carlson, McClellan, Monroney, Fulbright, Harris, and Pearson, and Representative Edmondson, on funds for Arkansas Basin; and several public witnesses, on sundry items.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and Interior power activities, receiving testimony from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power; Gus Norwood, Administrator, Alaska Power Administration; Charles W. Leavy, Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration; and Henry R. Richmond, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from public witnesses.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee continued hearings, in open and execu-

tive sessions, jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on S. 3225 (H.R. 16703), proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony from Gen. John C. Dalrymple, Director of Installations, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army; and Maj. Gen. Guy H. Goddard, Director of Civil Engineering, and Col. James W. Fenlon, Chief, Programs Division, both of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Air Force and Navy Construction.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witnesses Harold Brown, Secretary, Gen. John P. McConnell, Chief of Staff, and Gen. Joseph J. Nazzaro, Commander in Chief, Strategic Air Command, all of the Air Forces.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear other Air Force officials.

SHIP MORTGAGE INTEREST

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 3017, to set maximum rate of interest permitted on federally insured ship loans and mortgages, having as its witnesses Carl C. Davis, General Counsel, Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce; and Albert E. May, Committee of American Steamship Lines, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. RIOT DAMAGE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce resumed its hearings to receive testimony with regard to the rebuilding of riot-damaged areas in the District of Columbia, having as its witness Mayor of Detroit Jerome Cavanagh.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX CONVENTIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on Tax Convention with the Philippines (Ex. D, 89th Cong., 1st sess.) and Tax Convention with France (Ex. N, 90th Cong., 1st sess.), having as its witnesses Assistant Secretary of the Treaury Stanley S. Surrey; Mitchell B. Carroll, an attorney of New York; and Robert T. Scott, National Foreign Trade Council, New York City.

Hearing were recessed subject to call.

STRIP MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee began hearings on S. 3132, to establish a State-Federal program for the regulation of surface mining operations in the U.S., and related bills, with testimony from Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall; John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary, Kenneth E. Grant, Soil Conservation Service, and Edward P. Cliff, Forest Service, all of the Department of Agriculture; Joseph S. Abdnor, American Mining Congress; Joseph E. Moody, president, National Coal Policy Conference; and Harry M. Caudill, Chairman, Congress for Appalachian Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were Lee C. Shaw, American Newspaper Publishers Association; F. A. O'Connell, National Association of Manufacturers; Milton F. Lunch, National Society of Professional Engineers; Harry L. Browne, American Retail Federation; and J. Clifford Miller, Southern States Industrial Council.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 10.

POVERTY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued its hearings on emergency employment legislation, having as its witnesses Rev. Ralph Abernathy, and Rev. Andrew Young, Southern Christian Leadership Conference, who were accompanied by numerous other public witnesses.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 8, when Secretary of Labor Wirtz will be heard.

GARDEN STATE PARKWAY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on S. 1558, providing for repayment of certain Federal-aid funds expended in connection with construction of the Garden State Parkway, New Jersey, receiving testimony from Senators Case and Williams, of New Jersey; Representative Howard; Russell H. Mullen, acting commissioner of transportation, New Jersey; D. Louis Tonti, executive director, Garden State Parkway; John R. Jamieson, Deputy Federal Highway Administrator, accompanied by Edgar H. Swick, Deputy Director, Bureau of Public Roads, both of the Department of Transportation; and Richard A. Mixer, an engineer and surveyor of Union, N.J.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 16889–16913; 17 public bills, H.R. 16914–16930; and 11 resolu-

tions, H.J. Res. 1255–1257, H. Con. Res. 772, and H. Res. 1145–1151, were introduced. Pages 11070–11071

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15345, to provide security measures for banks and other financial institutions, amended (H. Rept. 1327);

H.R. 9098, regarding Badlands National Monument, S. Dak., amended (H. Rept. 1328);

H.J. Res. 1111, regarding Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (H. Rept. 1329);

H.R. 9391, to amend section 376(a) of title 28, U.S. Code, amended (H. Rept. 1330);

H.R. 13016, to provide cost-of-living allowances for judicial employees stationed outside the continental United States or in Alaska or Hawaii, amended (H. Rept. 1331);

H.R. 15421, to enact the Interstate Agreement on Detainers into law, amended (H. Rept. 1332);

H.R. 16363, to clarify and otherwise amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act, amended (H. Rept. 1333);

H.R. 16674, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act (H. Rept. 1334);

H.R. 16913, the Department of Agriculture appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1335);

H. Res. 1148, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3136, to make a study to determine the advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the metric system in the United States (H. Rept. 1336);

H. Res. 1149, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 15951, to provide for the uniform annual observances of certain legal public holidays on Mondays (H. Rept. 1337);

H. Res. 1150, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 16729, the Higher Education Act amendments (H. Rept. 1338);

H. Res. 1151, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 958, regarding existing compensation system for motor vehicle accident losses (H. Rept. 1339);

H. Res. 1093, regarding military credit unions in the European and Pacific commands (H. Rept. 1340);

S. 1909, regarding medals in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the completion of the first transcontinental railroad, amended (H. Rept. 1341); and

H.J. Res. 1234, regarding medals in recognition of Walt Disney's contributions (H. Rept. 1342).

Pages 11069–11070

Agriculture Appropriation: Granted permission to consider the Department of Agriculture appropriation bill on Wednesday or any other day this week.

Page 11031

Veterans' Home Loan Guarantee: Agreed to the Senate amendments, with House amendments to the Senate amendments, to H.R. 10477, to increase the amount of veterans' home loan guarantee entitlement, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 11031–11034

University of Maine: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 11527, to release on behalf of the United States conditions in a deed conveying certain lands to the University of Maine and provides for conveyance of undivided mineral interests of the United States in such lands so as to permit such university to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of such lands, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Page 11034

Presidential Message—Monetary System: Received and read a message from the President on strengthening the international monetary system—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. No. 300).

Pages 11035–11036

Sea-Level Canal: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 15190, to provide for an investigation and study to determine a site for the construction of a sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.

H. Res. 1132, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 11036–11043

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LOAN FUND—FORESTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 1227, Emergency Credit Revolving Fund.

The committee held a hearing on H.J. Res. 1227, and H.R. 14157, to establish a cradle of forestry in America in Pisgah National Forest, N.C. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hathaway, Speedy Long, Robert Mathias, Taylor, and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives William Anderson, Sisk, Cleveland, John Davis, Hungate, Gathings, Langen, Kyros, Zwach, and de la Garza.

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported favorably to the House the agricultural appropriation bill.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Defense, Clark M. Clifford, Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Paul Nitze, Deputy Secretary of Defense.

CREDIT UNIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 14907, amended, credit unions.

REVENUE BILLS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on all pending D.C. revenue bills. Testimony was heard from D.C. Commissioner, Walter Washington, Chairman of D.C. Council, John Hechinger, and a departmental witness.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities, held a hearing on Government operations in the Department of Commerce. Testimony was heard from C. R. Smith, Secretary of Commerce, and departmental witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 14205, 14778, 15353, 15654, Indian claims bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edmondson, Sikes, Jack Edwards, and a departmental witness.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 859, for the relief of Public Utility District No. 1, Klickitat County, Wash., H.R. 3165, amended, Hood River County, Oreg.; H.R. 9391, amended, to amend section 376(a) of title 28, U.S. Code; H.R. 13016, amended, to provide cost-of-living allowances for judicial employees stationed outside the continental United States or Alaska or Hawaii; H.R. 15421, amended, interstate detainers; and H.J. Res. 1111, Kansas City Area Transportation Authority.

The committee also acted on several private immigration and claims bills.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

STANDARDIZATION OF MAIL SIZE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional postage rates for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ARKANSAS RIVER

Committee on Public Works: The Army Corps of Engineers presented a pictorial progress report on construction of the Arkansas River navigation project.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following open rules:

Two hours general debate on H.R. 3136, relating to study of the metric system in U.S.;

One hour of general debate on H.J. Res. 958, authorize a study of motor vehicle accident compensation system;

Two hours of general debate on H.R. 15951, provide for uniform annual observance of certain legal holidays on Mondays;

One hour of general debate on H.R. 16729, higher education amendments;

Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 1093, investigation of operations of U.S. military credit unions in the European and Pacific commands.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Un-American Activities: Held a hearing on bills to amend the Internal Security Act of 1950. Testimony was heard from Representative Bennett, and a departmental and a public witness.

VETERANS EDUCATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training held a hearing on bills to educate and train veterans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee began hearings on S. 2564, H.R. 13828, and 15273, to insure a reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, having as its witnesses James T. Ramey, member, and Joseph F. Hennessy, General Counsel, both of the Atomic Energy Commission; and Donald F. Turner, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement and recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, May 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11144–11186

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3414–3420; and S.J. Res. 164.

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2060, extending authorizations for the purpose of collecting and publishing documentary sources significant to history of the U.S., with amendments (S. Rept. 1099); and

S. 3218, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank (S. Rept. 1100). Page 11144

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 11232

President's Message—Manpower: President transmitted his annual manpower report urging approval by Congress of his $2.1 billion request in January for a new manpower program—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 11143–11144

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate began consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill) was adopted, but with the proviso that it be considered as original text for the purpose of further amendment. Pages 11186–11196, 11199–11235

Nomination: Senate received nomination of George W. Ball, of New York, to be U.S. Representative to the U.N. with the rank and status of Ambassador and to be U.S. Representative in the U.N. Security Council. Page 11247

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and Interior power activities, receiving testimony from Senator Morse, on funds for several projects in Oregon; Senator Jackson, on funds for the Columbia Basin project; Representative Gubser, on funds for San Felipe Division, Central Valley project; Representative de la Garza, on funds for projects in his district; and numerous public witnesses, on various several projects.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 6.

APPROPRIATIONS—EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the Executive Office of the President, receiving testimony from Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, on funds for Bureau of the Budget and operating expenses of the Executive Mansion; Arthur M. Okun, Council of Economic Advisers; Bromley Smith, National Security Council; Jerre Williams, Administrative Conference of the U.S.; William Coleman, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; and Judge William M. Fay, Tax Court of the U.S.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 7, to hear officials of the Post Office Department.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with further testimony on funds for the National Institutes of Health from Dr. James A. Shannon, Director; Dr. Robert Q. Marston, Director, Regional Medical Programs; Dr. Thomas J. Kennedy, Division of Research Facilities and Resources, all of NIH; and Robert M. Ball, Commissioner, Social Security Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow, on funds for the NIH and PHS.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for independent offices, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Lee C. White, Chairman, and Charles R. Ross, Carl E. Bagge, and John A. Carver, Jr., members, all of the Federal Power Commission; and Donald F. Hornig, Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 16, on funds for the GSA.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items from Senators Cooper and Yarborough, on funds for projects in their respective States; Representatives Leggett, Talcott, Waldie, Purcell, and Cabell, on funds for projects in their respective districts; and several public witnesses, on sundry items.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee continued its joint hearings with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on S. 3225 (H.R. 16703), proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1969, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Maj. Gen. Guy H. Goddard, Director of Civil Engineering, and Col. James W. Fenlon, Chief, Programs Division, both of the Air Force; and Rear Adm. A. C. Husband, Capt. J. H. Hawkins, and Comdr. W. M. Zobel, all of the Naval Facilities Engineering Command, and Brig. Gen. Robert B. Carney, Jr., Assistant Quartermaster General (Facilities), Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its

hearings on strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witnesses Gen. James Ferguson, Commander, Air Force Systems Command, Andrews Air Force Base; and Lt. Gen. Joseph R. Holzapple, Military Director, Scientific Advisory Board, Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.N. PEACEKEEPING DUTIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. Con. Res. 47, reaffirming support of the Congress for United Nations peacekeeping and peacemaking. Witnesses heard were Arthur M. Cox, formerly with Brookings Institution, and author of "Prospects for Peacekeeping"; Prof. Stanley Michalak, Political Science Department, Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pa.; Arthur Barber, formerly with Department of Defense, president of Institute of Politics and Planning, Arlington, Va.; Mrs. Edward W. McVitty, United Nations Observer, World Association of World Federalists; and Charles W. Yost, former Deputy U.S. Representative to the U.N.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PUEBLO INCIDENT, AND VIETNAM NEGOTIATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session with Under Secretary of State Nicholas deB. Katzenbach to discuss the current Korean situation, including events subsequent to the U.S.S. *Pueblo* incident, and the current status of establishing negotiations with North Vietnam.

HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting with amendments S. 2060, extending authorizations for the purpose of collecting and publishing documentary sources significant to history of the U.S.

AUTO SAFETY

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed its hearings on S. 2865, requiring disclosure of cost of safety equipment in the procurement of motor vehicles, having as its witnesses Richard C. Gerstenberg, General Motors Corp.; Arjay Miller, Ford Motor Co.; P. N. Buckminster, Chrysler Corp.; and J. C. Secrest, American Motors Corp.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STRIP MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued hearings on S. 3132, to establish a State-Federal program for the regulation of surface mining operations in the U.S., and related bills, having as its witnesses Hugo E. Johnson, American Iron Ore Association, accompanied by John D. Boentje, Jr., Pittsburgh Pacific Co., and Dr. S. R. Sundeen, Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co.; John B. Rigg, Jr., Colorado Mining Association; James L. Cox, Phosphate Council of Florida; S. R. Widner and John Spurling, of Missouri; Allen Coyle, Precision Aerial Reclamation Association of Kentucky; Lewis Prater, Idaho Bureau of Mines; Edward K. Davison, National Sand & Gravel Association; Dr. G. Donald Emigh, Phosphate Lands Conference, accompanied by O. A. Power and Dennis M. Olsen; Jarle Leirfallom, Commissioner of Conservation of Minnesota; Richard T. Eckles, Department of Natural Resources of Colorado; Mrs. Alice J. Grossniklaus, Community Council for Reclamation; George A. Zeigler, National Limestone Institute, Inc.; and Ward Padgett, Inspector, Department of Mines of Oklahoma.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of June L. Green and John H. Pratt, to be U.S. district judges for the District of Columbia.

Prior to this action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senator Tydings; John E. Powell, president, and Philip F. Herrick, both of the Bar Association of the D.C.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed its hearings on S. 3055, proposed Judicial Reform Act, having as its witnesses Glenn R. Winter, American Judicature Society; Darwin H. Anderson and Patricia Carroll, both of the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and Andrew H. Ruddock, Bureau of Retirement and Insurance, Civil Service Commission.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 15.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Railroad Retirement Subcommittee held hearings on S. 2838, increasing to a minimum of $103 monthly annuities payable to survivors under the Railroad Retirement Act, having as its witnesses Howard W. Habermeyer, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; Lester Schoene, Railway Labor Executives Association; and Floyd Elliott and Mrs. Esther Dunlap, both of the National Association of Retired and Veteran Railway Employees.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed its hearings to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, having as its witnesses Senator Javits; Representative Murphy of New York; Milton Pikarsky, Commissioner of Public

Works, City of Chicago; and Charles B. Rangle, New York State Assembly.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 6.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Robert M. Hodges, Director, Office of New Drugs, and Dr. John J. Jennings, Office of Drug Surveillance, both of the Bureau of Medicine, Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 16931–16955; 19 private bills, H.R. 16956–16974; and four resolutions, H. Con. Res. 773 and 774, and H. Res. 1152 and 1153, were introduced. Pages 11343–11344

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15794, to provide for U.S. standards and a national inspection system for grain, amended (H. Rept. 1344);

H.J. Res. 1227, to authorize the temporary funding of the emergency credit revolving fund (H. Rept. 1345); and

H.J. Res. 1224, to authorize the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1968 (H. Rept. 1343). Page 11343

Presidential Message—Manpower Program: Received a message from the President on the manpower program—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 302). Pages 11249–11250

Agriculture Appropriation: By a record vote of 318 yeas to 70 nays, the House passed H.R. 16913, the Department of Agriculture and related agencies appropriation bill.

Adopted an amendment providing that no part of the funds appropriated shall be used to pay salaries of any Federal employee convicted of inciting or participating in a riot; and an amendment regarding total expenditures to approximately $6.5 billion.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Cropland adjustment program;

Limitation of commodity payments to the individual to $10,000;

Programs under the Sugar Act; and

Participation in riots. Pages 11250–11304

Higher Education: Adopted H. Res. 1150, the rule providing for consideration of H.R. 16729, the Higher Education Act amendments. Pages 11304–11306

William and Mary College: Adopted H. Con. Res. 615, extending the congratulations of the Congress to the College of William and Mary on its 275th anniversary, amended. Pages 11306–11307

Charlotte, N.C.: Adopted S.J. Res. 131, to designate May 20, 1968, as Charlotte, N.C., Day, amended. Pages 11307–11308

Peace Treaty: Passed S. 2745, to provide for the observance of the centennial of the signing of the 1868 Treaty of Peace between the Navajo Indian Tribe and the United States (thus clearing the measure for the White House). Page 11308

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 11342

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on extending the Food and Agriculture Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mark Andrews, Hall, and public witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. John S. Foster, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 16911, Special Drawing Rights Act. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Treasury, Henry Fowler, William McC. Martin, Jr., Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

JUDICIAL BENEFITS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 15679, increase judges' salaries, and H.R. 15678 and H.R. 14202, judges' retirement. Testimony was heard from Andrew Hood, Chief Judge, D.C. Court of Appeals, Harold Greene, Chief Judge, D.C. Court of General Sessions, Jo Morgan, Judge, D.C. Tax Court, and associate judges and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 16460, vocational education amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

URANIUM MINERS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 14558, uranium miners' compensation. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION—TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16729, title IV of higher education bill, and H.R. 14314, amended, trust funds for scholarships and child day-care centers.

ANNUITIES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16903, foreign service annuities.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported favorably to the House S. 450, amended, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1166, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

JUDGES—CLAIMS BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2349, amended, additional circuit judges.

OFFICERS—PRIVATE BILL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16127, Coast Guard officers, and H.R. 12766, a private bill.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 16127. Testimony was heard from Adm. Paul E. Trimble, Assistant Commandant, Coast Guard.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 8516, and related bills, relating to the appointment of postmasters. No announcements were made.

BIOLOGICAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development held a hearing on international biological programs. Testimony was heard from public and departmental witnesses.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings on amendments to the Internal Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Abernethy, Speedy Long, and Bob Wilson.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Education and Training held a hearing on bills for veterans' education and training. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on S. 2564, H.R. 13828, and 15273, to insure a reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, having as its witnesses Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Water and Power; and Norman M. Clapp, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, Department of Agriculture.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from officials of the FPC and SEC.

ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970. As approved by the conferees the bill would provide a 2-year authorization of $18.5 million, and would include a $7 million ceiling on external research.

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communications and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through April 30, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	70	56	..
Time in session	353 hrs., 41′	203 hrs., 04′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	4,690	3,116	7,806
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	3,558
Public bills enacted into law	28	21	49
Private bills enacted into law	6	4	10
Bills in conference	3	9	..
Bills through conference	4	4	..
Measures passed, total	164	192	..
Senate bills	44	34	..
House bills	33	67	..
Senate joint resolutions	7	4	..
House joint resolutions	4	10	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	5	6	..
Simple resolutions	67	71	138
Measures reported, total	*190	*267	..
Senate bills	46	65	..
House bills	28	122	..
Senate joint resolutions	8	2	..
House joint resolutions	1	4	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	4	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	3	4	..
Simple resolutions	100	70	170
Special reports	9	19	..
Conference reports	..	7	..
Reported measures not acted on	15	71	..
Measures introduced, total	724	2,930	3,654
Bills	591	2,337	2,928
Joint resolutions	32	286	318
Concurrent resolutions	20	167	187
Simple resolutions	81	140	221
Quorum calls	32	52	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**93	56	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 152 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 293 has been filed in the House.

**No. 105 Leg. (record vote) on April 17 was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through April 30, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 4,083, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,152
Unconfirmed	931
Air Force nominations, totaling 5,488, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,857
Unconfirmed	2,631
Navy nominations, totaling 5,904, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,116
Unconfirmed	2,788
Marine Corps nominations totaling 2,539, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,537
Unconfirmed	2
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 976, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	61
Unconfirmed	915
Postmaster nominations, totaling 502, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	229
Unconfirmed	269
Withdrawn	4

Summary

Total nominations received	19,492
Total confirmed	11,952
Total unconfirmed	7,536
Total withdrawn	4

Thursday, May 2, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11537–11589

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3421–3427; S.J. Res. 165–167; and S. Res. 284–285. Pages 11538, 11543, 11558

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2688, extending the health services program for domestic agricultural migratory workers, with amendments (S. Rept. 1101); and

S. J. Res. 117, stating the sense of the Congress that the President call a White House Conference on Aging in January of 1970, with amendments (S. Rept. 1102).

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Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and one House-adopted concurrent resolution were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11538

Israel Anniversary: S. Res. 284, commemorating the 20th anniversary of the State of Israel, was submitted and adopted. Pages 11538–11542

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued its consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Pages 11588–11589, 11593–11601, 11610–11619

Agriculture: Committee on Commerce was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 13058, to repeal certain acts relating to containers for fruits and vegetables, and the bill was then passed after adoption of Byrd of West Virginia amendment to substitute for its text the language of S. 2068, repealing the Standard Containers Acts of 1916 and 1928, the Tobacco Seed and Plant Export Act of 1940, the Naval Stores Act of 1923, and the Wool Standards Act of 1928 (which bill had passed Senate on October 20, 1967). Page 11619

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Warren L. Smith, of Michigan, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, and of Alice M. Rivlin, of D.C., to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Page 11621

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—NIH AND PHS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, with testimony on funds for the Public Health Service from Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health; Leo J. Gehrig, Deputy Surgeon General; Ian K. Burgess, Director, Division of Buildings and Facilities; and Theodore D. Woolsey, Director, National Center for Health Statistics, all of the Public Health Service.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on civil functions items from Senators Hartke, Bayh, and Percy, and Representatives Springer and Myers, on funds for Wabash Valley flood control project in Indiana and Illinois; Senators Hill and Sparkman, and Representatives Bevill, Dickinson, Jack Edwards, and Buchanan, on funds for various projects in Alabama; and Senator Miller, and Representative Culver, on Iowa projects.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 7.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee concluded its current series of hearings held jointly with the Military Construction Subcommittee of the Committee on Appropriations on S. 3225 (H.R. 16703), proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1969, after receiving testimony from the following witnesses:

Title IV—Defense Agencies, with testimony from Lt. Gen. Harold C. Donnelly, Director, Defense Atomic Support Agency; Lt. Col. Leo E. Ells, USA, Defense Communications Agency; Richens E. Brigham, Defense Intelligence Agency; Lt. Gen. Earl C. Hedlund, USAF, Director, Defense Supply Agency; and Arthur Fallen, National Security Agency;

Title IX—Reserve Forces, with testimony from W. Robert Deininger, Chief, Reserve Forces Facilities Division, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Maj. Gen. William J. Sutton, Chief of Army Reserve; Maj. Gen. John M. Hightower, Deputy Chief, Office of Reserve Components, Army; Rear Adm. J. T. Burke, Jr., Office of Chief of Naval Operations; and Maj. Gen. Tom E. Marchbanks, Jr., Chief, Air Force Reserve; and

Title V—Southeast Asia requirements, with testimony in executive session from Edward J. Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Properties and Installations; and Brig. Gen. D. A. Raymond, USA, Director of Southeast Asia Construction Division, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Properties and Installations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15224, authorizing funds for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1969; H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce (amended); S. 2948, authorizing funds for con-

tinued studies to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific (amended to authorize $17.5 million); S. 752, clarifying exemption with respect to transportation performed by agricultural cooperative associations for nonmembers (amended); S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority (amended); H.R. 14681, declaring a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable; and S. 3017, to set maximum rate of interest permitted on federally insured ship loans and mortgages.

Committee also approved routine Coast Guard nominations.

STATE TECHNICAL SERVICES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 3245, extending for 2 years authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act, having as its witnesses Dr. John F. Kincaid, Assistant Secretary for Science and Technology, and Philip K. Reily, Director, Office of State Technical Services, both of the Department of Commerce; Carl Elliott, chairman, Alabama State Technical Services Evaluation Committee; Dr. Arthur S. Adams, National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges, accompanied by his associates; Dr. H. LeRoy Marlow, director, PENNTAP, University Park, Pa.; John E. Means, Washington State technical services program; Donald E. Marlowe, National Society of Professional Engineers; and Ross G. Renninger, Textile Machine Works, Reading, Pa.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

U.N. PEACEKEEPING DUTIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on S. Con. Res. 47, reaffirming support of the Congress for United Nations peacekeeping and peacemaking. Witnesses heard were Joseph J. Sisco, Assistant Secretary of State for International Organization Affairs; William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; Paul C. Warnke, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Charles W. Davis, United World Federalists; Betty Goetz Lall, representing SANE; Thomas A. Halsted, Council for a Livable World; Dorothy Hutchinson, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom; W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby; Edward Lippert, Americans for Democratic Action; and Vernon L. Ferwerda, United Church of Christ.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STRIP MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 3132, to establish a State-Federal program for the regulation of surface mining operations in the U.S., and related bills, after receiving testimony from Dr. Allen F. Agnew, Water Resources Research Center, Indiana University; Edward H. Peplow, Jr., Arizona Mining Association, Phoenix; William Waugaman, Alaska Miners Association; Roger Tippy, Izaak Walton League; and Jesse H. Auvil, Jr., Georgia Department of Mines and Mining, Atlanta.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 10 days for the inclusion of additional written material.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution met in executive session to consider S. 2525, providing stricter regulation of control of pollution from vessels using the navigable waters of the U.S.; and S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act of 1968, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again sometime next week.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. Robert M. McCleery, Acting Director, Division of Medical Advertising, who was accompanied by William Goodrich, Chief Counsel, and Dr. Herbert Ley, Bureau of Medicine, all of the Food and Drug Administration; and Prof. Norman O. Rothermich, Ohio State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 37 public bills, H.R. 16975–17011; 11 private bills, H.R. 17012–17022; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1258 and 1259, and H. Res. 1154–1158, were introduced. Pages 11536–11537

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16819, to amend the Vocational Rehabilitation Act, amended (H. Rept. 1346); and

Conference report on H.R. 14940, to amend Arms Control and Disarmament Act in order to extend the authorization for appropriations (H. Rept. 1347).

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State of Israel: Adopted H. Res. 1144, commemorating the 20th anniversary of the State of Israel.

Pages 11422–11435

NASA Authorization: By a record vote of 262 yeas to 105 nays the House passed H.R. 15856, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act, 1969.

Rejected the motion to recommit with instructions to create an office of Inspector General of Programs and Operations, NASA.

Adopted amendments designed to—

Cut Apollo applications to $253.2 million;

Cut administrative operations to approximately $603.1 million;

Provide comparable Government-private industry contract prices; and

Provide that no part of the funds appropriated shall be used to pay salaries of any Federal employee convicted of inciting or participating in a riot.

Rejected amendments regarding:

$253.1 for Apollo applications;

Reports to Congress; and

Budget requests to the Congress.

H. Res. 1114, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 11435–11500

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, May 8, 1968.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on extending the Food and Agricultural Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Full committee, executive, to consider S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. John S. Foster, Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHTS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16911, Special Drawing Rights Act.

Prior to reporting the bill the committee held a hearing. Testimony was heard from Douglas Dillon, former Secretary of the Treasury, and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 16460, vocational education amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 14816, occupational health and safety. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued hearings on H.R. 15263, foreign aid program. Testimony was heard from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on H.R. 10256, land claims. Testimony was heard from Representative Tunney and a departmental witness. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives John Rhodes and Udall.

NATURAL GAS SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1166, amended, natural gas pipeline safety. No announcements were made.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS—PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and considered pending legislation. No announcements were made.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

PAY ADJUSTMENTS—ASSAULT ON POSTAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15387, regarding assaulting postal employees, and H.R. 15395, amended, salary step pay adjustments.

WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on water pollution. Testimony was heard from Stewart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and other departmental witnesses.

BIOLOGICAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on international biological programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings on bills to amend the Internal Security Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Abbitt, departmental, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued hearings on S. 2564, H.R. 13828, and 15273, to insure a reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities

to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, having as its witnesses Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission; and Phillip A. Loomis, Jr., General Counsel, Securities Exchange Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communications and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, May 7.

Friday, May 3, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11701–11740

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3428–3436; and S.J. Res. 168. Page 11721

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, with amendment (S. Rept. 1103). Pages 11720–11721

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 11701

Historical Sources: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 2060, extending authorizations for the purpose of collecting and publishing documentary sources significant to history of the U.S. Page 11701

Charlotte, N.C., Day: S.J. Res. 131, designating May 20, 1968, as "Charlotte, N.C., Day," was cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 11743

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued its consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Pages 11740–11746, 11754–11756

Confirmations: Numerous Coast Guard nominations were confirmed. Page 11756

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony from several public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Wilbur J. Cohen, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; and the following nominations for reappointment as members of the Tax Court of the U.S.: William M. Drennen, of West Virginia; William M. Fay, of Pennsylvania; C. Moxley Featherston, of Virginia; and Charles R. Simpson, of Illinois.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of George W. Ball, of New York, to be U.S. representative to the United Nations; Frank E. McKinney, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Spain; and G. Mennen Williams, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Philippines. Testimony in behalf of Mr. McKinney was received from Senator Hartke.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Max Tishler, Dr. Karl H. Beyer, and Dr. F. Douglas Lawrason, all of Merck, Sharp & Dohme research laboratories; Henry W. Gadsden, president, Merck & Co., Inc.; Dr. Charley J. Smythe, University of Colorado Medical Center; and Dr. John J. Calabro, UCLA School of Medicine.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on extending the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Representatives Findley and White.

INDEPENDENT OFFICES—HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Independent Offices-Housing and Urban Development Act.

SSN—MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement. No announcements were made.

Special Subcommittee on Antisubmarine Warfare met in executive session and considered SSN program. No announcements were made.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on H.R. 16361, D.C. revenue. Testimony was heard from John Hechinger, Chairman, D.C. Council, and departmental witnesses.

LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded hearings on H.R. 10256, subjecting certain land claims to certain legal and equitable defenses. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

EXCISE TAX—NATIONAL WILDLIFE—CONSERVATION—TERRITORIAL WATERS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 10227, prohibit certain fishing in territorial waters;

H.R. 11190, amended, excise tax on pistols and revolvers to be applied to target range and safety and wildlife restoration;

H.R. 11026, fish and wildlife conservation and rehabilitation;

S. 2452, jurisdiction over Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge in Illinois;

S. 322, amended, restrict disposition of lands of National Wildlife Refuge System.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee concluded the current phase of its hearings on S. 2564, H.R. 13828, and 15273, to insure a reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, after receiving testimony from Representative Moss; Charles R. Ross, Commissioner, Federal Power Commission; and Henry P. Caulfield, Jr., Water Resources Council.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

Monday, May 6, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 11841–11878

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3437–3442. Pages 11847–11848

Health: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 2688, extending the health services program for domestic agricultural migratory workers. Pages 11841–11843

Aging: S.J. Res. 117, stating the sense of the Congress that the President call a White House Conference on Aging in January of 1970, was passed with committee amendments to text and title. Pages 11843–11847

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued its consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Pages 11878, 11891–11907

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Manuel Frederick Cohen, of Maryland, to be a member of the SEC; Roy T. Sessums, of Louisiana, and Maj. Gen. Clarence C. Haug, U.S. Army, each to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission; numerous postmasters; numerous Navy; and one Marine Corps. Pages 11907–11910

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from Secretary Harold Brown, Chief of Staff Gen. John P. McConnell, and other officials of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and Interior power activities, subcommittee received testimony from Senator Bennett and Representatives Burton of Utah and Lloyd, on funds for the central Utah irrigation project; Senator Carlson, and local witnesses, in behalf of funds for several Kansas projects; Senator Dominick, on various projects in Colorado; and several public witnesses, on sundry projects.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Southwestern Power Administration.

RADIATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings on S. 2067, 3211, and H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions. Witnesses heard were Betty Furness, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; and Dr. Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, and James G. Terrill, Jr., Director, National Center for Radiological Health, both of the Department of HEW.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 8.

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement began hearings on the civil service retirement program, receiving testimony from Senator Brewster; Clarence Tarr, National Association of Retired Civil Employees; C. L. Dorson, Retirement Federation of Civil Service Employees; John F. Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL–CIO; Nathan T. Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; Henry Wilson, Laborers International Union of North America; and John A. McCart, Government Employes' Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, having as its witnesses Governor of Massachusetts John Volpe, chairman, Governor's Conference; and Dr. Leonard Duhl, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and Harry Boswell, Harry Boswell Associates, Hyattsville, Md., the latter two of whom participated in a panel discussion.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 17023–17048; 27 private bills, H.R. 17049–17075; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1260–1263, H. Con. Res. 775, and H. Res. 1159–1161, were introduced. Pages 11840–11841

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 17023, the independent offices-Department of Housing and Urban Development appropriation bill, filed on Friday, May 3 (H. Rept. 1348);

H.R. 16911, regarding U.S. participation in the facility based on special drawing rights in the International Monetary Fund (H. Rept. 1349);

H.R. 15387, to provide for disciplinary action against employees in the postal field service who assault other employees in such service in the performance of official duties (H. Rept. 1350); and

Report entitled "Guerrilla Warfare Advocates in the United States" (H. Rept. 1351). Page 11840

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on call of the Consent Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

UCMJ: H.R. 5783, to provide for confinement and treatment of offenders against the Uniform Code of Military Justice;

Marine Corps Band: H.R. 11466, to remove the restrictions on the grades of the director and assistant directors of the Marine Corps Band;

Increase of officers: H.R. 13050, to authorize an increase in the number of officers of the Navy designated for engineering duty, aeronautical engineering duty, and special duty;

Master of military art and science: H.R. 15231, to authorize awarding the degree of master of military art and science;

Indian affairs: H.R. 15271, to authorize the use of funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Spokane Tribe of Indians;

Special leave: H.R. 15348, to authorize a special 30-day leave for members of the uniformed services who voluntarily extend tours of duty in hostile fire areas;

Extend contracts: H.R. 15789, to authorize certain contracts for services and related supplies to extend beyond 1 year;

Name change: H.R. 15863, change the name of the Army Medical Service to Army Medical Department;

Foster child: H.R. 15865, to include a foster child within the definition of dependent;

Transportation: H.J. Res. 1111, consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority by the States of Kansas and Missouri; and

Walt Disney: H.J. Res. 1234, issuance of Walt Disney resolution and medal.

Sent to the Senate amended:

Reemployment: H.R. 1093, to amend and clarify the reemployment provisions of the Universal Military Training and Service Act;

Cancel indebtedness: H.R. 2629, regarding the remission or cancellation of indebtedness of enlisted members of the Armed Forces and the National Guard of the U.S.;

Inspecting officers: H.R. 2632, to permit National Guard officers to act as inspecting officers;

Indian land: H.R. 3299, to authorize the purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands on the Spokane Indian Reservation;

Indian land: H.R. 5704, to grant minerals, including oil and gas, and other natural deposits, on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont., to certain Indians;

Public land: H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument in the State of South Dakota, to authorize exchanges of land mutually beneficial to the Oglala Sioux Tribe and the U.S.;

Truth in negotiations: H.R. 10573, to provide authority to increase the effectiveness of the Truth in Negotiations Act;

Academy appointments: H.R. 13593, to increase the

number of congressional alternates authorized to be nominated for each vacancy at the Military, Naval, and Air Force Academies;

Gifts: H.R. 14672, relating to the acceptance of gifts for the benefit of Indians;

Military benefits: H.R. 14739, to authorize additional medical and dental and other related benefits for reservists and members of the National Guard, under certain conditions;

Indian land: S. 1119, to grant minerals, including oil and gas, on certain lands in the Crow Indian Reservation, Mont., to certain Indians; and

Transcontinental railroad: S. 1909, to provide for the striking of medals commemorating 100th anniversary of completion of transcontinental railroad.

Cleared for Presidential action:

Indian lands: S. 391, to permanently set aside certain lands in Utah as an addition to the Navajo Indian Reservation;

Indian lands: S. 528, to place in trust status certain lands on the Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming;

Indian lands: S. 1173, to convey certain federally owned lands to the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma;

Foss Reservoir: S. 1946, to amend the repayment contract with the Foss Reservoir Master Conservancy District; and

San Gabriel: S. 2531, to designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in the State of California.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 15345 and H.R. 16674. Pages 11776–11792

Presidential Letter—Tax Raise: Received and read a letter from the President regarding the proposed Federal income tax increase—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 305). Pages 11775–11776

Ocean Cruises: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12639, to remove certain limitations on ocean cruises; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Garmatz, Downing, Murphy of New York, Mailliard, and Pelly. Page 11792

Firemen's Compensation: Rereferred from the Committee on Education and Labor to the Committee on the Judiciary H.R. 16898, to provide compensation for firemen not employed by the United States killed or injured in the performance of duty during a civil disorder. Page 11798

Suspension Passages: The following measures were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Judicial survivors annuity: H.R. 9391, relating to participation in the Judicial Survivors Annuity System (amended, and sent to the Senate; passed by a voice vote). Page 11792

Interstate detainers: H.R. 15421, to enact the Interstate Agreement on Detainers into law (amended, and sent to the Senate; passed by a voice vote). Pages 11793–11796

Kerr Memorial: H.R. 15822, to authorize the establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center (sent to the Senate without amendment; passed by a voice vote). Pages 11798–11804

Security measures: H.R. 15345, to provide security measures for banks and other financial institutions (amended and sent to the Senate; passed by a record vote of 235 yeas to 98 nays). Pages 11804–11810

Vocational rehabilitation: H.R. 16819, Vocational Rehabilitation Act Amendments of 1968 (amended and sent to the Senate; passed by a record vote of 335 yeas). Pages 11810–11823

Uniformed services per diem: H.R. 10897, increasing per diem allowance for members of uniformed services (sent to the Senate without amendment; passed by a voice vote). Pages 11823–11824

Suspension: The following measure was called up, considered, and failed to pass under suspension of the rules:

Cost of living: H.R. 13016, to provide cost-of-living allowances for judicial employees stationed outside the continental U.S. or in Alaska or Hawaii (failed, by a record vote of 206 yeas to 132 nays). Pages 11796–11798

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 11839

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and continued consideration of extension of Food and Agriculture Act of 1965. No announcements were made.

FDIC

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 16064, amend FDIC. Testimony was heard from Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, FDIC, William B. Camp, Comptroller of the Currency, and a public witness.

MINES AND MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

S. 823, amended, for the relief of Elwyn C. Hale;

S. 443, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to consider a petition for the reinstatement of an oil and gas lease (Wyoming 0280122);

S. 102, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to consider a petition for the reinstatement of an oil and gas lease (Wyoming 0310090); and

H.R. 16880, amended, for the relief of Phillips Petroleum Co., and David Miller.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POSTING BONDS FOR USE OF FEDERAL PROPERTY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds began hearings on bills regarding use of Federal property requiring the posting of bonds. Testimony was heard from Representatives Abbitt, Colmer, Charles Griffin, Marsh, O'Neal, Randall, Watson, Wyman, and J. George Stewart, Capitol Architect, and departmental witnesses.

TAXATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and agreed to the following motion by Representative Herlong:

I move that the Committee on Ways and Means advise the chairman to advise the committee on conference between the House and the Senate on H.R. 15414 that the Committee on Ways and Means has studied the resolution adopted by the Committee on Appropriations calling for a reduction of not less than $4 billion in expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, with the exceptions enumerated therein, and that the Committee on Ways and Means, in the light of the existing critical domestic and international fiscal situation, adopts the following position:

(1) That it is the view of the Committee on Ways and Means that budget expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, should be reduced by at least $4 billion (excepting special Vietnam costs, interest on the debt, veterans' benefits, and Social Security Trust Funds, in excess of amounts estimated in the budget);

(2) That the chairman and the House conferees are requested to negotiate within the conference on an appropriate limitation on expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969;

(3) That there should be a reduction of at least $10 billion in new obligational authority and a rescission of at least $8 billion in old authority; and

(4) That the Committee on Ways and Means further considers, as a part of the foregoing, that appropriate income tax increases (either through a 10-percent surcharge or comparable rate adjustments) should be developed by the conferees on H.R. 15414 to yield approximately $10 billion in a full year of operation to become a part of the combined expenditure-tax action to be embodied in the conference report on the bill, H.R. 15414.

Tuesday, May 7, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12004–12042

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3443–3455; and S. Res. 286.

Pages 12005–12010

Resolution Reported: Report was made as follows: S. Res. 286, authorizing employment of three additional clerical assistants by Committee on District of Columbia (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Page 12010

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 11981

Arts and Humanities: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965. Pages 11975–11980

Senator Hayden: Numerous Senators spoke in tribute to the character and achievements of Senator Carl Hayden, of Arizona, on the occasion of his announcement that he will not seek reelection to the Senate after 56 years of continual congressional service—the longest such service in the history of Congress. Pages 11984–12005

Appointments to Board and Commission: Vice President made the following appointments:

Senator Fannin in lieu of Senator Baker as a member of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy; and

Senators Magnuson and Cotton to the National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control. Page 11987

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued its consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Pages 11990, 12056–12059

Recess: Recessed at 5:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and Interior power activities, having as its witness Douglas G. Wright, Administrator, Southwestern Power Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget

estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their Department from Maj. Gen. John H. Bell, Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; Maj. Gen. Tom E. Marchbanks, Jr., Chief of Reserves; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau; and Brig. Gen. William Pitts, Office of Operations and Maintenance, all of the Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the Executive Office of the President, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other Post Office Department officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on Army civil functions items from Senators Fulbright, McClellan, and Long of Louisiana, on funds for the Lower Mississippi Valley and Red River Valley projects; Senators Monroney and Yarborough, and Representative Purcell, on Red River Valley projects; Representative Everett, on Lower Mississippi Valley projects; Senators Hruska, Long of Missouri, Symington, Carlson, Pearson, and Miller, on Missouri River projects; and Senators Proxmire, Nelson, and Mondale, on survey of St. Croix River flood control work.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration without amendment S. 356, permitting establishment and operation of branch offices by the Michigan National Bank, Lansing; and with amendment S. 3001, providing security measures to discourage robberies of banks and other financial institutions, and S. 3133, to provide extension of authority for more flexible regulation of maximum interest rates.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported six amendments to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (Ex. C, 90th Cong., second sess.); Convention on the International Hydrographic Organization (Ex. O, 90th Cong., first sess.); S. 1578, authorizing funds for U.S. contribution for support of the International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs.

Committee also approved the nominations of George W. Ball, of New York, to be U.S. representative to the United Nations; Frank E. McKinney, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Spain; G. Mennen Williams, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Philippines; and a routine Foreign Service list of March 12, 1968.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony was received from William K. Miller, Office of Maritime Affairs, Department of State, accompanied by Capt. W. F. Rea, U.S. Coast Guard, who directed their remarks to Executive C; Martin Hirabayashi, Special Trade Activities and Commercial Treaties Division, Department of State, who testified with regard to S. 1578; and Mrs. Eleanor McDowell, attorney-adviser, Department of State, who testified in connection with Executive O.

JUDICIAL IMPROVEMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 1351, to pay reasonable costs and fees to defendants in actions by the U.S. for condemnation of real property, having as its witnesses Roland Boyd, American Bar Association; Forrest Cooper, an attorney of Lakeview, Oreg.; and Gordon Ramstead, an attorney of Eugene, Oreg.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty held hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., having as its witnesses Garth L. Mangum, National Manpower Policy Task Force; and David Freeman, Washington Metropolitan Area Jobs Council, Inc.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 9, when Secretary of Labor Wirtz will testify.

RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement concluded its hearings on the civil service retirement program, after receiving testimony from Senator Monroney; Patrick J. Nilan, United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL–CIO; Daniel Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; Chris O. Henderson, National Federation of Professional Organizations; Carey W. Hilliard, National Rural Letter Carriers' Association; John J. Murphy, National Customs Service Association; Henry Womack, National League of Postmasters; James D. Hill, Air Traffic Control Association; and Paul Hankins, U.S. Treasury Agents Association, the latter of whom submitted a written statement.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, receiving testimony from Anthony Downs, Jr., Real Estate Research Corp., Washington, D.C.; Vincent Broderick, former police chief of New York City; and the follow-

ing representatives of the American Society of Landscape Architects: Theodore Osmundson, president, Arnold H. Vollmer, and Lawrence Halprin.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 17076–17104; 13 private bills, H.R. 17105–17117; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1264, and H. Res. 1162–1167, were introduced.

Pages 12117–12118

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1648, amended, 2046, 5959, amended, and 6655, amended, private bills (H. Repts. 1352–1355);

S. 2349, to provide for the appointment of additional circuit judges (H. Rept. 1356);

H.R. 859, for the relief of Public Utility District No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash. (H. Rept. 1357);

H.R. 3165, for the relief of Hood River County, Oreg., amended (H. Rept. 1358);

S. 171, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 1359);

H. Res. 1162, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3300, regarding the Colorado River Basin project (H. Rept. 1360);

H. Res. 1163, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16165, to extend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act (H. Rept. 1361);

H. Res. 1164, providing for the waiving of points of order against H.R. 17023, the independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development appropriations (H. Rept. 1362); and

H. Res. 1165, providing for the consideration of S. 3033, regarding the Missouri River Basin (H. Rept. 1363). Page 12117

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President: S. 948, 1147, 1180, 1395, 1406, 1483, 1490, 1828, 1829, 1918, 1968, 2005, 2022, 2023, 2078, 2132, 2139, 2149, 2176, 2193, 2256, 2285, 2301, 2381, 2403, 2404, and 2489.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 8241, 12115, 12246, 12306, 12502, 12816, and 14323.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 68, 107, 909, 2178, 2248, H.R. 3010, and 10989.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1527, 1608, 2263, 2281, 2282, 2758, 4386, 4404, 4939, 6321, 10327, 10417, 11381, 12539, 12894, 15462, 15633, H. Res. 991, 1098, 1110, 1111, S. 126, 155, 233, 321, 1040, 1052, 1129, and 1808.

Recommitted: H.R. 4058. Pages 12065–12072

Legal Holidays: Adopted, by a record vote of 350 yeas to 27 nays, H. Res. 1149, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15951, to provide for uniform annual observances of certain legal holidays on Mondays.

Pages 12077–12080

Motor Vehicle Accidents: By a record vote of 363 yeas to 3 nays, the House passed H.J. Res. 958, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study and investigation of the existing compensation system for motor vehicle accident losses.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S.J. Res. 129 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Prior to adoption of the committee amendment adopted an amendment designed to strengthen certain objectives of the study.

Rejected amendments regarding final report to be submitted in 18 months; and creation of a Joint Committee on Compensation for Motor Vehicle Accident Losses.

H. Res. 1151, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 12075–12077, 12080–12096

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 12117

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension met in executive session and considered H.R. 15030, and related bills, Potato Research and Promotion Act. No announcements were made.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Alain Enthoven, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Systems Analysis.

FDIC

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 16064, amend FDIC. Testimony was heard from Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, FDIC, William B. Camp, Comptroller of the Currency, and departmental witnesses.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on H.R. 16361, D.C. revenue. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GUARANTEED EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 12280, guaranteed employment bill. Testimony was heard from George Meany, president, AFL–CIO.

CAB

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on the CAB. Testimony was heard from John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, CAB, and other CAB witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16429, amended, to provide for the conveyance by the Secretary of the Interior of certain lands and interests in lands in Grand and Clear Creek Counties, Colo., in exchange for certain lands within the national forests of Colorado.

AIRCRAFT NOISE ABATEMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 3400, aircraft noise abatement. No announcements were made.

JUDGES

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2349, amended, appointment of additional judges.

MARITIME PROGRAM—FISHERY TALKS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from Representative Tiernan and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife received an executive briefing on Santiago, Chile, fishery talks.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from Dr. A. Ross Eckler, Director, Bureau of the Census, and a public witness.

FOGARTY—DEMONSTRATIONS—BUILDING PROSPECTUSES

Committee on Public Works: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16629, amended, to name U.S. customshouse in Providence, R.I., the John E. Fogarty Building; and H.R. 16981, amended, limiting the use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, requiring the posting of a bond; and approved several building prospectuses.

The Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved the bills and prospectuses acted on by the full committee.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Federal-aid Highway Program held a hearing on highway safety, design, and operations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted rules on the following bills:

H.R. 16165, extend and amend P.L. 480, open rule, waiving points of order, 2 hours of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representative Poage.

H.R. 17023, independent agencies appropriations bill, rule waiving points of order as to the NASA provisions of the bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Evins and Jonas.

H.R. 3300, Colorado River Basin project, open rule waiving points of order, 4 hours of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Foley, Harold Johnson, Rhodes, and Saylor.

S. 3033, Missouri River Basin project, open rule, 1 hour of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representative Aspinall.

Joint Committee Meetings

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communications and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, May 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12332–12361

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3456–3465; and S. Res. 287.

Pages 12333, 12334

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 279, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Montana" (S. Rept. 1104);

S. Res. 280, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "Planning-Programing-Budgeting: Selected Comment" (S. Rept. 1105);

S. Res. 285, to print as a Senate document annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission (S. Rept. 1106);

S. Res. 282, to print as a Senate document report by Senator Ellender entitled "Review of U.S. Government Operations in South Asia" (S. Rept. 1107);

S. Con. Res. 68, to print additional copies of hearings on proposed amendments to the Federal Firearms Act (S. Rept. 1108);

H. Con. Res. 770, to print an updated pocket-size U.S. Constitution for congressional distribution (S. Rept. 1109);

S. Res. 277, to print additional copies of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (S. Rept. 1110);

S. 3465, to further promote equal employment opportunities of American workers, with minority, individual, and supplemental views (S. Rept. 1111);

H.R. 15190, authorizing funds for continued studies to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, with amendment (S. Rept. 1112);

H.R. 14681, declaring a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable (S. Rept. 1113);

S. Res. 276, authorizing an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (no written report); and

S. Res. 287, to pay a gratuity to survivor of a deceased employee of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol (no written report). Pages 12332, 12334

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 12300

Medals: Senate took from desk and passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 1234, providing for the issuance of a gold medal to the widow of the late Walt Disney in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the U.S. and to the world.

Pages 12286–12287

Medals: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1909, to provide for striking of medals celebrating the 100th anniversary of the completion of the first transcontinental railroad. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 12330–12331

Ocean Cruises: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 12639, to set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Bartlett, Brewster, Cotton, and Griffin. Page 12332

Auto Insurance Study: S.J. Res. 129, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Pages 12331–12332

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. Pages 12305–12330

Nominations: The following nominations were received: John E. Robson, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; Stanford G. Ross, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation; and H. Brooks James, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Administrator of Agency for International Development. Page 12361

Recess: Recessed at 5:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation, subcommittee received testimony from Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 10, when public witnesses will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witness Lt. Gen. Robert G. Ruegg, Deputy Chief of Staff for Systems and Logistics, Air Force.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Army officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony from Mary E. Switzer, Administrator, who was accompanied by other officials of the Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Office of the Secretary.

APPROPRIATIONS—POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the Executive Office of the President, with testimony from the following officials of the Post Office Department: Frederick C. Belen, Deputy Postmaster General; Ralph W. Nicholson, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Finance and Administration); Dr. Leo S. Packer, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Research and Engineering); Frederick E. Batrus, Assistant Postmaster

General (Bureau of Transportation); John L. O'Marra, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Facilities); and William M. McMillan, Assistant Postmaster General (Bureau of Operations).

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on Army civil functions items from Senator Clark, on Raystown and Tocks Island Dams and Reservoirs; Senator Scott and Representative Whalley, on funds for Raystown project; Senator Williams of New Jersey, on funds for the Tocks Island project; and several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee resumed executive hearings on strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witnesses Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations, who was accompanied by Rear Adm. G. H. Miller, Director, Offensive and Defensive Systems; Rear Adm. L. Smith, Project Manager, Fleet Ballistic Missile; and Rear Adm. E. W. Dobie, Jr., Deputy Director, ASW programs. The witnesses testified and answered questions with regard to status and capability of the Polaris missile program, as well as programed improvements when the Poseidon missile becomes operational.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RADIATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2067, 3211, and H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions, receiving testimony from Dr. Allen V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce; Dr. Richard H. Chamberlain, American College of Radiology, Chicago; Eugene A. Keeney, American Retail Federation, accompanied by John Frazier, New River Supply Co., Oak Hill, W. Va.; Leslie Wilson, American Society of Radiologic Technologists, Fond du Lac, Wis.; and George L. Taylor, who presented the statement of Andrew J. Biemiller, department of legislation, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15364, authorizing $411,760,000 as U.S. subscription to request for an increase of $1 billion of the capital stock of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Prior to this action, committee received testimony in connection with this matter from Reuben Sternfeld, alternate U.S. Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs held hearings on S.J. Res. 96 and S.J. Res. 106, calling for the development of methods by which the people of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands may express their wishes with respect to their future political status, with testimony from Senators Mansfield, Inouye, and Fong, the latter of whom submitted a written statement; Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall; Under Secretary of State Nicholas deB. Katzenbach; and Rear Adm. William E. Lemos, Director, East Asia and Pacific Region, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs).

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 3073, authorizing funds to promote economic development in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and S. 3207, authorizing funds for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, with testimony from Harry R. Anderson, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, accompanied by William R. Norwood, High Commissioner of the Trust Territory.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nomination of James B. McMillan, to be U.S. district judge for the western district of North Carolina, and Myron H. Bright, of North Dakota, to be U.S. circuit judge for the eighth circuit, prior to which action, in open session, Senators Ervin and Jordan of North Carolina appeared in support of Mr. McMillan, and Senator Burdick appeared in support of Mr. Bright. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE U.S.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 3163, giving Federal courts jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the U.S., having as its witnesses Representative Machen; Aaron Goldman, president, the Macke Corp., Washington, D.C.; William E. MaGee, a D.C. attorney; and Dean Ralph E. Nash, George Washington University Law School.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearings to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, receiving testimony from Archibald Rogers, an architect of Baltimore; William L. Garrison, Center for Urban Studies, University of Illinois, Chicago; and Vernon Read, Management Technology, Inc., Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 27.

COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS, AND PRINTING

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: S. Res. 13, to create a Standing Committee on Veterans' Affairs (amended so as to make its provisions effective at the beginning of the 91st Cong.); S. Res. 276, authorizing an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare; H. Con. Res. 770, to print an updated pocket-size U.S. Constitution for congressional distribution; S. Con. Res. 68, to print additional copies of hearings on proposed amendments to the Federal Firearms Act; S. Res. 277, to print additional copies of Government Operations Subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders"; S. Res. 279, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Montana"; S. Res. 280, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "Planning-Programing-Budgeting: Selected Comment"; S. Res. 282, to print as a Senate document report by Senator Ellender entitled "Review of U.S. Government Operations in South Asia"; S. Res. 285, to print as a Senate document annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission; and an original resolution (S. Res. 287) authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased employee of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol.

Also, committee approved the offer of the William Randolph Hearst Foundation to sponsor another Senate youth program during the first week of February 1969.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 17118–17146; 20 private bills, H.R. 17147–17166; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1265–1267, H. Con. Res. 776, and H. Res. 1168–1169, were introduced. Pages 12278–12279

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1168, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 1224, regarding reappointment of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (H. Rept. 1364);

H. Res. 1169, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16911, to provide for U.S. participation in the facility based on special drawing rights in the International Monetary Fund (H. Rept. 1365);

Disposition of Executive Papers (H. Rept. 1366); and

H.R. 16187, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 1367).

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Independent Offices-HUD Appropriation: By a record vote of 353 yeas to 37 nays, the House passed H.R. 17023, the independent offices and Department of Housing and Urban Development appropriation bill, 1969.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to limit total expenditures to approximately $15.5 billion by a record vote of 173 yeas to 216 nays.

Adopted amendments to—

Deny funds for scholarship to any student not obeying the rules of the college he attends; and

Deny funds to pay salaries of Federal employees participating in, or inciting, a riot.

Rejected amendments regarding—

Supplementary training for secondary school science and mathematics teachers;

$188 million reduction in funds for model cities program;

Reduction of maximum payments limitation for rent supplement program by $15 million; and

Elimination of funds for rent supplement program.

Adopted by a voice vote H. Res. 1164, providing for a waiver of points of order against the National Aeronautics and Space Administration provisions of the bill.

Pages 12220–12264

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Alain Enthoven, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Systems Analysis.

MILITARY APPEALS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1, approved for full committee action S. 2634, Court of Military Appeals.

The subcommittee held a hearing on the bill prior to approving S. 2634. Testimony was heard from Robert Emmett Quinn, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Military Appeals, and associate judges.

IDA

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 16775, International Development Association. Testimony was heard from Henry Fowler, Secretary of the Treasury.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15575, amended, air pollution.

GUARANTEED EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 12280, guaranteed employment. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 5741, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15263, foreign aid. No announcements were made.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on assistance programs in Africa. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and reconsidered S. 450, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands, adopted an additional amendment and reported favorably to the House S. 450 with the amendment.

The committee also considered but did not take final action on H.R. 7329, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam.

AIRCRAFT NOISE ABATEMENT—MUTUAL FUNDS—MEDICAL PROGRAMS—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: The Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 3400, amended, aircraft noise abatement.

The following subcommittees each met in executive session but made no announcements:

Commerce and Finance, considered mutual funds;

Public Health and Welfare, considered H.R. 15758, regional medical programs; and

Communications and Power, considered pending business.

EDUCATION GRANTS—CLAIMS

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 continued hearings on S. 3 and H.R. 1198, judicial review of constitutionality of Federal education grants. Testimony was heard from Erwin N. Griswold, Solicitor General, Department of Justice, and a public witness.

Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS—LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and considered the legislative program for the remainder of the year. The subcommittee will consider the following topics in the following order:

1. Wage board pay increase;
2. Civil Service Commission revolving fund;
3. S. 1035, invasion of rights;
4. H.R. 460, employee-management relation bill.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on the Federal-aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety, design, and operations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

OAS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held a hearing on H.R. 16175, to authorize transfer and improvement of property in D.C., for use as headquarters site for the Organization of American States. Testimony was heard from Saul Linowitz, U.S. Ambassador to the OAS, and other departmental witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 2 hours of debate, waiving points of order against section 3(b), on H.R. 16911, special drawing rights bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Patman, Reuss, and Widnall.

Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate on H.J. Res. 1224, authorizing the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, for an additional term of 1 year, the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1968. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bates and Rivers.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

NURSING CARE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7481, amended, hospital costs for nursing home care, and H.R. 16902, nursing care and treatment in State homes.

Joint Committee Meetings

MONETARY MANAGEMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began a series of hearings on the operational aspects of monetary management, having as its witnesses Lester V. Chandler,

professor of economics, Princeton University; Franco Modigliani, professor, departments of economics and industrial management, MIT; and Henry C. Wallich, professor of economics, Yale University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAXATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, providing a surcharge on income taxes, reducing Government expenditures, continuing existing excise tax on communications and automobiles, and to expedite payments of estimated tax by corporations, and announced that agreement had been reached to impose a 10-percent surcharge on income taxes, and to reduce Federal expenditures by $6 billion.

Conferees did not complete work on this bill, and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, May 9, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12504–12527

Bills Introduced: Five bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3466–3470; and S.J. Res. 169–170. Page 12504

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3159, authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art (S. Rept. 1114). Page 12504

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar, 10 measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Boston Inner Harbor: H.R. 14681, declaring a portion of Boston Inner Harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Committee funds: S. Res. 276, authorizing an additional $20,000 for expenses of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 770, to print an updated pocket-size U.S. Constitution for congressional distribution;

Printing: S. Con. Res. 68, to print additional copies of hearings on proposed amendments to the Federal Firearms Act;

Printing: S. Res. 277, to print additional copies of Government Operations subcommittee hearings on "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

Printing: S. Res. 279, to print as a Senate document a report entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Montana";

Printing: S. Res. 280, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "Planning-Programing-Budgeting: Selected Comment";

Printing: S. Res. 282, to print as a Senate document report by Senator Ellender entitled "Review of U.S. Government Operations in South Asia";

Printing: S. Res. 285, to print as a Senate document annual report of the National Forest Reservation Commission; and

Gratuity: S. Res. 287, to pay a gratuity to survivor of a deceased employee of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol. Pages 12442–12443

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued its consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act.

It was ordered that when Senate completes its business on Friday, May 10, it will meet again at 10 a.m. Monday, May 13, in the further consideration of this bill.

In this connection, majority leader read a letter of May 8 addressed to him by the President urging action on S. 917. The majority leader urged the Senate Members to make every effort to bring debate on the bill to a head, begin voting on amendments, and dispose of the bill. Pages 12443–12451, 12457–12504

Treaty Reported: Convention on the International Hydrographic Organization, done at Monaco, May 3, 1967, and signed for U.S. September 13, 1967 (Ex. O, 90th Cong., first sess.) was reported (Ex. Rept. 3). Page 12504

Treaty Reported: Six amendments to the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea, 1960, adopted October 25, 1967, in London (Ex. C, 90th Cong., second sess.), reported (Ex. Rept. 4). Page 12504

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Wilbur J. Cohen, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; John R. Petty, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; William M. Drennen, of West Virginia, William M. Fay, of Pennsylvania, C. Moxley Featherston, of Virginia, and Charles R. Simpson, of Illinois, each to be a judge of the U.S. Tax Court; Frank E. McKinney, of Indiana, to be Ambassador to Spain; and numerous nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service.

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Nominations: Numerous postmaster nominations were received. Pages 12527–12528

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee met in executive session for the consideration of S. 2918, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again sometime next week.

REDUCTION OF FEDERAL EXPENDITURES, AND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to hear chairman of the Senate Committee on Finance Senator Long (Louisiana) explain agreement to reduce Federal expenditures by $6 billion, which agreement was reached by the conferees on Wednesday, May 8, in connection with H.R. 15414, proposed Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968.

Also, committee approved H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Harold K. Johnson.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from other Army officials.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for public works, with testimony on Army civil functions items from Senator Holland, in behalf of himself and Senator Smathers, on funds for various projects in Florida; Representative Pepper and Gov. Claude R. Kirk, Jr., also on Florida projects; Senator Bartlett, on behalf of himself and Senator Gruening, on funds for projects in Alaska; and Senators Ervin and Jordan of North Carolina, in behalf of funds for projects in their State.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, receiving testimony from the following HEW officials: James F. Kelly, Assistant Secretary (Comptroller); Donald F. Simpson, Assistant Secretary for Administration; Alanson W. Willcox, General Counsel; Dean W. Coston, Deputy Under Secretary; and Paul A. Miller, Assistant Secretary (Education).

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony on funds for special institutions.

RADIATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings on S. 2067, S. 3211, and H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions, receiving testimony from Howard L. Goldman, division of preventive services, New York State Department of Health; Bernard H. Falk, National Electrical Manufacturers Association, New York City; Harvey Picker, chairman of board of directors, Picker Corp., White Plains, N.Y.; and J. Edward Day, Electronic Industries Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 13.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee approved the nomination of Frederic G. Donner, of New York, to be a member of the board of directors of the Communications Satellite Corp., prior to which action, in open hearings, Mr. Donner was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

DEFENSE RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Director of Defense Research and Engineering Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., testify and answer questions with regard to research activities of the Defense Department and certain foreign policy matters.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began a series of hearings on S. 698, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, and other pending related legislation, having as its witnesses Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, and James Frey, Office of the General Counsel, both of the Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNAL SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Internal Security Subcommittee concluded its hearings on S. 2988, proposed Internal Security Act of 1968, after receiving testimony from Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., having as its witness Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session ordered favorably reported S. 3159, authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art; S. 3363, designating the U.S. Customs House building in Providence, R.I., as the "John E. Fogarty Building" (amended); the nomination of Maj. Gen. Clarence C. Haug, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission; and a list containing numerous public building prospectuses.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session to consider S. 1558, providing for re-

payment of certain Federal-aid funds expended in connection with construction of the Garden State Parkway, New Jersey, but did not conclude action thereon.

COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

Special Committee on Aging: Committee met in executive session to discuss a schedule of its activities for this session of the Congress.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 17167–17189; 17 private bills, H.R. 17190–17206; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1268–1270, were introduced. Pages 12652–12653

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1159, providing for additional compensation for services performed by certain employees in the House Publications Distribution Service (H. Rept. 1368);

H. Res. 1160, providing for the expenses of studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended (H. Rept. 1369);

H.R. 14314, to amend the Labor-Management Relations Act, amended (H. Rept. 1370);

S. 1028, to extend certain benefits to former employees of county committees established pursuant to section 8(b) of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, amended (H. Rept. 1371);

H.R. 14907, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act, amended (H. Rept. 1372); and

H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 (H. Rept. 1373). Page 12652

Arms Control-Disarmament Act: By a record vote of 270 yeas to 90 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 14940, the Arms Control and Disarmament Act amendments, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 12529–12531

House Publications Distribution Service: Adopted H. Res. 1159, providing for additional compensation for services performed by certain employees in the House Publications Distribution Service. Page 12531

Committee on Government Operations: Adopted H. Res. 1160, providing for the expenses of studies and investigations authorized by rule XI(8) incurred by the Committee on Government Operations, amended. Pages 12531–12532

Higher Education: By a record vote of 348 yeas to 5 nays, the House passed H.R. 16729, the Higher Education Act amendments.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Education and Labor with instructions that no funds authorized by this act shall exceed by 80 percent the sums herein authorized.

Adopted amendments regarding:

Extension of the vocational work-study program;

Funds to be withheld if a student is convicted of certain crimes;

Withholding of funds from individuals causing disruption of university or college administration (by a record vote of 306 yeas to 54 nays); and

Withholding of funds from any individual convicted of inciting, or participating in, a riot.

Rejected a preferential motion to strike the enacting clause. Pages 12532–12582

Supplemental Appropriation: House passed H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968. Pages 12582–12583

Public Holidays: By a record vote of 212 yeas to 83 nays, the House passed H.R. 15951, to provide for uniform annual observances of certain legal public holidays on Mondays.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions that Washington's Birthday be observed on February 22 (by a record vote of 141 yeas to 153 nays).

Rejected amendments to—

Observe Washington's Birthday on February 22;

Observe Veterans' Day on November 11;

Observe Memorial Day on May 30;

Designate the holidays by number instead of by name; and

Strike Columbus Day from the bill.

Rejected a preferential motion to strike the enacting clause from the bill. Pages 12582–12612

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 17126, to extend for 1 year the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

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Committee on Banking and Currency: Concluded hearings on H.R. 16775, International Development Association. Testimony was heard from Nicholas Katzenbach, Under Secretary of State.

GUARANTEED EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 12280, the guaranteed employment bill. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session and received a briefing from David King, U.S. Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic.

AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on House Administration: Ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 1159, to authorize overtime pay for folding room employees, and H. Res. 1160, to authorize additional funds for the Committee on Government Operations.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Subcommittee on Accounts approved for full committee action the two resolutions.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on H.R. 3306, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (48 Stat. 108). Testimony was heard from Representative Haley, Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall, and Edward P. Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service.

TV BROADCAST

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the broadcast of a program titled "Pot Party at a University," aired by station WBBM–TV of Chicago on November 1, 2, 3, 1967. Testimony was heard from Dr. Frank Stanton, president, CBS; Edward Kenefick, general manager of WBBM–TV; and other station officials.

CLAIMS—IMMIGRATION

Committee on Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 held hearings on several private claims bills.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Federal-aid highway program continued hearings on highway safety, design, and operation. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommitee on Education and Training met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16025, amended, widows' benefits, and H.R. 14954, veterans' vocational rehabilitation.

Subcommittee on Compensation and Pension met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16027, amended, compensation increase for service-connected disabled veterans.

Joint Committee Meetings

MONETARY MANAGEMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued its series of hearings on the operational aspects of monetary management, having as its witnesses Carl F. Christ, professor, department of political economy, Johns Hopkins University; William G. Dewald, professor of economics, Ohio State University; and Richard T. Selden, professor of economics, Cornell University.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 15.

TAXATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15414, proposed Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968. Included in agreements of the conferees are provisions to (1) provide a reduction of $6 billion in Federal expenditures for fiscal year 1969, and (2) impose a 10-percent income tax surcharge on individuals (effective from April 1, 1968, through June 30, 1969), and on corporations (effective from January 1, 1968, through June 30, 1969).

D.C. POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

Conferees met in executive session to consider the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen, firemen, and teachers, and agreed to establish a minimum base salary for policemen and firemen of $7,800, retroactive to October 1, 1967, and increase such base to $8,000, effective July 1, 1968.

Agreement was also reached to establish minimum base salary for schoolteachers at $6,400, retroactive to October 1, 1967, and increase such base to $7,000, effective July 1, 1968. It was also agreed that the salary of the Superintendent of Schools be set at $29,000, retroactive to October 1, 1967, with an increase to $30,000 effective July 1, 1968; and that the salary of the Deputy Superintendent of Schools be set at $25,000, retroactive to October 1, 1967, with an increase to $26,000 effective July 1, 1968.

Conferees recessed pending settlement of details respecting teachers salaries.

Friday, May 10, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12755–12796

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3471–3474. Page 12776

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 16409, providing salary increases for teachers and school officers in the D.C., with amendments (S. Rept. 1115). Page 12776

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 12755

Arms Control: Senate agreed to conference report on H.R. 14940, authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 12756

Indians: S. 1119, granting mineral rights to the Crow Indians on certain lands of the Crow Reservation, Mont., was cleared for the White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 12755

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Monday, May 13, during further consideration of the bill, debate will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, on pending amendment No. 746, submitted by Senator Mansfield for himself and Senator Metcalf, to lower from 50,000 to 25,000 persons the population eligibility requirement for authorization of grants for law enforcement plans or for law enforcement purposes to units of local governments. Pages 12796–12837

Vote on Treaties: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that starting at 12:30 p.m. Monday, May 13, vote will be taken on resolution of ratification on Convention on International Hydrographic Organization (Ex. O, 90th Cong., first sess.), to be immediately followed by vote on resolution of ratification on six amendments to the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea, 1960 (Ex. C, 90th Cong., second sess.). Pages 12756–12776

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of Maj. Gen. Clarence C. Haug, U.S. Army, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission; and of Frederic G. Donner, of New York, to be a member of the board of directors of the Communications Satellite Corp. Page 12838

Nomination: Nomination of Edwin M. Zimmerman, of California, to be an Assistant Attorney General, was received. Page 12838

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—RECLAMATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Bureau of Reclamation and Interior power activities, after receiving testimony in behalf of funds for projects in their respective States from Senators Moss and Metcalf. Testimony was also received from several public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from the following Army officials: Maj. Gen. John E. Kelly, Acting Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel; Maj. Gen. William J. Sutton, Chief of Reserves; Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief, National Guard Bureau; and Brig. Gen. L. B. Taylor, Director of the Budget, on funds for Operations and Maintenance.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 13, with further testimony on funds for the Army.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Leonard M. Elstad, president, Gallaudet College; James E. Nabrit, Jr., president, Howard University; Charles E. Burbridge, superintendent, Freedmen's Hospital; and Paul A. Miller, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Education.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 13, on funds for the Office of Economic Opportunity.

STRATEGIC WEAPONS

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on strategic weapons and weapons delivery systems, having as its witness Army Chief of Staff Gen. Harold K. Johnson.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. TEACHERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee approved for reporting with amendments H.R. 16409, providing salary increases for teachers and school officers in the D.C.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, receiving testimony from William G. Colman, David B. Walker, and Albert J. Richter, all of the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Wayne Gibbens, who presented the statement of Gov. John Connally, in behalf of the National Governors' Conference and Council of State Governments; David Hill, National Governors' Conference; and Nathaniel S. Keith, National Housing Conference.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 14.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers resumed its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress. Witnesses heard were Frank W. McCulloch, Chairman, and Arnold Ordman, General Counsel, both of the National Labor Relations Board.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 23.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., receiving testimony from Jesse M. Unruh, speaker of the assembly, State of California; and Dr. C. E. Bishop, vice president, University of North Carolina.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 13.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 17207–17221; and 10 private bills, H.R. 17222–17231, were introduced. Pages 12754–12755

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 17126, to extend for 1 year the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 1374). Page 12754

Special Drawing Rights Act: By a record vote of 236 yeas to 15 nays, the House passed H.R. 16911, to provide for U.S. participation in the facility based on special drawing rights in the International Monetary Fund.

By a record vote of 231 yeas to 9 nays adopted H. Res. 1169, the rule under which the legislation was considered. Pages 12718–12738

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of May 15. Page 12716

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 12754

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and continued consideration of occupational health and safety. No announcements were made.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 3306, amended, to provide for the protection of the watershed within the Carson National Forest for the Pueblo de Taos Indians, New Mexico, by making the U.S. trustee of the land described; and H.R. 10911, amended, to provide for preparation of a roll of persons of California descent who are eligible to share in the distribution of certain judgment funds and for a referendum on the compromise settlement in consolidated dockets Nos. 31, 37, 80, 80–D, and 347, Indian Claims Commission.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a public hearing on H.R. 3306. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TV BROADCAST

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Investigations Subcommittee continued hearings on the broadcast of a program entitled "Pot Party at a University," aired by station WBBM–TV of Chicago on November 1, 2, 3, 1967. Testimony was heard from station officials and employees.

Monday, May 13, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 12908–12947

Bills Introduced: 10 bills, were introduced, as follows: S. 3475–3484. Pages 12916–12917

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 13, to create a Standing Committee on Veterans' Affairs, with amendments (S. Rept. 1116);

S. 758, to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to utilize its employees more effectively and to improve Administrative efficiency, with amendment (S. Rept. 1117); and

Report of Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Log-Exporting Problems" (S. Rept. 1118).

Page 12916

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 12916

President's Message—Auto Safety: President transmitted first annual report of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966—referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 12916

President's Message—Highway Safety: President transmitted first annual report on administration of the Highway Safety Act of 1966—referred to Committee on Public Works. Pages 12915–12916

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, adopting the following amendments thereto:

Mansfield-Metcalf amendment No. 746 to lower from 50,000 to 25,000 persons the population eligibility requirement for authorization of grants for law enforcement plans or for law enforcement purposes to units of local governments; and, by 61 yeas to 9 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Byrd of West Virginia amendment No. 710 to disqualify for 5 years from Federal or D.C. employment any individual convicted of feloniously engaging in a riot or civil disorder.

Pages 12947–12949, 12962–12968, 12975–13000, 13003–13004

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 16409, providing salary increases for teachers and school officers in the D.C. Pages 13004–13009

Treaties Ratified: By unanimous vote of 73 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of Convention on International Hydrographic Organization (Ex. O, 90th Cong., first sess.).

By unanimous vote of 74 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of six amendments to the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea, 1960 (Ex. C, 90th Cong., second sess.). Pages 12950–12951

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nominations of G. Mennen Williams, of Michigan, to be Ambassador to the Philippines; and of George W. Ball, of New York, to be U.S. representative to the U.N. and to the Security Council of the U.N. Page 13009

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15856, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. As approved by the committee, the bill would authorize a total of $4,150,560,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witness Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird, U.S. Army, Director of the Sentinel Program.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, having as its witness Bertrand M. Harding, Acting Director, Office of Economic Opportunity.

Today's hearings concluded testimony from Government witnesses. Hearings were recessed subject to call.

RADIATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2067, 3211, and H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions, receiving testimony from Dr. H. P. Schwann, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; Prof. C. Susskind, College of Engineering, University of California, Berkeley; and Graham W. McGowan, Electronic Industries Association, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 15.

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 3423, providing for U.S. participation in the facility based on special drawing rights in the International Monetary Fund, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler; J. Dewey Daane, member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby; and George Eddy, a retired Federal employee of Alexandria, Va.

It was announced that the record would remain open for 1 week for inclusion of additional written material.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., having as its witnesses Malcolm R. Lovell, Jr., director, Michigan Employment Security Commission; and Alfred Greene, director, New York State Employment Service.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 17232–17244; and five private bills, H.R. 17245–17249, were introduced. Page 13036

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: S. 2409, a private bill (H. Rept. 1375). Page 13036

Presidential Message—Highway Safety Act: Received a message from the President transmitting the first annual report on the administration of the Highway Safety Act of 1966—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 311). Pages 13010–13011

Presidential Message—Automobile Accidents: Received and read a message from the President regarding automobile accidents on our Nation's highways—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 310). Page 13011

Missouri River Basin: The House passed, by a record vote of 295 yeas to 18 nays, S. 3033, to increase the authorization for appropriation for continuing work in the Missouri River Basin by the Secretary of the Interior.

H. Res. 1165, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 13011–13014

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEMONSTRATIONS AND RIOTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 16941, posting bond by demonstrators, and H.R. 16948, riot damages. Testimony was heard from Representatives Friedel, Fountain, and Watson, and Walter Washington, D.C. Commissioner, and other departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Police met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

DOMESTIC PETROLEUM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on review of mandatory oil import program as it relates to the domestic petroleum industry. Testimony was heard from J. Cordell Moore, Assistant Secretary of Interior.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on the promotional practices of public utilities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Tuesday, May 14, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13134–13176

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3485–3492; and S. Res. 288. Page 13136

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3017, to set maximum rate of interest permitted on federally insured ship loans and mortgages, with amendments (S. Rept. 1119);

H.R. 15224, authorizing funds for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1969 (S. Rept. 1120); and

H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, with amendment (S. Rept. 1121). Page 13136

Public Building: Senate passed without amendment S. 3159, authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art. Pages 13175–13176

Private Bills: The following three private bills were cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto: S. 68, 107, and 2248. Page 13216

Sea-Level Canal: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 15190, authorizing funds for continued studies to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific. Page 13218

Interstate Commerce Commission: S. 758, to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to utilize its employees more effectively and to improve administrative efficiency, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 13218–13219

Safe Streets and Crime: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By unanimous vote of 72 yeas Murphy

amendment No. 740 to require Senate confirmation of appointment of successors to the present Director of FBI; and, by 40 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), that portion of Percy amendment No. 749, as modified, to add to the stated purposes of grants to improve law enforcement the purpose of recruiting and training of community service officers to assist police in discharge of certain duties; and

Rejected: By 29 yeas to 47 nays, that portion of Percy amendment No. 749 to allow up to 90 percent of the cost of the provision in his amendment for recruiting and training community service officers to be paid from grants for law enforcement purposes, and exempting such officers from requirement of local matching of Federal funds used for compensation.

The following debate limitation agreement was adopted: On Wednesday, May 15, immediately after 1-hour speech by Senator Hruska, further debate on amendments to title IV (firearms) will be limited as follows, time on each to be equally divided: 4 hours on pending Hruska amendment No. 708 (as a substitute for Dirksen amendment No. 782); 3 hours on a Kennedy of Massachusetts perfecting amendment to be proposed; 1 hour on all other perfecting amendments; and 1 hour on Dirksen amendment No. 782 as substitute for title IV of bill. It was provided further that on Thursday, May 16, during further consideration of amendments to title IV on which all debate was consumed on May 15, an additional 20 minutes be allowed on each such amendment, equally divided; and that it is the understanding of the Senate that voting on all amendments will not begin until Thursday, May 16.

Pending at recess was Hruska amendment No. 708 entitled "Firearms Amendments" as a substitute for Dirksen amendment No. 782 entitled "Firearms Amendments," which has been offered as a substitute for title IV of the bill entitled "State Firearms Control Assistance."

Pages 13176–13193, 13195–13211, 13214–13217, 13219–13235

Recess: Recessed at 5:00 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SOIL CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Soil Conservation and Forestry, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration without amendment S. 3115, authorizing establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center in the Ouachita National Forest, Okla., and S. 2837, authorizing establishment of the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest, N.C.; and with amendment S. 2276, permitting Secretary of Agriculture to contract for works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act, upon request of local organizations.

Subcommittee postponed action on S. 1423, authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to enter into 10-year cost-sharing agreements with landowners for the use of lands and for soil and water conservation.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Maj. Gen. Henry Miley, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army, on funds for procurement of equipment and missiles; and Russell D. O'Neal, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Research and Development, on funds for research and development and technical evaluation.

Hearings continue tomorrow to hear Secretary of the Navy Ignatius.

TACTICAL AIR POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee held an executive meeting to discuss the status of U.S. tactical air power with Lt. Gen. Joseph F. Carroll, Director, Defense Intelligence Agency.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony from Senators Javits and Brooke; Lois Van Valkenburgh, Citizens Committee for UNICEF; Stacey Widdicombe, Friends Committee on National Legislation; Marjorie Crichton Jordan, American Association of University Women; Rev. A. Dudley Ward, National Council of Churches; Rev. L. Maynard Catchings, the Council for Christian Action of the United Church of Christ; W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby; Charles H. Smith, Jr., Chamber of Commerce of the U.S.; Mrs. Thomas Kouzes, National Congress of Parents and Teachers; J. Orin Shipe, CUNA International, Inc.; and Dr. C. Thomas Spitz, Lutheran Council.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 17, when Secretary of Defense Clifford will testify in connection with military aspects of this proposed legislation.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with further testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from John F. Nichols, superintendent, Detroit Police Department; Alphonse Calabrese, an investigator of the subcommittee's staff; Michael M. Glusac, mayor, and William Stephens, chief of police, both of Highland Park, Mich.; Chief Charles Quinlan and Sgt. Marion M. Hollen, both of the Detroit Police Department; and Gen. Cecil Simmons, head of the Michigan National Guard.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, receiving testimony from Mrs. Gladys Spellman, member of the Board of Commissioners, Prince Georges County, Md., representing the National Association of Counties; Mayor Beverly Briley, Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County, representing the Conference of Mayors and National League of Cities; and Edward Pothoff, city manager of Saginaw, Mich., representing the International City Managers' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VOTING AGE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments held hearings on S.J. Res. 8, 14, and 78, proposing amendments to the Constitution to reduce the voting age from 21 to 18 years, with testimony from Senators Mansfield, Javits, and Miller; and Spencer Oliver, president, Young Democratic Clubs of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., receiving testimony from Robert E. Flanagan, chief, Quincy Division of General Dynamics Corp.; William E. Zisch, Aerojet General Corp.; and Dr. Blue Carstenson, National Farmers Union.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors began a series of hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, with testimony from Senator Bartlett; former Representative Rivers; Mayor H. A. Boucher, of Fairbanks; and several other witnesses from Alaska, on funds for the Tanana River project at Fairbanks; and Brig. Gen. Charles C. Noble, Director of Civil Works, and Col. Lewis A. Pick, Jr., Assistant Director of Civil Works, Pacific Divisions, both of the Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who testified with regard to projects at Tanana River, Kake Harbor, Sergius and Whitestone Narrows, Alaska, and certain projects in Hawaii.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WOODROW WILSON CENTER

Committee on Rules and Administration: Subcommittee on the Smithsonian Institution held hearings on S. 3174, to create a Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in the Smithsonian Institution, receiving testimony from Senator Byrd of Virginia; Senator Williams of New Jersey, Vice Chairman, Woodrow Wilson Memorial Commission; and Senator Anderson, the latter two of whom submitted written statements; Dean Francis B. Sayre, Jr., Chairman, Woodrow Wilson Memorial Commission; Dr. F. Dillon Ripley, Secretary, Smithsonian Institution; Nathaniel A. Owings and Daniel P. Moynihan, both of the Pennsylvania Avenue Commission; Robert F. Kneipp, Office of the Corporation Counsel, D.C.; and Pendleton Herring, president, Woodrow Wilson Foundation.

It was announced that the record will remain open for the inclusion of additional written material.

LOAN SHARKS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee began a series of hearings to study the methods of operation by organized crime and its serious threat to legitimate business in the United States, with testimony today concerning loan shark operations from Ralph Salerno, National Council on Crime and Delinquency; Prof. Henry S. Ruth, Jr., law school, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia; and Henry Peterson, Chief, Organized Crime Section, Department of Justice.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 17250–17274; 14 private bills, H.R. 17275–17288; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1271, and H. Res. 1170–1173, were introduced.

Pages 13133–13134

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 14954, to improve vocational rehabilitation training for service-connected veterans by authorizing pursuit of such training on a part-time basis (H. Rept. 1376);

H.R. 16902, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes (H. Rept. 1377);

H.R. 7481, regarding nursing home care of certain veterans, amended (H. Rept. 1378);

H.R. 16025, regarding compensation and educational assistance for widows of veterans, amended (H. Rept. 1379);

H.R. 16027, to provide increases in rates of compensation for disabled veterans, amended (H. Rept. 1380);

S.J. Res. 142, regarding Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 1381);

S.J. Res. 143, regarding Citizen Regent of the Board

of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 1382);

S.J. Res. 144, regarding Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (H. Rept. 1383);

H.R. 8176, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act of 1955, amended (H. Rept. 1384);

S. 1581, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act of 1955, amended (H. Rept. 1385);

H. Res. 1170, providing for the consideration of H.R. 8578, to amend title I of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 1386);

H. Res. 1171, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15794, to provide for U.S. standards and a national inspection system for grain (H. Rept. 1387);

H. Res. 1172, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16363, to clarify and otherwise amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act (H. Rept. 1388); and

H. Res. 1173, providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 1227, to authorize the temporary funding of the emergency credit revolving fund (H. Rept. 1389).

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Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff: By a voice vote the House passed H.J. Res. 1224, to authorize the President to reappoint as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, for an additional term of 1 year, the officer serving in that position on April 1, 1968.

H. Res. 1168, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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Agricultural Trade Development: By a record vote of 345 yeas to 42 nays the House passed H.R. 16165, to extend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 2986 in lieu of H.R. 16165 after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted an amendment designed to prohibit financing of sales of commodities to North Vietnam (by a record vote of 370 yeas to 21 nays).

Rejected an amendment designed to protect the interests of small businesses participating under the act.

H. Res. 1163, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 13079–13080, 13085–13103

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

M–16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the M–16 Rifle held a public hearing on the M–16 rifle. Testimony was heard from Representative Kyros and Dr. Robert A. Brooks, Assistant Secretary of the Army.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on D.C. revenue proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 16460, vocational education amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15263, Foreign Assistance Act authorization. No announcements were made.

AFRICAN ASSISTANCE—BRIEFING

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session and considered African assistance. Testimony was heard from Arnold Rivkin, World Bank Development Adviser for Africa.

Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session and received a briefing from John Gronouski, U.S. Ambassador to Poland.

REORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on Reorganization Plan No. 3, D.C. Recreation Board; and Reorganization Plan No. 4, D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency. Testimony was heard from Walter Washington, D.C. Commissioner, Philip Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget, and departmental and public witnesses.

DOMESTIC PETROLEUM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a hearing on review of mandatory oil import program as it relates to the domestic petroleum industry. Testimony was heard from Representatives Burleson, Matsunaga, Mink, St Germain, and Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico, Polanco-Abreu, and public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service held a hearing on H.R. 13844, to grant time off for employees to arrange funerals of their children lost in military action; and H.R. 16588, to promote effective use of the Civil Service Commission revolving fund. Testimony was heard from Representative Dulski and Ludwig J. Andolsek, Vice Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

TVA—TANANA RIVER BASIN

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held hearings on legislation to amend the TVA Act to provide for just compensation and jury trial thereon; and on the Tanana River Basin flood control project in Alaska.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Brock, Duncan, and Quillen, and departmental and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following open rules:

H.R. 15794, U.S. Grain Standards Act, 1 hour of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Poage and Purcell.

H.R. 16363, Poultry Products Inspection Act, 2 hours of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Poage, Purcell, Belcher, and May.

H.R. 8578, Land and Water Conservation Act, 2 hours of general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Saylor, Willis, Taylor, Foley, Waggonner, and Edwin Edwards.

H.J. Res. 1227, temporary funding of the emergency credit revolving fund, 1 hour of general debate, waiving points of order. Testimony was heard from Representatives Poage, Bow, de la Garza, and Hathaway.

VETERANS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7481, raises from 33⅓ to 45 percent the proportion of hospital costs in a Veterans' Administration hospital that can be paid to a nursing home caring for a veteran;

H.R. 14954, extends on a part-time basis the subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for service-connected veterans;

H.R. 16025, broadens and extends the compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans;

H.R. 16027, amended to make effective date January 1, 1969, makes graduated increases in the rates of disabled veterans for wartime disability compensation;

H.R. 16902, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes.

RENEGOTIATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and resumed consideration of extension of the Renegotiation Act. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, May 15, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13357–13391

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3493–3501; and S. Res. 289.

Pages 13357, 13358

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3363, designating the U.S. Customs House building in Providence, R.I., as the "John E. Fogarty Building," with amendments (S. Rept. 1122); and

S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, with individual and additional views (S. Rept. 1123). Page 13358

Resolution Referred: One House-passed joint resolution was referred to appropriate committee. Page 13318

President's Message—CCC: President submitted message transmitting annual report of Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1967—referred to Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. Page 13357

President's Message—Cash Awards to Servicemen: President submitted message transmitting reports of Secretary of Defense and Secretary of Transportation on cash awards to members of Armed Forces for noteworthy suggestions or achievements—referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 13357

Supplemental Appropriations: Order was entered that H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims, will lie on the table. Page 13308

Printing: Senate adopted an original resolution, S. Res. 289, authorizing printing of additional copies of Senate report to accompany S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Page 13357

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate debated, under time limitation agreement entered into on May 14, certain amendments that have been offered to title IV ("State Firearms Control Assistance") of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act. All of the time provided for in the agreement has not been used and may be used on Thursday, May 16.

Pending at recess was Kennedy (Massachusetts) amendment No. 786 (as a perfecting amendment to the bill) to add long gun coverage under title IV by allowing shipment of a rifle or shotgun by a licensed importer,

manufacturer, or dealer to an individual only if that individual has appeared in person at licensee's business premises, and prohibiting sale of rifles or shotguns to individuals under 18 years old. It was agreed to vote on this amendment at 9:30 a.m., May 16.

Other amendments that have been offered to title IV of the bill are Hruska amendment No. 708 entitled "Firearms Amendments" as a substitute for Dirksen amendment No. 782 entitled "Firearms Amendments," which had been previously offered as a substitute for title IV of the bill. Pages 13308–13356

Nominations: Numerous Air Force nominations were received. Pages 13391–13399

Recess: Recessed at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969; S. 2837, authorizing establishment of the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest, N.C.; S. 3143, making frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act; S.J. Res. 168, authorizing temporary emergency funds for the Farmers Home Administration; and H.R. 15822, authorizing establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center in the Ouachita National Forest, Okla.; and with amendment S. 2276, permitting Secretary of Agriculture to contract for works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act upon request of local organizations.

Also, committee announced that it had agreed to act this year on the extension of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 (P.L. 89–321), and that it plans to hold hearings on a bill, to be introduced by Senator Ellender, embodying amendments to this act proposed during recent committee hearings.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing in executive session its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Naval Establishment from Secretary Paul R. Ignatius; Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Thomas H. Moorer; and Marine Corps Commandant Gen. Leonard F. Chapman.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 17.

RADIATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded its hearings on S. 2067, S. 3211, and H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions, after receiving testimony from Dr. Gardner Tucker, Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering; Dr. William T. Ham, professor, department of biophysics, Medical College of Virginia, Richmond; and Ralph Nader, author of "Unsafe at Any Speed."

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with further testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from Lt. Gen. J. L. Throckmorton, Commanding General, 3d Army; Brig. Gen. John J. Hennessey, Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations, Army; Edward Deeb, Food Dealers of Greater Detroit, Inc.; Stanley Klein, Metropolitan Detroit Pharmaceutical Association; George Phillips, Dry Cleaning & Laundry Institute of Detroit; Dr. Norman Drachler, superintendent of schools of Detroit, who was accompanied by his associates; Jack S. Balaban and L. J. Anderson, both of the subcommittee's staff; and James Mitter, a GAO investigator detailed to the subcommittee.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Mayor Cavanaugh of Detroit will testify.

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings on S. 47, S. 2116, and S. 2832, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, having as its witnesses Robert B. Choate, program associate, National Institute of Public Affairs; and Phillip S. Hughes, Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, receiving testimony from Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; Joseph L. Miller, National Parking Association; Miss Jo Bingham, representing the National Association of Manufacturers; James Goralnick and Theodore Libby, both of whom represented the Roxbury, Mass., Chamber of Commerce; Charles Akerson, of the Nordblom Co., Roxbury; and the following persons who sat as a panel of witnesses: John G. Reutter, Consulting Engineers Council; Billy T. Sumner, National Society of Professional Engineers; and John Fisher-Smith, American Institute of Architects.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIAN RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. 1816, authoriz-

ing funds for programs to assist in Indian resources development, with testimony from representatives of several Indian tribes, and numerous other public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed its hearings on S. 3055, proposed Judicial Reform Act of 1968, having as its witness Chief Judge Richard H. Chambers, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 6.

VOTING AGE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments continued hearings on S.J. Res. 8, 14, and 78, proposing amendments to the Constitution to reduce the voting age from 21 to 18 years, receiving testimony from Senators Holland, Pearson, and Hartke; Jack McDonald, president, Young Republican National Federation; Ed Schwartz, president, National Students Association; and a group of witnesses from Fairbanks, Alaska.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., receiving testimony from I. W. Abel, president, United Steelworkers of America; Robert M. Middlekauff, Wage and Manpower Planning Department, Ford Motor Co.; and the following persons who sat as a panel of witnesses: Dr. Arthur Templeton, McNamara Skill Center, Detroit; Dr. William T. Kelly, J. F. Kennedy Center for Vocational Education, Philadelphia; and Dr. Jack Michie, East Bay Skill Center, Oakland.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 21.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued its series of hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, having as its witnesses Gus Norwood, administrator, Alaska Power Administration, and Lt. Col. Lewis A. Pick, Jr., Assistant Director of Civil Works for Pacific Divisions, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who directed their remarks to hydroelectric power projects in Alaska—Lake Grace, Ketchikan, and Metlakatla area, and Takatz Creek, near Sitka.

Testimony was also received from Colonel Pick in connection with Dworshak Dam and Reservoir, North Fork Clearwater River, Idaho—School facilities; Snohomish River (Everett Harbor), Wash. (navigation); and the following California projects: Cucamonga Creek (flood control); Alhambra Creek (flood control); Fairfield (flood control); Feather River vicinity of Chester (flood control); and Humboldt Harbor and Bay (navigation).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LOAN SHARKS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on the effect of criminal loan-shark operations on small business in America, having as its witnesses Michael Metzger, assistant district attorney, New York County, N.Y.; Inspector Louis C. Cottell, chief, Central Intelligence Bureau, New York City Police Department; Ed Archer, assistant district attorney, Queens, N.Y.; an unidentified witness, who was a victim of a New York loan-shark syndicate; and Ralph Lombardo and Nathan Sackin, both of whom are alleged leaders of a New York loan-shark syndicate.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony on loan-shark activities in the Chicago area.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 17289–17311; 12 private bills, H.R. 17312–17323; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1272–1274, H. Con. Res. 777–779, and H. Res. 1174, were introduced. Pages 13494–13496

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: S. 1166, regarding transportation of natural and other gas by pipeline, amended (H. Rept. 1390). Page 13495

Mortgages: The Speaker appointed Representatives Sullivan and Brock as members of the Commission To Study Mortgage Interest Rates and the Availability of Mortgage Credit at Reasonable Cost to the Consumer. Pages 13402–13403

Presidential Message—Cash Awards: Received and read a message from the President transmitting reports of the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation on cash awards to members of our Armed Forces for noteworthy suggestions, inventions, or scientific achievements—referred to the Committee on Armed Services. Page 13403

Presidential Message—Commodity Credit Corporation: Received and read a message from the President transmitting to the Congress the annual report of the Commodity Credit Corporation for fiscal year 1967—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 13403

Colorado River Basin: Completed general debate on H.R. 3300, the Colorado River Basin project bill, and after granting permission to consider the bill as read and open for amendment at any point the Committee arose.

H. Res. 1162, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 13400–13474

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 13495

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Departmental Oversight met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16065, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to release, on behalf of the U.S., conditions in deeds conveying certain lands to the State of Iowa.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bill and heard testimony from Representatives Kyl and Scherle, and departmental witnesses.

ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17002, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to prohibit certain transfers of allotments or quotas where the farm is subject to a mortgage unless the approval of the lienholder is obtained.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bill and heard testimony from departmental witnesses.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 17268, amended, Defense Production Act.

RIOTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on the recent riots in D.C. and the security of the Nation's Capital. Testimony was heard from Patrick Murphy, D.C. Public Safety Director, David McGiffert, Under Secretary of the Army, and other departmental witnesses.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 16460, vocational education amendments. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MANPOWER

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 15045, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 as labor mobility demonstration projects; trainee placement assistance; and correctional institutions. Testimony was heard from Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15263, Foreign Assistance Act authorization. No announcements were made.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

GUAM—ALASKA—LAND—LEASE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7329, amended, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam;

S. 1059, to amend the act relating to the leasing of lands in Alaska for grazing in order to make certain improvements in such act;

H.R. 14005, to authorize the disposition of certain land heretofore conveyed to the city of Hot Springs, Ark., by the U.S.;

H.R. 11552, amended, for the relief of certain property owners in Tate County, Miss.;

S. 823, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to reinstate oil and gas lease Las Cruces 063610 (Elwyn C. Hale).

CLAIMS—D.C. COUNCIL—GAMBLING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16123, relating to conflicts of interest with respect to members of the D.C. Council.

Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 16666, to prevent gambling enterprises. Testimony was heard from Representative Poff and Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits concluded hearings on retirement financing. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, and departmental witnesses.

TVA

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on legislation to amend the TVA Act to provide for just compensation and jury thereon. Testimony was heard from Representative Stubblefield and a public witness.

RENEGOTIATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of extension of the Renegotiation Act. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

MONETARY MANAGEMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee resumed its series of hearings on the operational aspects of monetary management, receiving testimony from George W. Mitchell, member, and Daniel H. Brill, Division of Research and Statistics, both of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TRUTH IN LENDING

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 5, proposed Truth in Lending Act of 1968.

Thursday, May 16, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13668–13727

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3502–3508. Page 13669

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1558, providing for repayment of certain Federal-aid funds expended in connection with construction of the Garden State Parkway, N.J., with amendment (S. Rept. 1124);

S. 2276, permitting Secretary of Agriculture to contract for works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act upon request of local organizations, with amendment (S. Rept. 1125);

H.R. 15822, authorizing establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center in the Ouachita National Forest, Okla. (S. Rept. 1126);

S.J. Res. 168, authorizing temporary emergency funds for the Farmers Home Administration (S. Rept. 1127);

S. 3143, making frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act (S. Rept. 1128);

S. 2837, authorizing establishment of the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest, N.C. (S. Rept. 1129);

S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969 (S. Rept. 1130); and

H.R. 15364, authorizing $411,760,000 as U.S. subscription to request for an increase of $1 billion of the capital stock of the Inter-American Development Bank (S. Rept. 1131). Page 13668

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was discharged from further consideration of S. 3165, to provide for loans to public bodies which upon sale by the Farmers Home Administration shall bear taxable interest and the bill was then rereferred to Committee on Finance. Page 13619

President's Message—St. Lawrence Seaway: President submitted message transmitting 1967 annual report of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation—referred to Committee on Public Works. Page 13639

D.C.: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen and firemen. Pages 13665–13666

Arts and Humanities: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pell, Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Javits, and Murphy. Page 13726

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate continued its work on S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, taking the following actions on amendments to title IV ("State Firearms Control Assistance"):

Adopted: Griffin amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to provide that annual license fee for dealer in firearms shall be $10 rather than $25 the first year and $10 annually thereafter; and

Rejected: By 29 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Kennedy of Massachusetts amendment No. 786 to add long gun coverage by allowing shipment of a rifle or shotgun by a licensed importer, manufacturer, or dealer to an individual only if that individual has ap-

peared in person at licensee's business premises, and prohibiting sale of rifles or shotguns to individuals under 18 years old; by 29 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dodd amendment No. 789, which has same provisions as Kennedy amendment No. 786 above, except that the restriction on shipment of shotguns or rifles into a State shall not apply if such State has exempted itself by statute from such restriction; by 28 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits amendment No. 739 to regulate mail order sales of shotguns or rifles by requiring buyer to submit sworn affidavit that he is more than 18 years old, not prohibited by State law from receiving such a long gun in interstate or foreign commerce, and that no local law would be violated by receipt of such gun; modified Bennett amendment No. 794 to add new chapter on "Use of Firearms in the Commission of Certain Felonies"; by 30 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Brooke amendment No. 743 to impose an absolute prohibition against sale or delivery in interstate commerce of any destructive device or gangster-type weapon to any persons other than those categories excepted in Federal Firearms Act; and by 37 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hruska amendment No. 708 entitled "Firearms Amendments" as a substitute for Dirksen amendment No. 782 entitled "Firearms Amendments," which had been previously offered as a substitute for title IV of the bill.

Following rejection of Hruska amendment No. 708, Senator Dirksen withdrew his amendment No. 782.

Rejected by division vote was Curtis amendment No. 780 (to title I on law enforcement assistance) to eliminate language that would authorize Federal grants for planning and for improving and strengthening law enforcement.

An Ervin amendment, of a technical, corrective nature to title II, was adopted.

Pending at adjournment was Tydings amendment No. 788 to strike from bill title II (admissibility of confessions and of eyewitness testimony, reviewability of admission in evidence of confessions in State cases, and procedures for writs of habeas corpus). The following unanimous-consent agreement respecting this amendment was made: Effective on Monday, May 20, all debate will be equally divided and that vote thereon occur not later than 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 21; provided that if there are any amendments to the Tydings amendment or to any of the language of title II that has not been disposed of prior to that time, debate on such amendment or amendments will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; and no vote on any such amendments shall be taken prior to Tuesday, May 21, except by unanimous consent. Pages 13619–13660

Nominations: Senate received eight nominations to be members of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, and numerous postmaster nominations. Page 13727

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on funds for his agency from Lawson B. Knott, Jr., Administrator, General Services Administration, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony on funds for NASA.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15004, to extend the expiration date of several authorities under the Federal Civil Defense Act; H.J. Res. 1224, authorizing the President to reappoint for 1 year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; H.R. 15348, extending authority to grant special 30-day leave to military personnel voluntarily extending tours of duty in combat areas (amended so as to provide a 2-year extension); and H.R. 15863, changing the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department.

Committee also approved for reporting 7,219 nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee heard testimony in connection with H.R. 15004 from Joseph Romm, Acting Director of Civil Defense, Army; and John Jackson, representing Gov. John A. Volpe of Massachusetts, in behalf of the National Governors Council.

NOMINATION, AND SECURITIES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Manuel F. Cohen, for reappointment to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Also, committee held hearings on S. 1299, permitting regulation of amount of credit extended on securities not registered on national securities exchanges, and S.J. Res. 160, authorizing investigation of the effect on the securities markets of the operation of institutional investors, receiving testimony from Chairman Manuel F. Cohen, Securities and Exchange Commission; J. L. Robertson, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Robert W. Haack, New York Stock Exchange; Robert B. Walbert, National Association of Securities Dealers; James W. Walker, Jr.,

American Stock Exchange; Robert L. Augenblick, Investment Company Institute; and Leon P. Kendall, Association of Stock Exchange Firms.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of George H. Hearn, of New York, to be reappointed as a Federal Maritime Commissioner; John E. Robson, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; and Stanford G. Ross, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation. Testimony was received from Senator Percy, who spoke in behalf of Mr. Robson; and Adm. John Harllee, Chairman, and James V. Day, member, both of the Maritime Commission, who spoke in behalf of Mr. Hearn. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with further testimony on the 1967 Detroit riots from Mayor Jerome F. Cavanagh of Detroit.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, receiving testimony from William L. Rafsky, National Association of Housing & Redevelopment Officials; Dr. George Sternlieb, professor, graduate school of business, Rutgers—the State University, Newark, N.J.; and Harold F. Wise, American Institute of Planners.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 21.

DRAFT BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure held hearings on S. 3302, to allow counsel to assist their clients in proceedings before local draft boards, having as its witnesses Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Director, Selective Service System; Donald Stocks, Deputy Director, Community Action Program Legal Services, Office of Economic Opportunity; Judge Henry J. Gwiazda, Chairman, National Selective Service Appeal Board; Michael E. Tigar, a D.C. attorney; Stephen W. Skrinka, an attorney of St. Louis, who was accompanied by Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union; and Andrew Rice, American Veterans Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of Halbert O. Woodward, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Texas; and William W. Justice, to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Texas, prior to which action, in open session, favoring testimony was received from Senator Yarborough. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

VOTING AGE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments concluded hearings on S.J. Res. 8, 14, and 78, proposing amendments to the Constitution to reduce the voting age from 21 to 18 years, after receiving testimony from Senators Randolph and Yarborough; Roy Elson, Administrative Assistant to Senator Hayden, who spoke in behalf of the Senator; Representative Hechler of West Virginia; Dennis Brinkmeyer, chairman, State Conference of Committees To Lower Indiana's Voting Age; Paul McMillan, professor of political science, Bolles Preparatory School, Florida; and P. John Owen, Eugene Payne, and John H. Pinto, Jr., all of Georgetown University.

It was announced that the record will remain open for 2 weeks for the inclusion of additional written material.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued its series of hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, with testimony from Senator Brewster on S. 2059, to authorize construction of the Six Bridge Dam and Reservoir on the Monocacy River in Frederick and Carroll Counties, Md.

Subcommittee also had as its witnesses Brig. Gen. Charles C. Noble, Director of Civil Works, accompanied by Col. R. L. Seidel, Assistant Director of Civil Works for Atlantic Divisions, both of the Office of the Chief of Army Engineers, who testified in connection with S. 2059, and on several navigation, flood control, and beach erosion projects on the east coast.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 21.

LOAN SHARKS

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on the effect of criminal loan-shark operations on small business in America, with testimony on such operations in the Chicago area from Charles Siragusa, executive director, and Robert J. Walker, chief investigator, both of the Illinois Crime Investigating Commission, Chicago; Fiore (Fifi) Buccieri, alleged leader of loan-shark activities of Chicago crime syndicate; and an unidentified victim of Chicago loan-shark operations.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 17324–17342; 11 private bills, H.R. 17343–17353; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 1275, were introduced. Page 13618

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Postal Systems of the U.S. Armed Forces—Vietnam and the Far East" (H. Rept. 1391);

Report on manpower management in the Federal Government (H. Rept. 1392);

H.R. 15395, to provide salary step advancements and adjustments for employees moving to and from different pay systems, amended (H. Rept. 1393);

Conference report on H.R. 15131, to amend the D.C. Police and Firemen's Salary Act of 1958 to increase salaries (H. Rept. 1394); and

H.R. 17354, the Interior Department appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1395). Pages 13617–13618

Late Report: Granted permission to the Committee on Banking and Currency to file a report by midnight Saturday, May 18, on S. 5, the truth-in-lending bill. Page 13565

Presidential Message—St. Lawrence Seaway: The House received and read a message from the President transmitting the 1967 annual report of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 312). Page 13566

Colorado River Basin: The House passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 3300, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Colorado River Basin project.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 1004, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill with instructions regarding a reconnaissance report (by a voice vote).

Adopted amendments regarding the Fort McDowell Mohave-Apache Indian Community and the Mexican Water Treaty.

Rejected amendments regarding—

Water to be supplied to augment the dwindling Colorado River water supply;

Hooker Dam, N. Mex.; and

Approval of only two projects in Colorado. Pages 13566–13589

Arts—Humanities: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation of the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Thompson of New Jersey, Carey, Scheuer, Brademas, Ayres, Goodell, Ashbrook, and Reid of New York. Page 13589

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of May 22, 1968. Page 13589

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the Department of Interior and related agencies 1969 appropriations bill.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16162, amended, enabling Export-Import Bank to extend loans, guarantees, and insurance in certain cases.

RIOTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on the recent D.C. riots and the security of the Nation's Capital. Testimony was heard from Patrick Murphy, D.C. Public Safety Director; David McGiffert, Under Secretary of the Army; David Bress, U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia; and John Layton, Chief, Metropolitan Police Department.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION—MANPOWER

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 16460, vocational education. Testimony was heard from Representative Clausen and public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 15045, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 as labor mobility demonstration projects; trainee placement assistance; and correctional institutions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15263, Foreign Assistance Act authorization. No announcements were made.

The committee will resume consideration of H.R. 15263 on Monday, May 20, 1968.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Government Operations: Special Subcommittee on Invasion of Privacy continued hearings

on the Retail Credit Co. of Atlanta, Ga. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

OIL IMPORTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining concluded hearings on a review of the mandatory oil import program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Robert Price, White, and public witnesses.

AIRCRAFT NOISE ABATEMENT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 3400, amended, to authorize noise-abatement regulations.

FOREIGN TOURISTS—IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15651, to facilitate entry of foreign tourists into the U.S., and acted on several private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 held an open hearing on several private claims bills.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 14796, amended, to change rates of interest permitted under title XI of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936;

H.R. 13366, amended, to exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the provisions of certain laws;

H.R. 16127, to increase the limitation on the number of officers for the Coast Guard;

H.R. 12766, to permit the vessel *Marpole* to be documented for use in the coastwise trade;

H.R. 11026, amended, to facilitate the conduct of the fish and wildlife conservation and rehabilitation program;

S. 322, amended, to restrict the disposition of lands acquired as part of the National Wildlife Refuge System;

S. 2452, to provide for the adjustment of the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over lands within the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge in Illinois.

RIOTS—PAY—REPORTS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House, H.R. 17267, to remove persons from Federal employment who engage in unlawful acts connected with riots or civil disorders; and H.R. 15395, to provide salary step advancements and adjustments for employees moving between pay systems.

The committee also approved the following reports:

Report by Representative Pool on his on-site inspection of the U.S. Armed Forces in Vietnam and the Far East; and

Improved Manpower Management in the Federal Government—Examples, July–December 1967.

SENATE BUILDING—FEDERAL CONSTRUCTION—NATIONAL GALLERY

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2484, authorizes the extension of the additional Senate Office Building site; H.R. 6589, amended, requires Federal buildings to be reasonably accessible to physically handicapped persons; H.R. 16358, amended, authorizing the National Gallery of Art to construct a building or buildings on the site bounded by Fourth Street, Pennsylvania Avenue, Third Street, and Madison Drive NW., in D.C., and making provisions for the maintenance thereof.

RENEGOTIATION—COPPER—ALUMINUM OXIDE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 17324, to extend and amend the Renegotiation Act of 1961;

H.R. 16654, to continue until the close of June 30, 1970, the existing suspension of duties on certain forms of copper;

H.R. 7735, amended, makes permanent the existing suspensions of duty on aluminum oxide when imported for use in producing aluminum, or calcined bauxite, and on bauxite ore.

Joint Committee Meetings

MONETARY MANAGEMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded its series of hearings on the operational aspects of monetary management, after receiving testimony from Tilford C. Gaines, vice president and economist, Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co.; Orson H. Hart, vice president and director of economic research, New York Life Insurance Co.; and Guy E. Noyes, senior vice president and economist, Morgan Guaranty Trust Co.

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, May 27.

Friday, May 17, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13793–13829

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3509–3518; S.J. Res. 171; and S. Res. 290. Pages 13799, 13806

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 1224, authorizing the President to reappoint for 1 year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (S. Rept. 1132);

H.R. 15348, extending authority to grant special 30-day leave to military personnel voluntarily extending tours of duty in combat areas, with amendments (S. Rept. 1133);

H.R. 15004, to extend the expiration date of several authorities under the Federal Civil Defense Act (S. Rept. 1134);

H.R. 15863, changing the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department (S. Rept. 1135). Page 13799

President's Message—Automotive Products: President submitted message transmitting second annual report on operation of the Automotive Products Trade Act of 1965—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 13793–13794

D.C.: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that in the adoption of conference report on Thursday, May 16, on H.R. 15131, providing salary increases for D.C. policemen and firemen, Senate receded from its amendment to the title to the bill. Page 13794

President Johnson: President Johnson visited Senate Chamber, being greeted by his former colleagues, and upon invitation of Majority Leader Mansfield, the President briefly addressed the Senate. Page 13794

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar, six bills were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Public building: H.R. 15822, authorizing establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center in the Ouachita National Forest, Okla.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Orange juice: S. 3143, making frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act;

Forestry: S. 2837, authorizing establishment of the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest, N.C.; and

Food stamps: S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Public building: S. 3363, designating the U.S. Customs House building in Providence, R.I., as the "John E. Fogarty Building"; and

Garden State Parkway: S. 1558, providing for repayment of certain Federal-aid funds expended in connection with construction of the Garden State Parkway, N.J. Pages 13794–13795, 13798–13799

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, by unanimous consent adopting Hayden amendment (on behalf of himself and others) to allow Indian tribes to be eligible regardless of population for grants for law enforcement planning and for improving and strengthening law enforcement.

Senator Tydings modified his amendment No. 788 to strike from bill title II (admissibility of confessions and of eyewitness testimony, reviewability of admission in evidence of confessions in State cases, and procedures for writs of habeas corpus).

Pending at adjournment was Tydings amendment No. 804 as a substitute for Hart amendment No. 803 which had been offered as a perfecting amendment to Tydings amendment No. 788, as modified. Hart amendment No. 803 would substitute for the language of title II of the bill regarding confessions, eyewitness testimony, and habeas corpus, other language providing for an investigation on law enforcement impact of court decisions regarding criminal procedure. Tydings amendment No. 804 would substitute for the language of title II of the bill other language similar to but in lieu of language of Hart amendment No. 803 providing for investigation on law enforcement impact of court decisions regarding criminal procedure.

Pages 13829–13840, 13844–13850, 13867–13869

Treaty Received: Partial revision of the Radio Regulations (Geneva, 1959), with a final protocol, dated at Geneva November 3, 1967 (Ex. F, 90th Cong., second sess.) was received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 13799

Nomination: Senate received nomination of David S. King, of Utah, now Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic, to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Mauritius. Page 13873

Confirmations: Senate confirmed numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force, and three in the Marine Corps. Pages 13873–13874

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony on

funds for their respective agencies from James E. Webb, Administrator, and Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Deputy Administrator, both of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Edward C. Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, May 21, to hear officials of the Civil Service Commission.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, having as its witness Lt. Gen. Joseph R. Holzapple, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development, Air Force.

Hearings continue on Monday, May 20, on Navy and Marine Corps items.

TACTICAL AIR POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued in executive session its hearings on the status and current and future posture of the U.S. in the field of tactical air power, having as its witness Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations; and Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Commandant of the Marine Corps.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PESTICIDES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 3228 and H.R. 15979, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of pesticides, having as its witnesses John S. Gottschalk, Director, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; R. J. Anderson, Associate Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, Department of Agriculture; Parke Brinkley, National Agricultural Chemicals Association; and Lou Clapper, National Wildlife Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendment S. 2589, to regulate numerous aspects of retail installment sales contracts with consumers in the D.C., and S. 2592, prohibiting enforcement of a security interest in real property in the D.C. except through court order; and without amendment S. 1739, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the D.C. except as an incident to the practice of law.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Secretary of Defense Clark Clifford in connection with military aspects of proposed foreign aid authorizations for fiscal year 1969.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 3213 and H.R. 16819, to extend authorization of grants to States for vocational rehabilitation services, with testimony from Samuel Halperin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Legislation, and Joseph V. Hunt, Commissioner, Rehabilitation Services Administration, both of the Department of HEW; E. B. Whitten, National Rehabilitation Association; John F. Nagle, National Federation of the Blind; and Dr. V. Eugene McCrary, American Optometric Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

RIOTS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16948, D.C. riot damage. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a hearing on H.R. 3062, to reauthorize the Riverton extension unit, Missouri River Basin project, to include therein the whole Riverton Federal reclamation project. Testimony was heard from Representative Harrison, Senators Hansen and McGee, and public and departmental witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 13963–13989

Bills Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 3519. Page 13966

Bills Rereferred: Pursuant to order entered on February 20, Committee on Public Works was discharged from further consideration of the following three bills, and they were then referred again to the Committee on the Judiciary; S. 470, granting consent of Congress to Illinois-Indiana air pollution control compact; S. 2350,

granting consent of Congress to West Virginia air pollution control compact; and S.J. Res. 95, granting consent of Congress to Mid-Atlantic States air pollution control compact.

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar, three bills were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Inter-American Development Bank: H.R. 15364, authorizing $411,760,000 as U.S. subscription to request for an increase of $1 billion of the capital stock of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Emergency credit revolving fund: S.J. Res. 168, authorizing temporary emergency funds for the Farmers Home Administration.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Agriculture: S. 2276, permitting Secretary of Agriculture to contract for works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act upon request of local organizations. Pages 13964–13966

Armed Forces: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 15348, extending authority to grant special 30-day leave to military personnel voluntarily extending tours of duty in combat areas. Pages 14084–14085

Army Medical Service: H.R. 15863, changing the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department, was passed without amendment. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 14085

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate continued consideration of S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act.

Pending at recess was Tydings amendment No. 804 as a substitute for Hart amendment No. 803 which had been offered as a perfecting amendment to modified Tydings amendment No. 788 to strike from bill title II (admissibility of confessions and of eyewitness testimony, reviewability of admission in evidence of confessions in State cases, and procedures for writs of habeas corpus).

Hart amendment No. 803 would substitute for the language of title II of the bill on confessions, eyewitness testimony, and habeas corpus, other language providing for an investigation on law enforcement impact of court decisions regarding criminal procedure. Tydings amendment No. 804 would substitute for the language of title II of the bill other language similar to but in lieu of language of Hart amendment No. 803 providing for investigation on law enforcement impact of court decisions regarding criminal procedure.

On Tuesday, May 21, time is to be equally divided and controlled between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. with voting scheduled to begin, under agreement previously entered into, either at 2 p.m. or 3 p.m. Pages 13989–14082

Treaty Received: President transmitted communication submitting certified copy of the Convention establishing a Customs Cooperative Council, together with the Protocol concerning the European Customs Union Study Group, signed at Brussels December 15, 1950 (Ex. G, 90th Cong., second sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. The President recommended that the Senate advise and consent to accession to the Convention and the Protocol. Page 14085

Recess: Recessed at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for defense, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Naval Establishment from Rear Adm. B. M. Strean, Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel; Maj. Gen. Jonas M. Platt, Assistant Chief of Staff, Marine Corps; Col. Edward H. Greason, Director, Marine Corps Research; Vice Adm. Ralph L. Shifley, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Logistics; and Brig. Gen. George C. Axtell, Assistant Chief of Staff, Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATION, AND FSLIC

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Warren L. Smith, of Michigan, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Committee also held hearings on S. 3436, providing for the appointment of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation as receiver, with testimony from John E. Horne, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Justin Hulman, savings and loan commissioner, State of Illinois; Ralph W. Greene, Jr., National League of Insured Savings & Loan Associations; and Stephen Slipher, U.S. Savings & Loan League.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries began hearings on S. 2650, authorizing funds for improvement and expansion of the U.S. merchant marine fleet, with testimony from Secretary of Transportation Alan S. Boyd, accompanied by James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; and Charles F. Baird, Under Secretary of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. RIOT DAMAGE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce resumed its hearings into the matter of rehabilitation of areas of the D.C. destroyed or damaged as a result of recent rioting, having

as its witnesses D.C. Commissioner Walter Washington and John W. Hechinger, Chairman of the D.C. Council, who were accompanied by other officials of the D.C. government; Carroll Harvey and Marion Barry, both representing Pride, Inc.; and Hilliard Schulberg, D.C. Retail Liquor Dealers Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 17354–17373; 27 private bills, H.R. 17374–17400; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1276 and 1277, H. Con. Res. 780, and H. Res. 1175–1177, were introduced. Page 13963

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16629, to name the U.S. customhouse, Providence, R.I., the "John E. Fogarty Building," amended (H. Rept. 1396);

Conference report on S. 5, to assist in the promotion of economic stabilization by requiring the disclosure of finance charges in connection with extension of credit (H. Rept. 1397); and

H.R. 17324, to extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 (H. Rept. 1398). Pages 13962–13963

Private Calendar: Granted permission that H.R. 16187, a private bill, be passed over for consideration on call of the Private Calendar on Tuesday, May 21. Page 13881

D.C. Police and Firemen: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 15131, regarding pay raise for D.C. police and firemen, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 13883–13887

D.C. Teachers: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16409, to provide salary increases for teachers and school officers in the District of Columbia public schools, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Page 13883

Public Buildings Act: Received and read a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Public Works regarding building projects—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Pages 13887–13888

Presidential Message—Automotive Products: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the second annual report of the Automotive Products Trade Act of 1965—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 13888

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 142, to provide for the reappointment of Dr. Crawford H. Greenewalt as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 143, to provide for the reappointment of Dr. Caryl P. Haskins as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 144, to provide for the reappointment of Dr. Wm. A. M. Burden as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Public utility district: H.R. 859, for the relief of Public Utility District No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Federal Voting Assistance Act: S. 1581, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act of 1955.

Federal Voting Assistance Act: S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act of 1955.

Weather predictions: S. Con. Res. 67, regarding weather predictions.

Eligible bills not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 3165, 16674, and H.J. Res. 1227. Pages 13888–13892, 13895

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Farm Loan Act: H.R. 16674, the Federal Farm Loan Act amendments. Pages 13892–13893

Cape Hatteras National Seashore: S. 561, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Cape Hatteras National Seashore (cleared for the President). Pages 13893–13895

Postal employees: H.R. 15387, regarding assaults on postal employees (by a record vote of 333 yeas to 5 nays). Pages 13895–13901

Great Smoky Mountains National Park: H.R. 14074, regarding entrance road at Great Smoky Mountains National Park, N.C. Pages 13910–13904

Veterans' widows: H.R. 16025, regarding compensation and education assistance for widows of veterans (amended). Pages 13904–13907

State veterans' homes: H.R. 16902, to promote the care and treatment of veterans in State veterans' homes. Pages 13907–13927

Veterans' nursing home care: H.R. 7481, regarding nursing home care for certain veterans (amended). Pages 13927–13929

Veterans' rehabilitation: H.R. 14954, to improve vocational rehabilitation training for service-connected veterans. Pages 13929–13931

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 13961

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

M–16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on the M–16 Rifle continued hearings on the M–16 rifle. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REGULATE PRACTICE OF PSYCHOLOGY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 10407 and S. 1864, to regulate the practice of psychology. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GUARANTEED JOBS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 12280, guaranteed jobs. Testimony was heard from John Lindsay, mayor of New York.

PEACE CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 15087, to authorize the further amendment of the Peace Corps Act. Testimony was heard from Jack Vaughn, Director, the Peace Corps.

FOREIGN SERVICE INFORMATION CORPS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations held a hearing on S. 633, to establish a foreign service information corps. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

AID'S EXCESS PROPERTY PROGRAM

Committee on Government Operations: Special Subcommittee on Donable Property continued hearings on AID's excess property program. Testimony was heard from GAO and AID witnesses.

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks held a hearing on S. 2515, and related House bills, to establish a Redwood National Park in the State of California. Testimony was heard from Stewart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and public witnesses.

POSTAL EMBEZZLEMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17024, to permit prosecution of postal employees for failure to remit postage due collections.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to establish a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SBA

Select Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on SBA small business assistance programs and particularly the antipoverty loan program. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14188–14209

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3520–3526; and S. Res. 291–293. Pages 14189–14190

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 15856, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, with amendment (S. Rept. 1136); and

H.R. 5404, to change in several regards the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation, with amendments (S. Rept. 1137). Page 14189

Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 14158

Food Stamps: By unanimous consent Senate reconsidered its action of Friday, May 17, in passing without amendment S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969, and S. 3068 was then passed with a Jordan of North Carolina amendment to correct a printing error in the bill. Page 14126

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate continued its work on S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, taking the following actions on title II of the bill (admissibility of confessions and of eyewitness testimony, reviewability of admission in evidence of confessions in State cases, and procedures for writs of habeas corpus):

Rejected by 31 yeas to 51 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tydings amendment No. 804 (as a substitute for a similar Hart amendment No. 803) to substitute for the language of title II of the bill other language providing for an investigation on law enforcement impact of court decisions regarding criminal procedure. Hart amendment No. 803 was then withdrawn.

The question then was on modified Tydings amendment No. 788 to strike from the bill all of title II and it was demanded that this question be divided into six divisions for purpose of voting (division 5 was later subdivided into two parts), and these various divisions were then acted upon as follows:

Adopted: By 52 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), division No. 4 to eliminate language that would deny to Federal courts jurisdiction to review or disturb in any way ruling of any State trial court admitting in evidence confession of accused if such ruling has been affirmed by that State's highest appellate court; by 51 yeas to 30 nays, part 2 of division No. 5 to eliminate language denying Supreme Court or other Federal appellate court jurisdiction to review or disturb in any way a ruling of any trial court admitting in evidence certain eyewitness testimony; and by 54 yeas to 27 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), division No. 6 to eliminate language respecting procedures in obtaining writs of habeas corpus; and

Rejected: By 29 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), division No. 1 to eliminate language that would revise *Miranda* decision of Supreme Court so as to restore the rule allowing admission of confession of accused into evidence if voluntarily made; by 26 yeas to 58 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), division No. 2 to eliminate language that would revise *Mallory* decision of Supreme Court so that delay in bringing a suspect before a committing magistrate would be one factor in determining issue of voluntariness but would not exclude an otherwise competent confession; on voice vote (motion to reconsider tabled), division No. 3 to eliminate language that would allow admission in evidence of confession given voluntarily without interrogation and while not under detention, and defining the term "confession"; and by 21 yeas to 63 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), part 1 of division No. 5 to eliminate language that would overrule *Wade* and *Stovall* cases respecting admissibility in evidence of eyewitness testimony.

Senate then adopted, on division vote (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Scott amendment No. 805 to title II to allow a voluntary confession to be admissible in evidence so long as detention before arraignment does not exceed 6 hours.

Pending at recess was Long (Missouri) amendment No. 797 to allow an individual to appear in person, present testimony or evidence, and be represented by counsel in any proceeding before his local draft board. The yeas and nays were ordered to be taken on the amendment. Pages 14126, 14127–14186

Authority To Meet: Committee on Public Works was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, May 22. Page 14189

Confirmation: Nomination of Manuel Frederick Cohen, of Maryland, to be a member of SEC, was confirmed. Page 14209

Nomination: One nomination to a civilian position was received. Page 14209

Recess: Recessed at 6:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for defense, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for procurement of missiles and aircraft for the Navy from Vice Adm. Thomas F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air.

Hearings continue on Thursday, May 23, when Secretary of Defense Clifford will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their agency from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, and L. J. Andolsek, Vice Chairman, both of the Civil Service Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

MILITARY DESERTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Military Deserters held hearings with regard to the magnitude and seriousness of the military desertion problem, having as its witness Alfred B. Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of George H. Hearn, of New York, to be reappointed as a Federal Maritime Commissioner; John E. Robson, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; and Stanford G. Ross, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation; H.R. 6279, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to arrange for the collection of standard reference data for the benefit of scientists and the general public (amended); S. 3245, extending authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act (amended to extend for 3 years); H.R. 15979, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of pesticides (amended so as to substitute therefor the language of S. 3228, a similar bill); S.J. Res. 130, to authorize the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvement industry (amended); and S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act.

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Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on S. 3378, to increase by $480 million U.S. partici-

pation in the International Development Association, having as its witnesses Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler; and W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 rioting in Newark, N.J., from Hugh Addonizio, mayor of Newark, who was accompanied by his assistant, Donald Malofront. Testimony was also received from several members of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, having as its witnesses Rev. Canon Donald A. Griesmann, Episcopal Community Center, Camden, N.J.; and Marion Wright, attorney, who was accompanied by other representatives of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE U.S.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 3163, giving Federal courts jurisdiction over contract claims against nonappropriated fund activities of the U.S., with testimony from Chief Judge Wilson Cowen, U.S. Court of Claims; and Col. Donald A. Williams, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 3149, permitting employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances, with testimony from C. J. Haggerty, president, accompanied by Louis Sherman, both of the Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL–CIO.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors resumed its series of hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, with testimony on projects, as follows:

Licking River, Salyersville, Ky., with testimony from Lt. Col. F. E. Anderson, Jr., Office of the Chief of Army Engineers; Frank Groschelle, who represented Gov. Louie B. Nunn of Kentucky; and local witnesses;

Southwest Jefferson County, Louisville, Ky., with testimony from Sammie F. Lee, department of public works, Jefferson County, Ky.; and William Davis, Louisville and Jefferson County Port Authority;

Wabash River and tributaries, with testimony from Senator Hartke; and representatives of the Wabash Valley Association, National Wildlife Federation; and Izaak Walton League;

Detroit River—Trenton Channel, Mich., with testimony from Senator Griffin;

Port Jefferson Harbor, N.Y., with testimony from Ralph E. Casey, American Merchant Marine Institute, Inc.; and local witnesses; and

On sundry projects in numerous States, with testimony from Brig. Gen. Charles C. Noble, Director of Civil Works, who was accompanied by other officials of the Corps of Army Engineers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 17401–17419; 19 private bills, H.R. 17420–17438; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1278, and H. Res. 1178–1180, were introduced.

Pages 14299–14300

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13366, to exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the requirements of certain laws, amended (H. Rept. 1399);

H.R. 16127, regarding number of officers for the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 1400);

H.R. 17024, to permit prosecution of postal employees for failure to remit postage-due collections (H. Rept. 1401);

H.R. 8953, regarding certain highway and railroad bridges to be moved by the Tennessee Valley Authority, amended (H. Rept. 1402);

H. Res. 1178, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14907, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act (H. Rept. 1403); and

H. Res. 1179, providing for the consideration of S. 2349, to provide for the appointment of additional circuit judges (H. Rept. 1404). Page 14299

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the White House: S. 126, 233, 1040, and 2409.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H. Res. 1098.

Sent to the Senate amended: S. 171, 1052, 1129, 1808, H.R. 2263, 15462, and H. Res. 1110.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1527, 1608, 1648, 2046, 2281, 2282, 2758, 4386, 4404, 4939, 5959, 6321, 6655, 10327, 10417, 11381, 12539, 12894, 15633, H. Res. 991, 1111, S. 155, and 321. Pages 14210–14214

Department of Interior Appropriations: By a record vote of 364 yeas to 14 nays, the House passed H.R. 17354, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to limit total expenditures to approximately $1.3 billion (by a record vote of 174 yeas to 207 nays).

Adopted an amendment providing that no part of the funds provided will be used to pay salaries of people inciting, or participating in, riots.

Rejected an amendment providing an additional $100 million for the land and water conservation fund. Pages 14214–14237

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 14298

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISEASE CONTROL—REAL ESTATE—ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16451, cooperate with Central America to eliminate foot and mouth disease; H.R. 16065, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to release on behalf of the U.S. conditions in deeds conveying certain lands to the State of Iowa; and H.R. 17002, amended, to prohibit certain transfers of allotments or quotas where the farm is subject to a mortgage unless the approval of the lienholder is obtained.

Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on H.R. 16451. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

MILITARY APPEALS—COURT MARTIAL—REPROGRAMING

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 2634, establishes the Court of Military Appeals as the U.S. Court of Military Appeals under Article I of the Constitution of the U.S.

Reconsidered, amended, and ordered reported to the House as amended H.R. 15971, procedural changes in military courts-martial.

Approved six Army, Navy, and Air Force reprograming actions.

MALNUTRITION

Committee on Education and Labor: Held a hearing on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued markup in executive session of H.R. 15263, foreign assistance authorization. No announcements were made.

POST OFFICE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on Government activities of the Post Office Department. Testimony was heard from Marvin Watson, Postmaster General, and departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks continued hearings on S. 2515, and related House bills, to establish a Redwood National Park in the State of California. Testimony was heard from Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture, and public witnesses.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Held a hearing on H.R. 16980, and related bills, to establish railroad safety standards. Testimony was heard from Scheffer Lang, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration.

POSTAL EMBEZZLEMENT—CLAIMS AND IMMIGRATION

Committee on Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 17024, to permit prosecution of postal employees for failure to remit postage due collections.

The committee also acted on several private claims and immigration bills.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from James Gulick, Acting Administrator, Maritime Administration.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Criminal Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from Fred Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, and a departmental witness.

RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits

met in executive session and considered retirement financing. No announcements were made.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Took the following action:

H.R. 14907, Federal Credit Union Act amendments, granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate. Testimony was heard from Representative Patman.

S. 2349, additional circuit court judges, granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Celler and McCulloch.

H.R. 17126, extension of Food and Agriculture Act, no action taken. Testimony was heard from Representatives Belcher and Poage.

DUTY—TRUST FUNDS—POLITICAL ADVERTISING

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills all of which were amended:

H.R. 17104, extends suspension of duty on electrodes used in producing aluminum;

H.R. 15798, extends suspension of duty on certain classifications of yarn of silk;

H.R. 17325, advertising in a convention program of a national political convention;

H.R. 272, regarding employment security administration account in the unemployment fund.

SBA LOANS

Select Committee on Small Business: Continued hearings on SBA small business assistance loans. Testimony was heard from SBA witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14498–14542

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3527–3532; and S.J. Res. 172–173.

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Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 14466

Safe Streets and Crime Control: Senate continued its work on S. 917, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, adopting by 63 yeas to 18 nays Russell motion to table Long (Missouri) amendment No. 797, to add a new title to the bill allowing an individual to appear in person, present testimony or evidence, and be represented by counsel before his local draft board.

Senate then turned to title III of the bill on wiretapping and electronic surveillance, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Modified Hart amendment No. 754 to authorize judge to include other parties to intercepted communications in the inventory required to be served by law enforcement agency on person named in order respecting placing of wiretap or bug; and Hart amendment No. 766 requiring applicant for extension of order for wiretap or bug to make a showing of cause by stating results thus far obtained; and

Rejected: By 21 yeas to 61 nays, Long (Missouri) amendment No. 734 to remove language allowing postponement beyond 90 days, in certain circumstances, of the serving of an inventory of disclosure by law enforcement agency on person named in order respecting placing of wiretap or bug; and by 18 yeas to 60 nays, modified Long (Missouri) amendment No. 728 to eliminate language that would allow wiretap or bug in certain cases where crime "is about to be committed" and would confine such use to crime being committed or that has been committed.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that during further consideration of title III of the bill debate will be limited as follows: 30 minutes, equally divided, on any amendment thereto, except that there will be 1 hour, equally divided, on a Fong amendment to be offered, and provided that there will be no time limitation on any substitute amendment for title III or a motion to recommit the bill.

Pending at recess was Hart amendment No. 755 providing that judge in his discretion may require results of wiretap or bug to be disclosed to the parties to the communications. Pages 14446–14463, 14469–14486

Authority To Meet: Committee on Public Works and the Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations were authorized to meet on Thursday, May 23, while Senate is in session.

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Truth in Lending: S. 5, proposed Truth-in-Lending Act of 1968, was cleared for President's signature when Senate adopted conference report thereon.

Pages 14486–14493

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: John E. Robson, of Illinois, to be Under Secretary of Transportation; Stanford G. Ross, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Transportation; and George Henry Hearn, of New York, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner. Page 14548

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Ernest Louis Massad, of Oklahoma, to be Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs;

numerous postmasters; numerous Army, Air Force, and Marine Corps; and three Navy. Pages 14542–14548

Recess: Recessed at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies.

It was announced that the full committee will hold an executive meeting to consider this bill on Friday, May 24.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his Department from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY DESERTERS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Military Deserters continued its hearings with regard to the magnitude and seriousness of the military desertion problem, with testimony in open and executive sessions from Frederick Smith, Jr., Assistant Legal Adviser for Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State; and Maj. Gen. William W. Berg, USAF, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Military Personnel Policy, and other officials of the Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with further testimony on the 1967 rioting in Newark, N.J., from John Redden, deputy chief, and Capt. Charles Kinney, both of the Newark Police Department.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, having as its witnesses Senator Tydings; Wendell Freeland, National Urban League; Murice Jefferies, Washington Urban League; Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr., Washington Bureau, NAACP; and Berkeley Burrell, National Business League, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MOUNTAIN PARK, OKLA.

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 1234, authorizing construction of the Mountain Park reclamation project, in Oklahoma, receiving testimony from Senators Monroney and Harris; Representatives Steed and Smith of Oklahoma; Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; O. B. Saunders and Dr. E. A. Allgood, both of the Mountain Park Master Conservancy District; Floyd Pershall, mayor of Snyder, Okla.; Bill Farley, city councilman, Altus, Okla.; and Weaver Creed, president, Altus Chamber of Commerce.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

WASTE MANAGEMENT RESEARCH

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on the subject of environmental quality management and waste management research, having as its witness Dr. Harold Gershinowitz, chairman, Environmental Studies Board, National Academy of Sciences—National Academy of Engineering, Washington, D.C.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors continued its series of hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, with testimony on projects, as follows:

Missouri River navigation, South Dakota, North Dakota, and Nebraska, with testimony from Senators Mundt and Hruska; Chan Gurney, former Senator from South Dakota; Warren Fairchild, who represented the Governor of Nebraska; and several local witnesses;

Papillion Creek, Nebr., with testimony from Senator Hruska; Representative Cunningham; and a local witness;

Arkansas River Water Quality, Part II, Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas, with testimony from Senator Monroney; and Howard Boswell, Texas Water Development Board;

Bear Creek, South Platte River, Colo., with testimony from Senator Dominick;

Texas projects, with testimony from Senator Yarborough; Howard Boswell; and several local witnesses;

Gila River below Painted Rock Dam, Ariz., with testimony from Senator Hayden; and Commissioner Joseph F. Friedkin, International Boundary and Water Commission, United States and Mexico;

Arkansas River, Ozark lock and dam, and lock and dam No. 9, Arkansas, with testimony from Reeves Ritchie, president, Arkansas Power & Light Co.

Subcommittee also received testimony from officials of the Corps of Army Engineers on numerous proposed projects throughout the country.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 17 public bills, H.R. 17439–17455; 21 private bills, H.R. 17456–17476; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1279–1280, and H. Res. 1181–1184, were introduced.

Pages 14443–14444

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 2478, 5029, amended, 6673, amended, 11322, amended, 12071, amended, 12378, amended, 12850, 13863, and 13912, amended (H. Repts. 1405–1413);

H. Res. 1181, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17324, to extend and amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 (H. Rept. 1414);

H. Res. 1182, providing for the consideration of S. 1028, to extend certain benefits to former employees of county committees established pursuant to section 8(b) of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act (H. Rept. 1415);

H.R. 14796, regarding loans and mortgages insured under the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, amended (H. Rept. 1416);

S. 2452, regarding Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge in Illinois (H. Rept. 1417);

H.R. 7735, regarding duty on aluminum oxide, amended (H. Rept. 1418);

H.R. 15798, regarding duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk, amended (H. Rept. 1419);

H.R. 16654, regarding duties on certain forms of copper (H. Rept. 1420);

H.R. 17104, regarding duty on electrodes, amended (H. Rept. 1421);

H.R. 16451, regarding prevention, control, and eradication of foot-and-mouth disease or rinderpest in Central America (H. Rept. 1422);

H.R. 17002, regarding tobacco marketing quota provisions, amended (H. Rept. 1423); and

S. 322, regarding National Wildlife Refuge System, amended (H. Rept. 1424). Page 14443

Flag Day: Granted permission for the Speaker to call a recess at any time on June 14, 1968, for a Flag Day ceremony.

The Speaker appointed Representatives Brooks, Nichols, Roudebush, and Hall as a committee to make the arrangements for the ceremony. Page 14374

Truth in Lending: Adopted the conference report on S. 5, to assist in the promotion of economic stabilization by requiring the disclosure of finance charges in connection with extension of credit, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

By unanimous consent, granted 40 minutes' discussion on the conference report (previously adopted).

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Taxation—Interstate Commerce: By a record vote of 284 yeas to 89 nays, the House passed H.R. 2158, to regulate and foster commerce among the States by providing a system for the taxation of interstate commerce.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to strike Title II—Maximum Percentage of Income or Capital Attributable to Taxing Jurisdiction, with conforming language.

Adopted the committee amendments and an amendment providing that the individual can only be taxed on income in one State, as amended.

Rejected an amendment identical to the recommittal motion.

H. Res. 814, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 14398–14402, 14405–14433

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 14443

Uniformed Services: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15348, to make permanent the authority to grant a special 30-day period of leave for members of the uniformed services who voluntarily extend their tours of duty in hostile-fire areas, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Page 14433

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 10241, eliminates the cooperative sheep scrapie eradication program. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and Gen. Harold K. Johnson, Chief of Staff, Army.

MALNUTRITION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service pro-

grams. Testimony was heard from Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks concluded hearings on S. 2515, and related House bills, to establish a Redwood National Park in the State of California. Testimony was heard from public witnesses. Full committee ordered reported to the House the following bills, amended:

S. 443, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to consider a petition for reinstatement of an oil and gas lease (Wyoming 0280122);

S. 102, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to consider a petition for reinstatement of an oil and gas lease (Wyoming 0310090);

H.R. 16880, for the relief of Phillips Petroleum Co., a Delaware corporation, and David Miller;

H.R. 16429, to provide for the conveyance by the Secretary of the Interior of certain lands and interests in lands in Grand and Clear Creek Counties, Colo., in exchange for certain lands within the national forests of Colorado;

H.R. 3306, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (48 Stat. 108) (Blue Lake, Carson National Forest, Pueblo Indians); and

H.R. 10911, to provide for the preparation of a roll of persons of California Indian descent who are eligible to share in the distribution of certain judgment funds and for a referendum on the compromise settlement in consolidated dockets Nos. 31, 37, 80, 80–D, and 347, Indian Claims Commission.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 16980, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from Representative McCarthy and public witnesses.

GAMBLING—GSA—IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 16666, prohibition of gambling. Testimony was heard from Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, and a public witness.

Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on H.R. 10534, GSA payment to Sacramento, Calif. Testimony was heard from Representative Moss and a departmental witness. The subcommittee also acted in executive session on several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on amendments to the act of October 3, 1965 (immigration). Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

REVOLVING FUND—CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on H.R. 16558, effective use of the Civil Service Commission revolving fund. Testimony was heard from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, U.S. Civil Service Commission. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Hamilton.

Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

SENATE—FEDERAL BUILDINGS—NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 2484, authorizes the extension of the additional Senate Office Building site; H.R. 6589, amended, Federal buildings to be accessible to physically handicapped persons; H.R. 16358, amended, authorizes the construction and maintenance of certain National Gallery of Art buildings. The committee also approved 13 watershed projects.

Subcommittee on Watershed Development prior to the full committee meeting approved and held a hearing on the 13 watershed projects. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following open rules:

H.R. 17324, extend the Renegotiation Act, 2 hours general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Byrnes, Gubser, and Mills.

S. 1028, Federal employment conditions for former employees of agricultural county committees, 1 hour general debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dulski and Henderson.

SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY CONTROL ACT

Committee on Un-American Activities: Held a hearing on amendments to the Subversive Activity Control Act. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

SBA LOANS

Select Committee on Small Business: Held hearings on SBA small business loans. Testimony was heard from Robert C. Moot, SBA Administrator, and departmental and public witnesses.

Thursday, May 23, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14800–14835

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3533–3542; and S. Res. 294–295.

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 14706

Printing: Annual report of National Academy of Sciences for fiscal year 1967 was received, referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 57. Page 14800

Safe Streets and Crime Control: By 72 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendment H.R. 5037, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, after substituting for its text the language of companion bill S. 917, as amended. Prior to this, Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 5037.

These additional actions were taken today on further amendments to title III of the bill on wiretapping and electronic surveillance:

Adopted: McClellan amendment as substitute for Hart amendment No. 755 providing that judge in his discretion may require results of wiretapping or bug to be disclosed to the parties to the communications; modified Hart amendment No. 760 setting out certain exceptions to the illegality of interception of wire or oral communications, based upon consent of parties involved; modified Tydings amendment No. 815 to establish a National Commission for Review of Federal and State laws relating to wiretapping and electronic surveillance; Tydings amendment to add to the type of offenses in the field of organized crime that may be covered by title III interstate movement in furtherance of riots, theft from interstate shipment, and embezzlement from pension and welfare funds; Percy amendment to include under coverage of title III the offense of loan sharking (extortion and credit transactions); modified Yarborough amendment allowing emergency setting up of a wiretap prior to authorization only with respect to conspiratorial activities threatening the national security or characteristic of organized crime activities; and

Rejected: By 37 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hart amendment No. 752 allowing emergency setting up of wiretap prior to authorization only if there is an immediate danger to life; by 20 yeas to 60 nays, modified Fong amendment No. 778 to limit title III to cases involving hard-core organized crime, except for cases involving the national security; Long of Missouri amendment No. 717 stating that "the Constitution guarantees to all individuals a basic right of privacy" and providing that "Congress endorses the requirement that what an individual seeks to preserve as private is to be protected"; by 12 yeas to 68 nays, Long of Missouri amendment No. 737 to strike from the bill all of title III; by 23 yeas to 56 nays, Fong amendment No. 775, to limit operation of title III to 5 years after its enactment; and Fong amendment No. 777 to limit duration of wiretap or bug or extensions thereof to 7 days each instead of 30 days; and by 24 yeas to 51 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hruska amendments en bloc to assure that there are no Federal standards set out in the bill for State regulation of wiretaps or bugs.

These additional actions on amendments to other titles of S. 917 were taken today:

Adopted: By 48 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dirksen "block grants" amendment No. 715 as a substitute for part B of title I authorizing grants to States or units of local government for developing law enforcement plans, as amended by adoption of Javits amendment thereto providing that funds may be made available to a State even though it has not met requirements of its own plan; Long (Louisiana) amendment No. 820 to add new title on "Unlawful Possession or Receipt of Firearms"; Tydings amendment No. 817 to add new title penalizing extortion or threats in the District of Columbia; Allott amendment to allow a voluntary confession to be admissible in evidence even if detention before arraignment exceeds 6 hours if means and distance of transportation makes such additional delay necessary; Allott amendment to add new title providing for an appeal by U.S. from motions to suppress evidence; Allott amendment to add new language providing additional grounds for issuing warrant for search and seizure; Bayh amendment to chapter on "Firearms" of title IV defining term "published ordinance"; Griffin amendment to remove from penalties provision in "Firearms" chapter a violation of a prospective rule or regulation that has not yet been issued; Tower amendment to change definition of an antique firearm; and

Rejected: By 30 yeas to 48 nays, Tydings motion to table Dirksen "block grants" amendment No. 715 described above where adopted; by 33 yeas to 44 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Brooke-Javits amendment (to Dirksen "block grants" amendment No. 715) providing that two-thirds rather than 85 percent of the funds shall be allocated on a population basis and the remainder as the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration may determine; on division vote, Hruska amendment No. 771 providing that no grant made for law enforcement purposes may be spent for compensation of personnel except for time engaged in training programs; on division vote, Hruska amendment No. 770 providing that Law Enforcement Assistance Administration shall be independent of the Attorney General and other Department of Justice officers; and by 27 yeas to 49 nays, Dirksen amendment to add language authorizing proceedings before the Subversive Activities Control Board.

S. 917, companion bill to H.R. 5037, was indefinitely postponed. Pages 14683, 14693–14782, 14787–14799

Housing: Senate took up S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Page 14799

Private Bill: S. 1052, a private bill, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 14802

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its executive hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony from Secretary Clark Clifford.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, after receiving further testimony on funds for his department from Robert C. Weaver, Secretary, Department of HUD.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 11.

HUNGER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty began hearings on the problem of hunger and malnutrition in the United States, receiving testimony from the following panel of witnesses representing the Citizens Board of Inquiry on Hunger and Malnutrition in the U.S.: Dr. Leslie Dunbar, executive director, the Field Foundation, New York City; Dr. Benjamin Mays, Morehouse College, Atlanta; Dr. Alfred Haynes, Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore; Dr. Gilbert Ortiz, an obstetrician of the Bronx, N.Y.; and Edward Sparer, professor of law, Yale University.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, May 29.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors concluded its hearings on individual projects and miscellaneous bills proposed to be included in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, after receiving testimony on projects as follows:

Missouri River navigation, North Dakota and Nebraska, with testimony from Senator Mundt; and South Dakota Gov. Niles A. Boe;

Belle Fountain Drainage District No. 17, St. Francis River, Mo., and Ark., with testimony from Senators Symington and Fulbright; and public witnesses;

Yazoo River, Miss., with testimony from Senator Stennis; and local witnesses;

Lake Chicot, Ark., with testimony from Representative Pryor; and a local witness;

St. Francis River Basin, Ark., and Mo., with testimony from Senator Fulbright; and a local witness;

Gulf Intracoastal Waterway-Gulf Outlet and Michoud Canal, La., and the Mississippi River at Venice, La., with testimony from Senators Ellender and Long of Louisiana; and several local witnesses;

Ouachita River, Ark., with testimony from Representative Pryor; and several local witnesses;

Red River Waterway, La., Tex., Ark., and Okla., with testimony from Senators Ellender, Long of Louisiana, and Yarborough; and numerous local witnesses.

Subcommittee also received testimony from officials of the Corps of Army Engineers on numerous proposed projects throughout the country.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Financing and Investment began a series of hearings on the problems of economic development of rural areas, having as its witnesses Robert C. Moot, Administrator, Small Business Administration; W. Frank Threatt, Congaree Iron & Steel Co., Inc., South Carolina; and Edward W. Kiley and William E. Murray, both representing the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 17477–17502; 19 private bills, H.R. 17503–17521; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1281–1283, and H. Res. 1185, were introduced.

Pages 14681–14682

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. Con. Res. 64, to print additional copies of Senate hearings on establishment of a Commission on Balanced Economic Development and the creation of a Northwest Regional Services Corp (H. Rept. 1425);

S. Con. Res. 66, to print, for the use of the Senate Special Committee on Aging, additional copies of its hearings on long-range program and research needs in aging (H. Rept. 1426);

H. Con. Res. 44, authorizing the printing of additional copies of Veterans' Benefits Calculator (H. Rept. 1427);

H. Con. Res. 614, to provide for the printing of 1,000 additional copies of anticrime program hearings (H. Rept. 1428);

H. Con. Res. 702, to authorize certain printing of Committee on Veterans' Affairs (H. Rept. 1429);

H. Res. 1057, to print as a House document a revised and updated version of the collection of materials entitled "Documents on the Use and Control of Waters of

Interstate and International Streams: Compacts, Treaties, and Adjudications," amended (H. Rept. 1430);

H. Res. 1076, providing for the printing as a House document the "Compilation of Social Security Laws," amended (H. Rept. 1431);

Private bills, H.R. 2654, amended, 2695, 2976, amended, 3681, 5815, amended, 5818, amended, 6195, 8087, amended, 8809, amended, 9089, amended, 10321 amended, 13160, amended, 14079, amended, 14167, 16037, 16283, 6323, amended, 7047, amended, 7900, amended, 7901, amended, 7902, amended, 8816, amended and 2585 (H. Repts. 1432–1454);

H.R. 17268, to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950, amended (H. Rept. 1455);

H.R. 17267, to remove persons from Federal employment who engage in unlawful acts connected with riots or civil disorders (H. Rept. 1456);

H.R. 272, regarding employment security administration account in the unemployment trust fund (H. Rept. 1457);

Private bills, H.R. 10457, 11591, amended, 11592, amended, 11593, amended, and H. Res. 1177 (H. Repts. 1458–1462); and

H.R. 3400, to amend the Federal Aviation Act, amended (H. Rept. 1463). Pages 14680–14681

Sea-Level Canal: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15190, relating to the investigation and study to determine a site for the construction of a sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Garmatz, Sullivan, Murphy, New York, Mailliard, and Grover. Page 14609

Printing Resolutions: The House adopted the following printing resolutions: S. Con. Res. 64, S. Con. Res. 66, H. Con. Res. 44, H. Con. Res. 614, H. Con. Res. 702, H. Res. 1057, amended, and H. Res. 1076, amended (for titles see "Bills Reported" in this issue of the DAILY DIGEST). Pages 14611–14612

Military Credit Unions: Adopted by a record vote of 186 yeas to 173 nays H. Res. 1093, regarding investigation of operations of U.S. military credit unions in the European and Pacific Commands. Pages 14612–14620

Water Conservation Fund Act: By a record vote of 336 yeas to 13 nays, the House passed H.R. 8578, to amend title I of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed in lieu S. 1401, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted the committee amendments and rejected two amendments regarding funding of projects.

H. Res. 1170, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 14620–14621, 14623–14656

Emergency Credit Revolving Fund: By a voice vote the House passed H.J. Res. 1227, to authorize the temporary funding of the emergency credit revolving fund.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S.J. Res. 168 in lieu of H.J. Res. 1227.

H. Res. 1173, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 14621–14623, 14656–14662

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of May 29. Page 14662

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15030, Potato Research and Promotion Act.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Stanley R. Resor, Secretary of the Army.

FEDERAL CITY COLLEGE—DEMONSTRATION BOND—RIOT DAMAGE—AIR POLLUTION—HARASSING COMMUNICATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15280, amended, to establish Federal City College; H.R. 16948, amended, to remove riot damage in D.C.; H.R. 17414, amended, to prevent and control air pollution in D.C.; H.R. 17417, to prohibit harassing communications in D.C.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Special Investigating Subcommittee approved for full committee action H.R. 16948, amended, H.R. 17417, and H.R. 16941, requires parade permittees to post bond.

MALNUTRITION—OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation continued hearings on H.R. 27, and related bills, construction authorization on Oahe unit, James Division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mark Andrews, Berry, and Reifel, Senator Mundt, and departmental and public witnesses.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 16980, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUSINESS AND TOURISTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15651, amended, to facilitate the visits to U.S. of foreign businessmen and tourists.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Census and Statistics continued hearings on criminal statistics. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held hearings on H.R. 16994, and H.R. 17134, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for the construction of certain highways. Testimony was heard from Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation, and Lowell K. Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, and a departmental witness.

Friday, May 24, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 14898–14943

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3543–3545; and S. Res. 296.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1138);

S.J. Res. 157, relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak. (S. Rept. 1139);

H.R. 15271, authorizing the use of judgment funds in favor of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington (S. Rept. 1140);

H.R. 14672, permitting the Secretary of the Interior to accept gifts for the benefit of Indians (S. Rept. 1141);

H.R. 3299, authorizing the purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington (S. Rept. 1142);

S. 2701, providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont., with amendments (S. Rept. 1143);

H.R. 14922, relating to the distribution of judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe in Colorado (S. Rept. 1144);

H.R. 5704, granting to certain Indians the mineral rights on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont., with amendment (S. Rept. 1145);

S. 203, permitting institution of suits by certain individual Indians rejecting payment for their lands, with amendment (S. Rept. 1146); and

S. Res. 296, requesting an additional $10,000 for expenses of Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and three House-passed concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. Page 14889

President's Communication—Budget Amendments: Communication from President was received transmitting proposed amendments to the budget for fiscal year 1969 in the amount of $1.2 million for the legislative branch; $11.1 million for fair housing provisions of the 1968 Civil Rights Act; $775,000 for a new Commission on Mortgage Credit and Interest Rates; and $350,000 to permit Council of Economic Advisers to finance the Cabinet Committee on Price Stability—referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 80. Page 14898

Safe Streets and Crime Control: By unanimous consent, Senate reconsidered its action in passing, on May 23, H.R. 5037, proposed Safe Streets and Crime Control Act, and the bill was then again passed with two Mansfield amendments of a technical corrective nature (motion to reconsider tabled). Page 14889

National Science Foundation: H.R. 5404, to change in several regards the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 14889–14895

Housing: Senate debated S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.

Pending at adjournment was Tower amendment respecting maximum income that may be received by a homeowner or cooperative member and yet be eligible for assistance payments for lower income housing.

Pages 14943–14960, 14965–14974

Nomination: One civilian nomination was received.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the

Department of Agriculture, and related agencies. As approved by the committee the bill would provide a total of $5,536,050,300, an increase of $12,414,800 over the House-passed figure of $5,523,635,500.

FEDERAL CREDIT UNIONS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings on S. 3002, S. 3214, and S. 3395, bills proposing several amendments to the Federal Credit Union Act, having as its witnesses J. Deane Gannon, Director, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions; and James W. Grant, vice president, CUNA International.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

TAX CONVENTION WITH BRAZIL

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, approved with a reservation Tax Convention with Brazil (Ex. J, 90th Cong., first sess.). Prior to approval of this Convention, testimony in connection therewith was received from L. N. Woodworth, Chief of Staff, Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation.

Committee will meet again on Monday, May 27, for the consideration of other pending business.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures: S. 444, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation area in Utah and Wyoming (amended); S. 3058, to increase authorizations for water resources planning activities (amended); S. 224, providing for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna Dam project, damaged by the 1964 Alaska earthquake (amended); S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes (amended); S. 3073, authorizing funds to promote economic development in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (amended); S. 3207, authorizing funds for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (amended); S.J. Res. 106, calling for the development of methods by which the people of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands may express their wishes with respect to their future political status (amended); S. 2257, declaring that the U.S. holds in trust for the Washoe Tribe of Indians certain lands in Alpine County, Calif. (amended); H.R. 15271, authorizing the use of judgment funds in favor of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington; S. 2701, providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont. (amended); S.J. Res. 157, relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak.; S. 203, permitting institution of suits by certain individual Indians rejecting payment for their lands (amended); H.R. 5704, granting to certain Indians the mineral rights on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont. (amended); H.R. 14672, permitting the Secretary of the Interior to accept gifts for the benefit of Indians; H.R. 14922, relating to the distribution of judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe in Colorado; H.R. 3299, authorizing the purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington; and an original resolution requesting an additional $10,000 for committee expenses.

ANIMAL DRUGS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 1600 and H.R. 3639, to establish standards to determine the safety of drugs for animals, having as its witnesses Winton B. Rankin, Deputy Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW; Dr. Luther S. Roehm, Merck Chemical Division, L. R. Patton, Sterwin Chemicals, Inc., and John Holt, Eli Lilly & Co., all representing the Animal Health Institute; and Charles W. Klinger, Central Soya Co., and Lee H. Boyd, feed control and nutrition, both in behalf of the American Feed Manufacturers Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty concluded hearings on S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., after receiving testimony from Howard Samuels, Under Secretary of Commerce; Marion S. Barry, Jr., and Carroll B. Harvey, both of Pride, Inc.; Leo C. Beebe, National Alliance of Businessmen; and Estelle Hackel, Director, Vermont Employment Service, Montpelier.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor and Gen. Harold K. Johnson, Army Chief of Staff.

STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the State, Justice, Commerce, and judiciary appropriation bill.

MISSOURI RIVER BASIN

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation concluded hearings on bills related to certain Missouri River Basin authorizations. Testimony was heard from Nils A. Boe, Governor, South Dakota, and public witnesses.

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Monday, May 27, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15082–15110

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3546–3553; and S.J. Res. 174. Page 15086

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 224, providing for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna Dam project, damaged by the 1964 Alaska earthquake, with amendment (S. Rept. 1147);

S. 1578, authorizing funds for U.S. contribution for support of the International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs, with amendments (S. Rept. 1148);

S. 3073, authorizing funds to promote economic development in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, with amendments (S. Rept. 1149);

S. 444, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in Utah and Wyoming, with amendments (S. Rept. 1150); and

S. 3207, authorizing funds for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, with amendments (S. Rept. 1151). Page 15086

Housing and Urban Development: Senate continued its consideration of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 57 yeas to 2 nays, Russell amendment to eliminate language that would include riots or civil disorders among catastrophes covered by an act to authorize Federal assistance to States and local governments in major disasters, approved September 30, 1950, as amended; by 56 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to provide that those whose property has been destroyed in a riot may borrow from the Small Business Administration at 3 percent interest and those whose homes have been destroyed in a riot may be housed in a redevelopment area; modified Byrd (West Virginia) amendment to give to local housing authorities the right to purchase, rehabilitate, and sell housing units to local low-income families; Sparkman amendments en bloc of a technical, corrective nature; and Sparkman amendment to extend for 1 year a study of the savings and loan industry authorized in P.L. 89-426; and

Rejected: By 25 yeas to 36 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment No. 822 providing that subsidy payments under the lower income homeownership program shall be available only for those whose income is not in excess of 70 percent of the limitation prescribed for the low- and moderate-income housing program of FHA (below-market interest rate program); by 27 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Tower amendment No. 829 to strike from the bill title IV—Guarantees for Financing New Community Land Development; and by 25 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Russell amendment to provide that the city, as well as the State, shall reimburse up to 5 percent of the aggregate property insurance premiums earned on lines of insurance reinsured by the National Insurance Development Corp. on property losses resulting from riots and civil disorders in the city.

Pending at recess was Tower amendment No. 828 to reduce from $500 to $250 million authorization for purchase of mortgages by Government National Mortgage Association in its special assistance function. It was agreed that debate on this amendment, and on any other Tower amendment, will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided. Pages 15110–15137

Authority To Meet: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, May 28. Page 15144

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 10 bills were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Coast Guard: H.R. 15224, authorizing funds for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1969;

Indians: H.R. 14922, relating to the distribution of judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe in Colorado;

Indians: H.R. 14672, permitting the Secretary of the Interior to accept gifts for the benefit of Indians;

Indians: H.R. 15271, authorizing the use of judgment funds in favor of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington; and

Indians: H.R. 3299, authorizing the purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Indians: H.R. 5704, granting to certain Indians the mineral rights on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S.J. Res. 157, relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Merchant Marine: S. 3017, to set maximum rate of interest permitted on federally insured ship loans and mortgages;

Indians: S. 2701, providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont.;

Indians: S. 203, permitting institution of suits by certain individual Indians rejecting payment for their lands.

Pages 15137–15144

Nominations: The following nominations were received: William H. Crook, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Australia; Robert F. Wagner, of New York, to be Ambassador to Spain; numerous other nominations in the Diplomatic and Foreign Service, Environmental Science Services Administration, and Coast Guard; one Navy in the rank of admiral; and one postmaster withdrawal. Pages 15149–15150

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the Executive Office of the President, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Treasury Department from Secretary Henry H. Fowler; Sheldon S. Cohen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; James J. Rowley, Director, U.S. Secret Service; and Dr. Dean Lockhart, Commission on Obscenity and Pornography.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner; Thomas W. Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner; John W. Hechinger, Chairman of the City Council; and other officials of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue on Friday, May 31.

EQUAL BROADCAST TIME

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported an original joint resolution suspending for the 1968 campaign the equal-time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President.

STEAM-DRIVEN AUTOS

Committee on Commerce: Committee began hearings jointly with the Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution of the Senate Committee on Public Works to receive testimony as to whether the external combustion steam engine is a feasible alternative to the internal combustion engine. Witnesses heard were Robert U. Ayres, Resources for the Future, Inc., Washington, D.C.; Herbert Misch, vice president, Engineering, Ford Motor Co., Dearborn; Lawrence R. Hafstad, General Motors Research Laboratories, Detroit; Lloyd D. Orr, professor of economics, Indiana University; and S. William Gouse, department of mechanical engineering, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TAX CONVENTIONS, AND SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the Tax Convention with France (Ex. N, 90th Cong., first sess.), and Tax Convention with the Philippines (Ex. D, 89th Cong., first sess.); and S. 3423, to provide for U.S. participation in the International Monetary Fund facility based on special drawing rights.

By a voice vote, committee deferred further action on S. 3378, to increase by $480 million U.S. participation in the International Development Association.

Also, by a tie vote of 6 yeas to 6 nays, committee decided against reporting an amended version of S. 2479, authorizing $200 million for a U.S. contribution to multilateral special funds of the Asian Development Bank.

COTTON IMPORTS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to hear Assistant Secretary of State Lucius D. Battle testify with regard to S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 rioting in Newark, N.J., from Louis Danzig, executive director, housing authority; Joseph Redden, chief of the fire department; Franklin Titus, superintendent of schools; and Renee Levins and James Kennedy, both of the United Community Corp., all of Newark, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed its hearings to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, having as its witnesses Charles Haar, Assistant Secretary of HUD for Metropolitan Development; and Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 17522–17533; 13 private bills, H.R. 17534–17546; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1284, H. Con. Res. 781, and H. Res. 1186–1190, were introduced. Pages 15081–15082

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 11787, amended, 11901, amended, 12116, amended, 12419, amended, 9022, 13154, amended, and 13353 (H. Repts. 1469–1475);

H.R. 16162, to improve the balance of payments and foster the long-term commercial interests of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 1476);

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 1477);

H.R. 10911, regarding distribution of certain judgment funds, amended (H. Rept. 1478);

H.R. 16065, regarding conveyance of certain lands to the State of Iowa (H. Rept. 1479);

S. 2634, regarding U.S. Court of Military Appeals (H. Rept. 1480);

H.R. 15971, to increase the participation of law officers and counsel on courts-martial, amended (H. Rept. 1481);

Private bills, H.R. 13469, amended, 13577, amended, 13650, amended, 14017, amended, 14238, 14324, 14751, amended, and 15840, amended (H. Repts. 1483–1489). Pages 15080–15081

House To Convene: Granted permission for the House to convene at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 29. Page 15012

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were considered:

Extortion: H.R. 17417, to prohibit extortion, or the transmission of threats to persons or property, by means of telephone, telegraph, radio, oral, or written communications, or otherwise, in the District of Columbia (passed by a voice vote);

Riot-damaged buildings: H.R. 16948, to direct the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to remove at the expense of the District of Columbia buildings destroyed or damaged in riots or other civil disorders, amended (rejected by a record vote of 141 yeas to 184 nays);

D.C. air pollution: H.R. 17414, to provide for the prevention and control of air pollution in the District of Columbia, amended (passed by a voice vote).

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 1941 in lieu of H.R. 17414, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Federal City College: H.R. 15280, to amend the D.C. Public Education Act so as to make Federal City College a land-grant college (passed by a voice vote).

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 1999 in lieu of H.R. 15280, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected, by a record vote of 159 yeas to 175 nays, the Dowdy substitute amendment.

Rejected, by a record vote of 84 yeas to 254 nays, a motion to recommit the measure to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Adopted the committee amendment. Pages 15012–15039

Renegotiation Act: By a voice vote passed H.R. 17324, to extend and amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Rejected amendments regarding minimum amount subject to renegotiation; and to make the Renegotiation Board a permanent agency.

H. Res. 1181, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15039–15056

Federal Credit Union Act: By a voice vote passed H.R. 14907, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act.

Adopted the committee amendment.

H. Res. 1178, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15040, 15056–15060

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15562, extend amendments to the Farmers Home Administration Act of 1961, which authorizes loans on leasehold interests in Hawaii.

Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on H.R. 15562 and heard testimony from Representative Matsunaga.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT—BOY SCOUTS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Maj. Gen. Henry A. Miley, Jr., Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (Programs and Budget), Department of the Army.

Subcommittee No. 4 approved for full committee action H.R. 15286, loan of equipment to Boy Scouts.

MALNUTRITION—OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 14816, occupational health and safety. No announcements were made.

PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 9362 and H.R. 9411, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma. Testimony was heard from Representatives James Smith and Steed and departmental witnesses;

H.R. 16176, to make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable, North Side pumping division, Minidoka project, Idaho. Testimony was heard from Representative George Hansen;

H.R. 16946 and H.R. 17007, to make certain reclamation projects expenses nonreimbursable. Testimony was heard from Representative Foley and departmental witnesses; a statement for the record was submitted by Representative May.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 16980, and related bills, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, June 3.

Tuesday, May 28, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15289–15315

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3554–3562; and S.J. Res. 175. Pages 15289–15290

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 752, clarifying exemption with respect to transportation performed by agricultural cooperative associations for nonmembers, with amendments (S. Rept. 1152);

S.J. Res. 106, calling for the development of methods by which the people of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands may express their wishes with respect to their future political status, with amendments (S. Rept. 1153); and

S.J. Res. 175, suspending for the 1968 campaign the equal-time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President (S. Rept. 1154). Page 15289

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15243

President's Message—Trade Expansion: President submitted message transmitting proposed Trade Expansion Act of 1968 and urging passage thereof—referred to Committee on Finance. Pages 15246–15248

Sea-Level Canal: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 15190, authorizing funds for continued studies to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Bartlett, and Cotton. Pages 15234–15235

Housing and Urban Development: By 67 yeas to 4 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, taking the following actions on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: Tower amendment No. 828 to reduce from $500 to $250 million authorization for purchase of mortgages by Government National Mortgage Association in its special assistance function; by unanimous vote of 69 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware)-Lausche amendment limiting payment of insurance benefits on mortgages insured under National Housing Act following enactment of this bill (in effect eliminating point system); Monroney (and others) amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to add language on release from liability under veterans' home loan program; Bennett amendment authorizing national banks and savings and loan associations to issue and sell certain mortgage-backed securities guaranteed under National Housing Act; three Javits-Percy amendments en bloc (1) requiring consultation with Secretary of Labor and Administrator of SBA so that to greatest extent possible employment opportunities be made available for lower income persons in connection with assisted projects, (2) providing that subsidy benefits of a cooperative member may be transferred to successor member, and (3) providing that pool mortgage loans financed by State or local government with tax-abatement privileges may be eligible for benefits; Javits (and others) amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) respecting composition of National Advisory Commission on Low Income Housing; Javits amendment of a technical corrective nature; modified Proxmire amendment No. 821 (motion to reconsider tabled) to add language

on new technologies in development of housing for lower income families; Clark-Javits amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) providing that to greatest extent possible new job opportunities be provided for unemployed and underemployed in connection with water and sewer facilities program; Bayh amendment barring person convicted of felony during riot or civil disorder from benefiting from laws allowing disaster relief as result of such disorder; Bayh-Miller amendment authorizing provision of temporary housing for victims of major disaster after January 1, 1968; Hart amendment directing proper Federal agencies to insist on use of all possible new technological improvements in construction of assisted projects; two modified Bayh-Miller amendments respecting Federal loan adjustments under disaster loan program as result of major disaster after January 1, 1968 (1) under Farm Home Administration for loans of not more than $30,000 on rural property and (2) under Small Business Administration for loans of not more than $100,000 on business establishment; Metcalf (and others) amendment to add Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands to areas covered by disaster relief program under SBA; Sparkman amendment respecting national bank authority to make mortgage loans and allow continuation of its participation in existing mortgages; two Sparkman amendments of a technical corrective nature; Dominick (and others) amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to reduce from $500 to $250 million aggregate of the outstanding principal obligations guaranteed under title IV, "Guarantees for Financing New Land Development"; Fulbright amendment to exempt from title XIII, "Interstate Land Sales Full Disclosure," land that developer has certified has been personally inspected by buyer; and Percy-Proxmire amendment providing that a majority of the housing units provided in urban renewal areas redeveloped for residential use and which receive Federal recognition after enactment of this bill shall be standard housing units for those of low and moderate income; and

Rejected: Tower amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to reduce from $1 billion to $500 million authorized appropriations for model cities program for fiscal year 1970; and, by 10 yeas to 62 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Russell amendment to strike from bill title XI, "National Insurance Development Corporation."

Senate indefinitely postponed S. 2700, a bill on the same subject, which had been reported on November 28, 1967. Pages 15219–15221, 15223–15246, 15248–15284

Calendar Call: On call of calendar four bills were passed as follows:

With amendment and cleared for House:

Eklutna project, Alaska: S. 224, providing for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna Dam project, damaged by the 1964 Alaska earthquake;

Tariff: S. 1578, authorizing funds for U.S. contribution for support of the International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs;

Trust Territory of Pacific: S. 3073, authorizing funds to promote economic development in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and

Trust Territory of Pacific: S. 3207, authorizing funds for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Pages 15284–15288

Civil Defense: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that after disposition of Journal on May 29, and not to exceed the hour of 9:30 a.m., Senator Young (Ohio) will be recognized to consider H.R. 15004, to extend the expiration date of several authorities under the Federal Civil Defense Act. Page 15288

Authority To Meet: Committee on Rules and Administration was authorized to meet on Wednesday, May 29, while Senate is in session. Page 15288

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that beginning at 9:30 a.m. May 29, debate on any amendment will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided.

Senators Holland and Williams (Delaware) each filed a notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to the bill.

Pending at recess was Hart (and others) amendment to increase by $10.8 million funds for items under head of "School Lunch Program." Pages 15292, 15315–15331

Confirmation: One civilian nomination was confirmed. Page 15331

Recess: Recessed at 5:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the Executive Office of the President, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Sidney S. Sokol, Commissioner of Accounts; Lester D. Johnson, Commissioner, Bureau of Customs; Robert A. Wallace, Assistant Secretary; Frederick W. Tate, Bureau of the Mint; Henry L. Giordano, Commissioner of Narcotics; Ernest C. Betts, Jr.; Director, Office of Budget and Finance; and other Treasury Department witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for the Bureau of the Budget.

TACTICAL AIR POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its current series of hearings on the tactical air power posture of the U.S., with testimony on requirements and needs of the Air Force from Gen. J. P. McConnell, Chief

of Staff, and Gen. G. P. Disosway, Commander in Chief, Tactical Air Command, both of the Air Force.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

STEAM-DRIVEN AUTOS

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings jointly with the Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution of the Senate Committee on Public Works to receive testimony as to whether the external combustion steam engine is a feasible alternative to the internal combustion engine. Witnesses heard were Richard S. Morse, MIT; Theodore R. Johnson, Thermo Electron Corp., Waltham, Mass.; Calvin E. Williams and Charles J. Williams, both of the Williams Engine Co., Inc., Ambler, Pa.; Edward Pritchard, Pritchard Steam Power Pty. Ltd., Caulfield, Victoria, Australia; and Charles L. Gill, Thermal Kinetics Corp., Rochester, N.Y. Statements were submitted by Representative Ottinger, and R. A. Gibbs, Gibbs Machine Co., Greensboro, N.C., who was accompanied by Thomas Hosick, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, N.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on S. 3195, providing for disposition of unclaimed property in the D.C.; S. 3200, establishing a revolving fund for development of housing for low- and moderate-income families in the D.C.; and S. 3556, dealing with the matter of property insurance in center city areas of the D.C., with testimony from Thomas W. Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner; Robert F. Kneipp, Office of the Corporation Counsel, accompanied by Paula D. Echeverria, Office of Community Renewal Programing; and Ralph Werner, General Counsel, Redevelopment Land Agency, all of the D.C. government; Prof. Herbert S. Denenberg, Wharton School of Finance, University of Pennsylvania; Mel Stark, American Insurance Association; and John Nangle, National Association of Independent Insurers.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DOD RESEARCH PROGRAMS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover testify and answer questions with regard to Defense Department research programs.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots and civil disorders in American cities, with testimony on the 1967 rioting in Newark, N.J., from Andrew F. Zazzali, Jr., assistant prosecutor, Essex County, Newark; Col. David Kelly, superintendent, New Jersey State Police, who was accompanied by his assistant, John P. McGann; Harry Wheeler, a schoolteacher of Newark; and Paul Kamerick, of the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, having as its witnesses Senator Moss; Representative Mize; Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and William L. Taylor, Staff Director, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings to receive testimony on proposals relating to intercircuit assignment of judges of the U.S. Court of Appeals, having as its witnesses Judge Jean S. Breitenstein, U.S. Circuit Court for the 10th Circuit; and Judge John R. Brown, U.S. Circuit Court for the Fifth Circuit.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

URBAN HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued its hearing to review policies relating to urban highway planning, design, and location, receiving testimony from Lowell K. Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, and Frank Turner, Director, and Hal King, both of the Bureau of Public Roads, all of the Department of Transportation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 17547–17569; 19 private bills, H.R. 17570–17588; and seven resolutions, H. Con. Res. 782, and H. Res. 1191–1196, were introduced. Pages 15331–15332, 15395

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3306, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933, amended (H. Rept. 1490);

Private bills, H.R. 10854, 10857, 10859, 10861, 10862, and 10863 (H. Repts. 1491–1496);

H. Res. 1191, providing for the consideration of S. 974, to convey certain lands to the city of Glendale, Ariz. (H. Rept. 1497);

H. Res. 1192, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16127, to increase the limitation on the number of officers for the Coast Guard (H. Rept. 1498);

H. Res. 1193, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17268, to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 (H. Rept. 1499);

Private bills, H.R. 13159, 13380, 13381, amended, 13382, 14658, and 14660 (H. Repts. 1500–1505);

Report entitled "Federal-State Highway Management Practices and Procedures" (H. Rept. 1506); and

H.R. 16429, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 1507).

Pages 15394–15395

Adjournment: Adopted H. Con. Res. 782, to provide for the adjournment of the two Houses from Wednesday, May 29, 1968, to June 3, 1968. Pages 15331–15332

Receive and Sign: Granted permission for the Clerk to receive messages and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills during the adjournment period. Page 15332

Watershed Protection—Flood Prevention: Received and read a message from the chairman of the Committee on Public Works regarding work plans under the Watershed Protection and Flood Protection Act—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 15333

Presidential Message—World Trade: Received and read a message from the President regarding greater prosperity through expanded world trade—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 322).

Pages 15333–15335

State, Justice, Commerce, the Judiciary Appropriations: By a record vote of 347 yeas to 28 nays, the House passed H.R. 17522, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies appropriation bill, 1969.

Adopted by a record vote of 223 yeas to 154 nays the motion to recommit the bill with instructions to limit spending to $1,989,640,000.

Rejected amendments to—

Reduce and to eliminate funds for the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Activities;

Reduce funds for the teaching and promotion of certain sports;

Strike language regarding 1967 Census of Governments;

Restore language regarding the Maritime Administration ship construction;

Restore language regarding operating differential subsidies; and

Provide additional funds for the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

Four points of order against amendments, and four points of order against language in the bill, were sustained. Pages 15338–15366

Lobby Act: For statements filed under the Federal Regulation of Lobbying Act for the first quarter of 1968 see this issue of the Congressional Record. Pages 15396–15425

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 15394

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SHEEP SCRAPIE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains met in executive session, considered, and passed over without prejudice H.R. 10241, sheep scrapie eradication program.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. No announcements were made.

MALNUTRITION—OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 14816, occupational health and safety. No announcements were made.

ANNUITIES—PEACE CORPS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House:

H.R. 16903, to provide certain increases in annuities payable from the Foreign Service retirement and disability fund; and,

H.R. 15087, Peace Corps authorization.

EMPLOYEE PAYMENTS—PALMETTO BEND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action:

S. 1251, amended, providing for certain nonreimbursable and nonreturnable payments to certain Department of Interior employees; and

H.R. 5117, amended, to authorize the Secretary of Interior to construct, operate and maintain stage 1 of the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 16980, and related bills, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from Alan Boyd, Secretary of Transportation, and public witnesses.

MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a hearing on H.R. 16994 and H.R. 17134, to authorize appropriations for fiscal 1970 and 1971 for the construction of certain highways. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following rules:

H.R. 17268, Defense Production Act extension; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Brock and Patman;

H.R. 16127, increase in the number of Coast Guard officers; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Clark;

S. 974, conveyance of certain lands to the city of Glendale, Ariz.; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Belcher, Poage, and John Rhodes.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR SUB "SCORPION"

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing on the status of search operations for the missing nuclear submarine *Scorpion* from Capt. Jeff Davis and Capt. Walter Dietzen, both of the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations.

MANPOWER AND EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs began a series of hearings in connection with the Kerner Commission report on urban problems and violence, with especial emphasis on the Commission's manpower recommendations, including related aspects of unemployment and underemployment. Testimony was received from Senator Harris; and Representative Corman.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965.

INTERNATIONAL CLAIMS SETTLEMENT ACT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 9063, to amend in several regards the International Claims Settlement Act, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, May 29, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15601–15644

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3563–3570; S. Con. Res. 73; and S. Res. 297–299. Pages 15584, 15603

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Eighteenth annual report of Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 1155);

S. 3504, to insure proper police force jurisdiction in buildings leased by the Library of Congress (S. Rept. 1156);

The following seven resolutions reported with written report by Committee on Rules and Administration, the titles of which may be found under the actions of that committee under the heading "Committee Meetings" in this Senate DIGEST: S. Res. 286, 292, 294, 295, H. Con. Res. 44, 614, and 702 (S. Repts. 1157–1163, respectively); and

The following six resolutions reported without written report by Committee on Rules and Administration, the titles of which may be found under the actions of that committee under the heading "Committee Meetings" in this Senate DIGEST: S. Con. Res. 73, S. Res. 291, 296, 297, and 298–299. Pages 15602–15603, 15607

Bill Referred: H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 15545

Memorial Day Adjournment: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 782, providing that when the Senate and House adjourn on May 29 they stand adjourned until noon Monday, June 3. Page 15533

Civil Defense: Senate took up and passed H.R. 15004, to extend the expiration date of several authorities under the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950. Prior to passage Senate rejected Young of Ohio amendment which would have limited extension to 2 years instead of 4 years, as provided in the bill. Pages 15534–15535

Flaming Gorge: Senate took from calendar and passed with committee amendments S. 444, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in Utah and Wyoming. Pages 15542–15545

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Modified Hart (and others) amendment to increase by $4.5 million funds for items under heading of "School Lunch Program"; and, by 31 yeas to 30 nays, Javits amendment to strike from the bill the section headed "Removal of Surplus Agricultural Commodities," which would have restricted use of funds available under section 32 of act of August 24, 1935, for purposes other than commodity program expenses authorized therein; and

Rejected: By 16 yeas to 47 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware) amendment to reduce by $95.5 million funds for administrative expenses of 1969 program of soil-building and soil and water conserving practices; and, by 19 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware)-Nelson amendment No. 834 limiting to $10,000 maximum amount that may be paid during fiscal year 1969 to any producer participating in any program administered by Agriculture Department.

A point of order was sustained against Williams (Delaware)-Nelson amendment No. 811 to bar, after January 1, 1969, payment to any producer under any program administered by Agriculture Department in excess of $10,000 in any one year.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Holland, Russell, Stennis, Ellender, Hruska, Young of North Dakota, and Mundt.

Pages 15533, 15536–15542, 15545–15557, 15563–15574

South Asia: Senator Ellender delivered speech presenting "Review of U.S. Government Operations in South Asia," based on his trip to the countries involved in November and December 1967. Pages 15574–15584

Campaign Broadcast Equal Time: Senate passed without amendment (motion to table reconsidered) S.J. Res. 175, suspending for the 1968 campaign the equal-time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President. Pages 15584–15586

Senate Adjournment: Secretary of Senate was authorized during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, June 3, to receive messages from the House, and the Vice President and President pro tempore were authorized to sign enrolled bills during that period. Page 15584

Inaugural Arrangements: S. Con. Res. 73, providing for the creation of a Joint Committee on the Inaugural Ceremonies in January 1969, was adopted. Page 15584

Trust Territory of Pacific: Senate passed with committee amendments S.J. Res. 106, calling for the development of methods by which the people of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands may express their wishes with respect to their future political status. Pages 15586–15587

Arts and Humanities: Conference report was adopted on H.R. 11308, authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965. Pages 15588–15589

Joint Chiefs of Staff: Senate took up for consideration H.J. Res. 1224, authorizing the President to reappoint for 1 year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Page 15596

Disaster Relief: S. 438, to provide additional assistance to areas suffering from major disasters, was ordered to lie on table. Page 15596

Weather Forecasts: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. Con. Res. 67, expressing sense of Congress in favor of expanded effort in weather predictions. This completed legislative action on the resolution. Page 15598

Confirmations: Numerous nominations in the Army, Marine Corps, and Air Force, and three nominations in the Navy were confirmed. Page 15644

Nominations: Five judicial nominations were received. Page 15644

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Coast Guard from Adm. Willard J. Smith, Commandant, who was accompanied by other Coast Guard officials.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 4, on funds for the Federal Railroad Administration (high-speed ground transportation).

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY, POST OFFICE, EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and Executive Office of the President, with testimony in behalf of funds for his bureau from Charles J. Zwick, Director, who was accompanied by other officials of the Bureau of the Budget.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce continued hearings on S. 3195, providing for disposition of unclaimed property in the D.C.; S. 3200, establishing a revolving fund for development of housing for low- and moderate-income families in the D.C.; and S. 3556, dealing with the matter of property insurance in center city areas of the D.C.,

receiving testimony from Wallace M. Smith, accompanied by Lee Holmes, both of the American Mutual Insurance Alliance; and Channing Phillips, Housing Development Corp.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

D.C. JUDGES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary held hearings on S. 1731, S. 2439, S. 2464, and S. 2465, increasing the number of judges for the D.C. court of general sessions and the D.C. juvenile court, increasing judicial salaries, and improving retirement benefits for D.C. judges. Witnesses heard were Chief Judge Andrew M. Hood, D.C. Court of Appeals; Jo V. Morgan, judge, D.C. tax court; Harold H. Greene, chief judge, accompanied by Judge Fred L. McIntyre, both of the D.C. court of general sessions; Morris Miller, chief judge, D.C. juvenile court; Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, accompanied by other D.C. officials; John Pickering, Committee on the Administration of Justice; and John E. Powell, president, the Bar Association of the D.C.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 3456, providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct and indecent acts shall be conducted by the D.C. Corporation Counsel, with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer; and David G. Bress, U.S. Attorney, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations continued its series of hearings on S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, having as its witnesses Bettin Stalling, D.C. chapter of the Federal Bar Association; Lowell K. Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, Department of Transportation; Loney W. Hart, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers; and Harry L. Graham, National Grange. It was announced that a statement will be submitted for the record by Secretary of HEW Wilbur J. Cohen.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Edwin M. Zimmerman, to be an Assistant Attorney General, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings to receive testimony on proposals relating to inter- and intra-district assignment of U.S. district judges, having as its witnesses Chief Judge Edward M. Curran, U.S. District Court for the D.C.; and Judge Henry Graven, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Iowa.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

HUNGER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on the problem of hunger and malnutrition in the United States, receiving testimony from Ralph D. Abernathy, director, and Marion Wright, legislative liaison, both of the SCLC.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. Res. 286, authorizing employment of three additional clerks for the Committee on the District of Columbia (amended); S. Res. 291, authorizing an additional $35,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations; S. Res. 296, authorizing additional $10,000 for expenses of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs; S. 3504, to insure proper police force jurisdiction in buildings leased by the Library of Congress; H. Con. Res. 44, to print additional copies of a veterans' benefits calculator; H. Con. Res. 614, to print additional copies of House Judiciary Committee hearings on the anticrime program; H. Con. Res. 702, authorizing printing of "Summary of Veterans Legislation Reported, 90th Congress"; S. Res. 292, to print additional copies of part 5 of Senate Select Committee on Small Business hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry; S. Res. 294, to print additional copies of part 6 of Senate Select Committee on Small Business hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry; S. Res. 295, to print as a Senate document study entitled "Automatic Data Processing and the Small Businessman"; an original concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 73) providing for the creation of a Joint Committee on the Inaugural Ceremonies; an original resolution (S. Res. 297) to print as a Senate document the tributes made on the Senate Floor to the Honorable Carl Hayden on the occasion of the announcement of his retirement from public office; and two original resolutions (S. Res. 298 and 299) authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Committee also agreed to recommend that the Senate agree to the House amendments to S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad; and S. 1581, to increase participation of service personnel in Federal elections.

Also, committee gave its endorsement to Capitol Police Board Order No. 1-68, relating to security of the U.S. Capitol buildings and grounds.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Five public bills, H.R. 17589–17593; nine private bills, H.R. 17594–17602; and four resolutions, H. Res. 1197–1200, were introduced. Page 15533

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 11026, regarding fish and wildlife conservation and rehabilitation program, amended (H. Rept. 1508).

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Wartime Disability: Granted permission that it be in order for the Speaker to recognize a Member to call up, under suspension of the rules, on Thursday, June 6, H.R. 16027, to make graduated increases in the rates of disabled veterans for wartime disability compensation.

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Omnibus Crime Bill: Objection was heard to a unanimous-consent request to disagree to the Senate amendments to H.R. 5037, the omnibus crime bill, and request a conference with the Senate. Page 15499

Tax Adjustment Act: Rejected, by a record vote of 137 yeas to 259 nays, a motion to instruct conferees to cut Federal expenditures by $4 billion under the provisions of H.R. 15414, the Tax Adjustment Act of 1968.

Pages 15499–15513

Grain: Passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 15794, to provide for U.S. standards and a national inspection system for grain.

Adopted the committee amendments.

H. Res. 1171, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15513–15520

Coast Guard Officers: Passed, by a voice vote, H.R. 16127, to increase the limitation on the number of officers for the Coast Guard.

H. Res. 1192, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15513, 15520

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of June 5. Page 15521

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 15532

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:13 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MALNUTRITION—OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY—NEGRO HISTORY

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14816, amended, occupational health and safety, and H.R. 12962, amended, to establish a commission on Negro history and culture.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

DEMONSTRATION BOND

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 16981, amended, limiting use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in D.C. and requiring the posting of bond.

Joint Committee Meetings

MANPOWER AND EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings in connection with the Kerner Commission report on urban problems and violence, with testimony relating to the nature of unemployment and subemployment in urban areas from Vivian W. Henderson, president, Clark College; John F. Kain, professor, department of economics, Harvard University; Elliot Liebow, National Institute of Mental Health; and Thayne R. Robson, professor, department of economics, University of Utah.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 4.

Monday, June 3, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15753–15771

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3571–3578; and S. Con. Res. 74.

Pages 15756, 15758

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15756

President's Message—U.S.-Japan Medical Science: Annual report of U.S.-Japan cooperative medical science program was submitted in message from President, and referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

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President's Message—Aid to Handicapped: President submitted message transmitting report of National

Commission on Architectural Barriers to Rehabilitation of the Handicapped—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 15755–15756

Call of Calendar: On call of calendar 13 measures were passed, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Library of Congress: S. 3504, to insure proper police force jurisdiction in buildings leased by the Library of Congress.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Committee authorizations: S. Res. 291, authorizing an additional $35,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations;

Committee authorizations: S. Res. 296, authorizing an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs;

Printing: S. Res. 292, to print additional copies of part 5 of Senate Select Committee on Small Business hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry;

Printing: S. Res. 294, to print additional copies of part 6 of Senate Select Committee on Small Business hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry;

Printing: S. Res. 295, to print as a Senate document study entitled "Automatic Data Processing and the Small Businessman";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 702, authorizing printing of "Summary of Veterans Legislation Reported, 90th Congress";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 614, to print additional copies of House Judiciary Committee hearings on the anticrime program;

Printing: H. Con. Res. 44, to print additional copies of a veterans' benefits calculator;

Printing: S. Res. 297, to print as a Senate document the tributes made on the Senate floor to the Honorable Carl Hayden on the occasion of the announcement of his retirement from public office; and

Gratuities: S. Res. 298 and 299, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of two deceased Senate employees.

Resolution adopted with amendment:

Committee authorizations: S. Res. 286, authorizing employment of three additional clerks for the Committee on the District of Columbia. Pages 15753–15755

Joint Chiefs of Staff: By 52 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 1224, authorizing the President to reappoint for 1 year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Pages 15771–15772, 15786–15792

Bankruptcy Referees: Senate took up S. 1316, relating to the term of office and retirement benefits of referees in bankruptcy. Page 15792

Voting Assistance: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 2884, to amend the Federal Voting Assistance Act so as to recommend to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 15792

Voting Assistance: S. 1581, to increase participation of service personnel in Federal elections, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Pages 15792–15793

Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 2178, private bill, thus clearing it for President's signature. Page 15793

Nominations: Senate received one civilian nomination and nine Army nominations in the rank of general. Page 15794

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Continuing its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for their departments from Harry N. Peterson, Director of the Public Library, and Kenneth L. Hardy, Director, Department of Corrections, both of the D.C. government.

On Friday, May 31, subcommittee received testimony from Thomas W. Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner, and numerous other D.C. officials, in behalf of funds for various D.C. departmental activities.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on the subject of environmental quality management and waste management research, having as its witnesses Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; Prof. R. B. Fuller, architecture department, Southern Illinois University; A. Lyndon Fosque, of Manhasset, N.Y.; and Dr. William Johnston, Scientific Research Institutions Corp., Baltimore.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 17603–17614; 20 private bills, H.R. 17615–17634; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1285–1287, H. Con. Res. 783, and H. Res. 1201–1202, were introduced. Pages 15824–15825

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15562, to extend the expiration date of the act of September 19, 1966 (H. Rept. 1509);

H.R. 16981, regarding use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 1510); and

Conference report on H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 1511). Page 15824

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the White House:

Crab Orchard National Refuge: S. 2452, regarding Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge in Illinois.

U.S. Court of Military Appeals: S. 2634, regarding U.S. Court of Military Appeals.

Merchant Marine Act: S. 3017 (in lieu of H.R. 14796), regarding loans and mortgages insured under title XI of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936.

Cleared for the Senate without amendment:

Postage Due Collections: H.R. 17024, regarding postage due collections.

Land Conveyance: H.R. 16065, regarding land conveyance to the State of Iowa.

Rinderpest: H.R. 16451, regarding prevention, control, and eradication of foot-and-mouth disease or rinderpest in Central America.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Hood River County, Oreg.: H.R. 3165, for the relief of Hood River County, Oreg.

California Indians: H.R. 10911, regarding persons of California Indian descent.

Pay Systems: H.R. 15395, to provide salary step advancements and adjustments for employees moving to and from different pay systems.

Counsel on Courts-Martial: H.R. 15971, to increase the participation of law officers and counsel on courts-martial.

Tobacco: H.R. 17002, to amend the tobacco marketing quota provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938.

John E. Fogarty Building: S. 3363 (in lieu of H.R. 16629), to name the U.S. customhouse, Providence, R.I., the "John E. Fogarty Building."

Fishing Industry: S. 2047 (in lieu of H.R. 13366), to exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the requirements of certain laws. Pages 15795–15807

Presidential Message—Handicapped: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the report of the National Commission on Architectural Barriers to Rehabilitation of the Handicapped—referred to the Committee on Public Works and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 324). Pages 15808–15810

Presidential Message—U.S.-Japan Medical Science: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the annual report of the U.S.-Japan cooperative medical science program—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 325). Page 15808

Suspensions: The following bill was called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules by a voice vote:

H.R. 8953, providing for the alteration, reconstruction, or relocation of certain highway and railroad bridges by the Tennessee Valley Authority. Page 15808

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 15824

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and considered housing legislation. No announcements were made.

PSYCHOLOGY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 10407, to regulate the practice of psychology. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MALNUTRITION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 16771, to designate certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, Morris County, N.J., as wilderness. Testimony was heard from Representative Frelinghuysen and a departmental witness.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads held a public hearing on the after 1975 highway program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through May 31, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	91	74	..
Time in session	484 hrs., 11′	298 hrs., 34′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	6,716	4,456	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	4,886
Public bills enacted into law	44	31	75
Private bills enacted into law	32	11	43
Bills in conference	2	10	..
Bills through conference	5	6	..
Measures passed, total	223	307	..
Senate bills	64	57	..
House bills	53	118	..
Senate joint resolutions	12	10	..
House joint resolutions	5	13	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	6	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	7	11	..
Simple resolutions	76	95	171
Measures reported, total	*270	*424	..
Senate bills	69	74	..
House bills	49	237	..
Senate joint resolutions	13	5	..
House joint resolutions	4	7	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	6	2	..
House concurrent resolutions	8	7	..
Simple resolutions	121	92	213
Special reports	11	25	..
Conference reports	..	10	..
Reported measures not acted on	32	171	..
Measures introduced, total	910	3,692	4,602
Bills	748	3,010	3,758
Joint resolutions	44	314	358
Concurrent resolutions	21	178	199
Simple resolutions	97	190	287
Quorum calls	36	72	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**134	87	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 217 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 459 has been filed in the House.

**No. 105 Leg. (record vote) on April 17 was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through May 31, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 4,399, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	4,396
Unconfirmed	3

Air Force nominations, totaling 8,300, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	8,299
Unconfirmed	1

Navy nominations, totaling 6,734, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	6,733
Unconfirmed	1

Marine Corps nominations, totaling 2,648, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	2,648
Unconfirmed	None

Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,514, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	745
Unconfirmed	769

Postmaster nominations, totaling 643, disposed of as follows:

Confirmed	229
Unconfirmed	409
Withdrawn	5

Summary

Total nominations received	24,238
Total confirmed	23,050
Total unconfirmed	1,183
Total withdrawn	5

Tuesday, June 4, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15910–15942

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced as follows: S. 3579–3589. Page 15912

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 16911, to provide for U.S. participation in the International Monetary Fund facility based on special drawing rights (S. Rept. 1164). Page 15911

Bills Referred: Nine House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15910

Transportation: Order was entered by unanimous consent that S. 1314, to broaden the definition of the term "bulk commodities" under the Interstate Commerce Act, will lie on the table. Page 15921

Transportation: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 752, clarifying exemption with respect to transportation performed by agricultural cooperative associations for nonmembers. Pages 15910–15911

Civil Service Retirement: Senate considered and, by 62 yeas to 9 nays, recommitted to Committee on the Judiciary S. 1316, relating to the term of office and retirement benefits of referees in bankruptcy. Prior to this action Senate adopted, by 41 yeas to 27 nays, Carlson amendment to strike from the bill language that would have provided for referees in bankruptcy higher contributions and a more generous annuity formula than are applicable to Government employees generally.

Pages 15942–15943, 15947–15952

Treaties Reported: The following three conventions, with reservations, were reported:

(1) Income Tax Convention between U.S. and Brazil, signed at Rio de Janeiro, March 13, 1967 (Ex. J, 90th Cong., first sess.);

(2) Income Tax Convention between U.S. and France, signed at Paris, July 28, 1967 (Ex. N, 90th Cong., first sess.); and

(3) Income Tax Convention between U.S. and the Philippines, signed at Washington, October 5, 1964 (Ex. D, 89th Cong., first sess.).

All three of these treaties were reported under Executive Report No. 5.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that at noon Thursday, June 6, Senate will proceed to vote on resolutions of ratification of these three treaties in the following order: Ex. J, 90th Cong., first sess., Ex. N, 90th Cong., first sess., and Ex. D, 89th Cong., first sess.

Pages 15953–15968

Nomination: Nomination of A. Everette MacIntyre, of Virginia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, was received. Page 15969

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE DEPARTMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began, in executive session, hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for their department from Secretary Dean Rusk; Idar Rimestad, Deputy Under Secretary for Administration; Ralph S. Roberts, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Budget; and Edward D. Re, Assistant Secretary for Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Activities; and other officials of the Department of State.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open session on funds for certain related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee began hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for the Federal Railroad Administration from A. Scheffer Lang, Administrator, and Robert A. Nelson, Director, Office of High-Speed Ground Transportation, both of the FRA. Testimony was also received from several public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Gen. William C. Westmoreland, to be Army Chief of Staff; Ernest L. Massad, of Oklahoma, to be Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs; Gen. Harold K. Johnson, Army Chief of Staff, for placement on the retired list; and Vice Adm. W. F. A. Wendt, to be Commander in Chief, U.S. Naval Forces, Europe.

Prior to this action, in open session, General Westmoreland and Mr. Massad were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Mr. Massad was introduced to the committee by Senator Monroney.

In secret session, committee received a briefing from General Westmoreland on the situation in Vietnam.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Military Construction Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 3225, proposed military construction authorizations for fiscal year 1969.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance held hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of eastern Europe, having as its witnesses Senator Thurmond; Ambassador-designate to the U.N. George Ball; and Philip H. Trezise, Ambassador to Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 13.

INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on proposed International Coffee Agreement of 1968 (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Anthony M. Solomon, Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; and Prof. William C. Struning, College of Business Administration, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads began hearings on S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; S. 2888, providing for the elimination of tolls on roads in the Interstate Highway System; and S. 3381, authorizing additional program for improvement of the Federal-aid primary system. Witnesses heard were Senators Eastland and Monroney; John W. Lyon, National Parking Association; John O. Morton, American Association of State Highway Officials, accompanied by Commissioner J. Burch McMorran, Department of Transportation of New York; and Vince Robison, Association of Motor Carriers of Oklahoma.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 17635–17653; 18 private bills, H.R. 17654–17671; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1288–1291, and H. Res. 1203–1205, were introduced. Pages 15909–15910

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 16903, to provide certain increases in annuities payable from the Foreign Service retirement and disability fund (H. Rept. 1512);

H.R. 16358, regarding a building for the National Gallery of Art, amended (H. Rept. 1513);

S. 2484, to authorize the extension of the additional Senate Office Building site (H. Rept. 1514);

H.R. 15651, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act, amended (H. Rept. 1515);

H. Res. 1203, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3400, regarding aircraft noise abatement (H. Rept. 1516);

H. Res. 1204, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16162, regarding Export-Import Bank loans (H. Rept. 1517); and

H. Res. 1205, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17267, regarding removal of Federal or D.C. employees committing unlawful acts related to riots or civil disorders (H. Rept. 1518). Pages 15908–15909

Inauguration: Adopted S. Con. Res. 73, regarding Joint Committee on the Inaugural Ceremonies in January 1969.

Appointed as members of the committee to make arrangements Representatives McCormack, Albert, and Gerald R. Ford. Page 15870

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the White House: S. 2585.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2478, 2695, 3681, 6195, 9022, 10457, 12850, 13353, 13863, 14167, 14238, 14324, 16037, and 16283.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 1648, 5029, 5815, 5818, 6323, 6655, 6673, 7047, 7900, 7901, 7902, 8087, 8809, 8816, 9089, 11322, 11591, 11592, 11593, 11787, 11901, 12071, 12116, 12378, 12419, 13154, 13160, 13469, 13577, 13650, 13912, 14017, 14079, 14751, and 15840.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1527, 1608, 2046, 2281, 2282, 2654, 2758, 2976, 4386, 4404, 4939, 5959, 6321, 10327, 10417, 11381, 12539, 12894, 15633, H. Res. 991, 1111, S. 155, and 321. Pages 15870–15879

Unanimous Consent: Passed the following bills on unanimous-consent requests:

Unemployment trust fund: H.R. 272, to extend the period during which amounts transferred from the employment trust fund to State accounts may be used by the States for payment of expenses of administration.

Bauxite: H.R. 7735, to make permanent the existing suspensions of duty on aluminum oxide when imported for use in producing aluminum, on calcined bauxite, and on bauxite ore, amended.

Yarn of silk: H.R. 15798, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk, amended.

Electrodes: H.R. 17104, to extend until July 15, 1970, the suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, amended. Pages 15879–15882

Defense Production Act: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 17268, to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950.

Rejected by a voice vote the motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Adopted the committee amendments and rejected an amendment regarding uniform accounting standards.

H. Res. 1193, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15882–15892

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 15908

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EASEMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 17320. Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on H.R. 17320, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to grant an easement over certain lands to the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co. Testimony was heard from Representative Ichord and departmental witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Paul Ignatius, Secretary of the Navy, Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations, and Ambassador M. Roth, Special Representative for Trade Negotiations.

HOUSING LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and considered housing legislation. No announcements were made.

MALNUTRITION—HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Activities: Subcommittee on Government Activities continued hearings on survey of government operations, part 10, GSA. Testimony was heard from Lawson B. Knott, Jr., Administrator, GSA, and departmental witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands continued hearings on H.R. 16771, to designate certain lands in the Great Swamp National Refuge, Morris County, N.J., as wilderness; and H.R. 13512, to designate the Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in the State of Oregon. Testimony was heard from Representative Ullman and departmental and public witnesses.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 16980, and related bills, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SAFE STREETS AND CRIME CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and directed the chairman to move on the House floor to take H.R. 5037, safe streets and crime control, to conference.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted open rules on the following bills:

H.R. 3400, aircraft noise abatement; 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

H.R. 16162, Export-Import Bank loans; 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Patman.

H.R. 17267, removal of Federal or D.C. employees committing unlawful acts related to riots or civil disorders; 2 hours of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Daniels, Dulski, Gross, and Pool.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from C. R. Smith, Secretary of Commerce, W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor, Stewart Udall, Secretary of the Interior, and Ambassador William M. Roth, special representative for trade negotiations.

Joint Committee Meetings

MANPOWER AND EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs resumed its series of hearings in connection with the Kerner Commission report on urban problems and violence, having as its witnesses Gerhard Colm, National Planning Association; Prof. Eli Ginzberg, department of economics, Columbia University; Irving H. Siegel, the W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research; and Prof. Lester C. Thurow, department of economics, Harvard University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Wednesday, June 5, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies. As approved by the committee the bill would provide a total of $8,158,877,000, an increase of $3,253,000 over the House-passed figure of $8,155,624,000.

Prior to this action, subcommittee approved this bill for full committee consideration.

INTERNATIONAL GRAINS ARRANGEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration proposed International Grains Arrangement (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Full committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this treaty, and pending foreign service nominations.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Sidney Freidberg, of New York, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the U.S.; Roy L. Call, to be U.S. marshal, northern district of Alabama; George C. Roeming, of Maryland, to be an Examiner in Chief, U.S. Patent Office; June L. Green, of Maryland, to be U.S. district judge, District of Columbia; John H. Pratt, of Maryland, to be U.S. district judge, District of Columbia; Thomas A. Foran, to be U.S. attorney, northern district of Illinois; Myron H. Bright, of North Dakota, to be U.S. circuit judge, eighth circuit; Halbert A. Woodward, to be U.S. district judge, northern district of Texas; William W. Justice, to be U.S. district judge, eastern district of Texas; Eldon B. Mahon, to be U.S. attorney, northern district of Texas; Richard B. Hardee, to be U.S. attorney, eastern district of Texas; James B. McMillan, to be U.S. district judge, western district of North Carolina; Edwin M. Zimmerman, of California, to be Assistant Attorney General; and Walter L. Nixon, Jr., to be U.S. district judge, southern district of Mississippi.

Committee also approved H.R. 3865, a private bill; H.R. 13439, revising the provisions of the Canal Zone Code with relation to civil procedure and evidence; H.R. 15972, permitting reproduction of U.S. and foreign postage stamps for philatelic, and certain other uses; S. 660, granting the consent of the Congress to a Great Lakes Basin compact; S. 3488, providing for the admission to the U.S. of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands; S.J. Res. 172, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases; 41 private immigration bills (S. 1506, 2490, 2516, 2517, 2547, 2559, 2568, 2577, 2587, 2599, 2609, 2610, 2651, 2698, 2706, 2724, 2733, 2756, 2759, 2764, 2783, 2825, 2826, 2827, 2835, 2848, 2859, 2897, 3024, H.R. 1879, 2709, 4030, 4370, 4544, 4976, 7042, 8241, 11287, 13301, 15462, 15591); and three private claims (S. 214, 1075, H.R. 7431).

Also, the committee approved annual reports of its Subcommittees on Immigration and Naturalization; Administrative Practice and Procedure; Antitrust and Monopoly; Criminal Laws and Procedures; Revision and Codification; Constitutional Amendments; Improvements in Judicial Machinery; National Penitentiaries; and Constitutional Rights.

Committee adopted a committee resolution referring to the Department of Justice for a determination with respect to whether any prosecution is warranted in regard to testimony relative to the Otepka case given before the Subcommittee on Internal Security by John F. Reilly, David I. Belisle, and Elmer D. Hill.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 25 private immigration bills (S. 41, 639, 748, 825, 902, 1495, 1496, 1791, 1914, 2374, 2446, 2569, 2629, 2685, 2723, 2755, 2757, 2758, 2786, 2791, 2876, 2974, 3120, 3348, 3384); and 19 private claims (S. 101, 446, 505, 647, 657, 1188, 1317, 1349, 1382, 1463, 1627, 1920, 1967, 2004, 2034, 2637, 2697, S. Res. 138, H.R. 8391).

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nomination of Walter L. Nixon, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of Mississippi, where favoring testimony was heard from Senators Eastland and Stennis. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

This nomination was subsequently approved for reporting by the full committee.

SEPARATION OF POWERS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its series of hearings on congressional oversight of independent administrative agencies, with a view of determining the extent to which the National Labor Relations Board, and other agencies, are carrying out the intent of Congress, receiving testimony from Judge Henry J. Friendly, U.S. court of appeals for the second circuit; and Ralph K. Winter, professor of labor law, Yale University, and a special consultant to the subcommittee.

Today's session concluded NLRB phase of the subcommittee's hearings.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; S. 2888, providing for the elimination of tolls on roads in the Interstate Highway System; and S. 3381, authorizing additional program for improvement of the Federal-aid primary system. Witnesses heard were Alan

S. Boyd, Secretary, accompanied by Lloyd K. Bridwell, Federal Highway Administrator, Francis Turner, Director, Bureau of Public Roads, and Dr. William Haddon, Jr., and Dr. Robert Brenner, both of the National Highway Safety Bureau, all of the Department of Transportation; L. P. Gilvin, Associated General Contractors, Amarillo, Tex.; J. D. Braman, mayor of Seattle, representing the National League of Cities and the U.S. Conference of Mayors; and Arch Lamb, National Association of Counties, Lubbock, Tex.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 17672–17690; 15 private bills, H.R. 17691–17705; and four resolutions, H. Con. Res. 784 and H. Res. 1206–1208, were introduced. Page 16092

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15087, to authorize further amendment of the Peace Corps Act (H. Rept. 1519);

H.R. 17320, a private bill (H. Rept. 1520);

H.R. 7329, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam, amended (H. Rept. 1521);

S. 450, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands, amended (H. Rept. 1522);

H. Res. 1208, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16981, to limit use for demonstration purposes of any federally owned property in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1523); and

H. Res. 1197, to provide for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 5037, the omnibus crime bill (H. Rept. 1524). Pages 16091–16092

Second Supplemental Appropriation: Granted permission to the Committee on Appropriations to file a report by midnight Friday, June 7, on the second supplemental appropriation bill. Page 16053

Foundation on Arts and Humanities: Adopted, by a record vote of 194 yeas to 166 nays, the conference report on H.R. 11308, to amend the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 16054–16059

Circuit Judges: By a record vote of 357 yeas to 13 nays, the House passed S. 2349, to provide for the appointment of additional circuit judges.

Adopted the committee amendments.

H. Res. 1179, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16059–16065

Crime: Pursuant to Rule 20 of the House and by direction of the Committee on the Judiciary, a motion was made to disagree to the Senate amendment to H.R. 5037, the omnibus crime bill, and request a conference with the Senate. The motion was rejected by a record vote of 60 yeas to 317 nays. Pages 16065–16078

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 16091

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATO RESEARCH AND PROMOTION—CRADLE OF FORESTRY—WATERSHED AND FLOOD PREVENTION—COMMODITY EXCHANGE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 15030, amended, Potato Research and Promotion Act; S. 2837 in lieu of H.R. 14157, to establish the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest in North Carolina; and S. 2276, permits the Secretary of Agriculture to contract for the construction of works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act upon request of local organizations.

Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on S. 2276 and on S. 3143, makes frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

REAL ESTATE PROJECTS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and acted on several real estate projects.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued consideration of housing legislation. No announcements were made.

MALNUTRITION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from Representative Wydler and public witnesses.

RECLAMATION PROJECTS—PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 5117, amended, Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas; and S. 1251, amended, to make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable.

Subcommittee on Public Lands concluded hearings on H.R. 13512, to designate Mount Jefferson Wilderness and Mount Hood National Forests, Oreg. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

RAILROAD SAFETY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Concluded hearings on H.R. 16980, and related bills, railroad safety. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CITIZENSHIP—NORTHWEST REGIONAL SERVICES CORPORATION—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held hearings on H.R. 8370, to furnish a certificate of citizenship to a person holding a birth certficate issued by the Secretary of State. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Machen.

Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on S. 1602, and related bills, to create a Northwest Regional Services Corporation. Testimony was heard from Representative Battin and Senator Metcalf. A statement for the record was submitted by Senator Mansfield.

Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN VESSELS—CONSTRUCTION DIFFERENTIAL SUBSIDY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 17524, relating to construction-differential subsidies.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Subcommittee on Merchant Marine met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17524, and H.R. 163, amended, to prevent vessels built or rebuilt outside the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S.

EMPLOYEE LEAVE—REVOLVING FUND—RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13844, to grant time off to Federal employees to arrange funerals of their children lost in hostile military action; and H.R. 16558, to promote the effective use of the Civil Service Commission revolving fund.

Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 10912, on retirement financing and increased benefits.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 16994 and H.R. 17134, to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for the construction of certain highways. Testimony was heard from Representatives Blatnik and Waggonner and the Representative of Guam, Antonio Won Pat, and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following rules:

H.R. 16981, public grounds in D.C.; 2 hours of debate. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cramer, Fallon, and Gray.

H. Res. 1197, to provide for agreeing to the Senate amendments to H.R. 5037, crime control and safe streets. Testimony was heard from Representatives John Anderson, Dingell, Lennon, Paul Rogers, and Whitener.

H.R. 3306 and H. Res. 1187 were not reached.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Ambassador William M. Roth, special representative for trade negotiations.

Joint Committee Meetings

MANPOWER AND EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings in connection with the Kerner Commission report on urban problems and violence, having as its witnesses Berkeley G. Burrell, president, National Business League; Garth Mangum, codirector, Center for Manpower Policy Studies; Arthur Salzman, vice president, Ford Motor Co.; and Rev. Leon H. Sullivan, chairman, Opportunity Industrial Center, Philadelphia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTEROCEANIC CANAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15190, authorizing funds for continued studies to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific. As agreed by the conferees the Senate would recede from its amendment, and accept the House version of the bill.

OCEAN CRUISE SHIPS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12639, setting forth conditions under which ocean cruise ships must operate.

Thursday, June 6, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16150–16165, 16188–16223

Bills Introduced: 14 bills and two resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 3050–3603; and S. Res. 300–301.

Pages 16151–16165, 16187

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1165)—reported June 5 during Senate adjournment pursuant to prior authorization;

H.R. 16674, liberalizing the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks (S. Rept. 1166).

Pages 16186, 16187

Bills Referred: Numerous House passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 16150–16151

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 300, expressing sorrow and condolences on the death of Sen ator Kennedy of New York and authorizing appointment of Senators to attend his funeral.

Numerous Senators and the Vice President then spoke in tribute to the life, character, and services of the late Senator Kennedy. Pages 16151–16165, 16223

Inaugural Arrangements: Vice President appointed Senators Mansfield, Jordan of North Carolina, and Dirksen, to be members of the Joint Committee on the Inaugural Ceremonies in January 1969. Page 16167

Supplemental Appropriations: H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims, which, on May 15 was ordered to lie on table, was referred back to Committee on Appropriations. Page 16167

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: By unanimous vote of 77 yeas, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

All committee amendments were adopted en bloc, with the exception of two that would have allowed transfer of not more than 5 percent of any appropriation available to the Post Office Department to any other such appropriation, which were rejected. Also, by 26 yeas to 50 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate rejected Williams of Delaware-Cooper amendment to strike from the bill language that would provide $50 million for postal public buildings.

Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Monroney, Yarborough, Byrd (West Virginia), Hayden, Randolph, Brewster, Case, Mundt, and Carlson. Pages 16167–16177

Special Drawing Rights: H.R. 16911, to provide for U.S. participation in the International Monetary Fund facility based on special drawing rights, was passed without amendment, clearing the bill for President's signature. Pages 16177–16185

Senate Adjournment: During Senate adjournment until noon Monday, June 10, Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from the House, and the Vice President was authorized to sign enrolled bills.

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Secret Service: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature H.J. Res. 1292, authorizing Secret Service to furnish protection to major presidential and vice presidential candidates and providing $400,000 therefor. Pages 16222–16223

NASA Authorizations: Senate took up H.R. 15856, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Pages 16185–16186

Funeral of Senator Kennedy: Senate adopted S. Res. 301, to provide for payment of funeral expenses of the late Senator Kennedy of New York. Page 16165

Treaties Ratified: Resolutions of ratification of the following three treaties were adopted, as indicated:

Income Tax Convention between U.S. and Brazil, signed at Rio de Janeiro, March 13, 1967 (Ex. J, 90th Cong., first sess.)—by unanimous vote of 78 yeas;

Income Tax Convention between U.S. and France, signed at Paris, July 28, 1967 (Ex. N, 90th Cong., first sess.)—by unanimous vote of 78 yeas; and

Income Tax Convention between U.S. and the Philippines, signed at Washington, October 5, 1964 (Ex. D, 89th Cong., first sess.)—by unanimous vote of 79 yeas.

Pages 16165–16167

Treaty Reported: International Grains Arrangement of 1967, signed at Washington October 15–November 30, 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.), was reported (Ex. Rept. 6).

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Ernest Louis Massad, of Oklahoma, to be Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs; Edwin M. Zimmerman, of California, to be an Assistant Attorney General; George C. Roeming, of Maryland, to be an Examiner in Chief of the Patent Office; Sidney Freidberg, of New York, to be member of Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; 11 judicial; two Army in the rank of general, including that of Gen. William Childs Westmoreland, to be Chief of Staff, U.S. Army; and one Navy in the rank of admiral. Pages 16224–16225

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Edward C. Sylvester, Jr., of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; James H. McCrocklin, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; numerous Army, and two Marine Corps in the rank of general.

Pages 16223–16224

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL INTERMEDIATE CREDIT BANKS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 16674, liberalizing the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks.

TACTICAL AIR POWER

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investgating Subcommittee continued in executive session its hearings on the status and current and future posture of the U.S. in the field of tactical air power, having as its witnesses Alain C. Enthoven, Deputy Secretary for Systems Analysis, and Herbert Rosenzweig, Director, Tactical Air Division, both of the Department of Defense.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERNATIONAL GRAINS AGREEMENT, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported proposed international grains arrangement of 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Committee also approved routine nominations in the Foreign Service.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 17706–17725; eight private bills, H.R. 17726–17733; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1292–1294, H. Con. Res. 785, and H. Res. 1209–1212, were introduced.

Pages 16270, 16318, 16319–16320

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 10415, 16880, amended, S. 102, amended, 443, amended, and 823, amended (H. Repts. 1526–1529); and

S. 2837, regarding Pisgah National Forest in North Carolina (H. Rept. 1530). Page 16319

Motion to Adjourn: By a record vote of 70 yeas to 301 nays the House rejected a privileged motion for adjournment. Pages 16225–16226

Veterans Compensation: Under suspension of the rules passed by a record vote of 388 yeas H.R. 16027, the service-connected compensation increase for veterans. Pages 16258–16262

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16489, the Treasury, Post Office, Executive Office appropriations bills; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Steed, Passman, Addabbo, Cohelan, Yates, Mahon, Conte, Robison, Reid, and Jonas. Page 16270

Protection of Candidates: The House passed H.J. Res. 1292, to authorize the U.S. Secret Service to furnish protection to major presidential or vice presidential candidates. Pages 16270–16271

Crime: By a record vote of 368 yeas to 17 nays the House adopted H. Res. 1197, providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 5037, the omnibus crime bill, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action.

By a record vote of 349 yeas to 40 nays the previous question was ordered. Pages 16271–16300

Clerk Receive—Speaker Sign: Granted permission for the Clerk of the House to receive messages from the Senate and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills. Page 16301

Presidential Communication—Gun Control: Received a communication from the President regarding a gun control law. Pages 16301–16302

Hualapai Reservation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 4919, to amend the Act of August 9, 1955, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Hualapai Reservation in Arizona. Page 16302

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of June 12. Page 16301

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 1209, expressing sorrow on the death of Senator Kennedy of New York. Page 16318

Funeral Committee: The Speaker appointed as members of the funeral committee for Senator Kennedy the following Members of the House: Celler, Rooney of New York, Delaney, Kelly, Fino, Farbstein, Robison, Dulski, Halpern, Pirnie, Stratton, Goodell, Gilbert, Addabbo, Carey, King of New York, Pike, Ryan, Rosenthal, Grover, Horton, Murphy of New York, Reid of New York, Wydler, Bingham, Conable, Dow, Hanley, McCarthy, McEwen, Ottinger, Resnick, Scheuer, Smith of New York, Tenzer, Wolff, Kupferman, Brasco, Button, and Podell. Page 16318

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Paul Ignatius, Secretary of the Navy, Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations, Gen. Leonard F. Chapman, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued consideration of housing legislation. No announcements were made.

MALNUTRITION

Committee on Education and Labor: Continued hearings on malnutrition and Federal food service programs. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 14205, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 21—Executive session markup;

H.R. 16211, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 276;

H.R. 16402 and H.R. 16541, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 337;

S. 203 and H.R. 15328, to amend section 13(b) of the act of October 3, 1962 (76 Stat. 698, 704);

H.R. 11782, to authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to accept allotment relinquishments, approve a lieu allotment selection, and issue appropriate patents therefor to the heirs of Dolly McCovey;

S.J. Res. 157 and H.J. Res. 1159, to supplement Public Law 87-734 and Public Law 87-735 which took title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations.

Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Clausen, Edmondson, and Hosmer.

Following the public hearings the committee approved for full committee action: H.R. 16211, H.R. 15328, S. 203, H.J. Res. 1159, and S.J. Res. 157.

LSD AND HALLUCINOGENIC DRUGS—REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 14096, to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs; and H.R. 15758, regional medical centers.

PRIVATE CLAIM BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on various private claim bills.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session on pending business. No final action was taken.

Joint Committee Meetings

MANPOWER AND EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Urban Affairs continued its series of hearings in connection with the Kerner Commission report on urban problems and violence, having as its witnesses Bertram Beck, Mobilization for Youth, New York City, accompanied by Russell A. Nixon, Center for Study of the Unemployed, New York University; and Prof. Virgil Christian, department of economics, University of Kentucky.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

Monday, June 10, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16479–16525

Bills Introduced: 13 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3604–3616. Page 16488

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following 10 reports by the Committee on the Judiciary covering activities of various subcommittees:

Criminal Laws and Procedures (S. Rept. 1167);

Patents, Trade-Marks, and Copyrights (S. Rept. 1168);

Immigration and Naturalization (S. Rept. 1169);

Revision and Codification (S. Rept. 1170);

Constitutional Rights (S. Rept. 1171);

Administrative Practice and Procedure (S. Rept. 1172);

Constitutional Amendments (S. Rept. 1173);

National Penitentiaries (S. Rept. 1174);

The Federal Judicial System (S. Rept. 1175); and

Antitrust and Monopoly, with individual views (S. Rept. 1226).

Also, bills were reported as follows:

S. 214, a private bill (S. Rept. 1176);

H.R. 13439, revising the provisions of the Canal Zone Code with relation to civil procedure and evidence (S. Rept. 1177);

S. 660, granting the consent of the Congress to a Great Lakes Basin compact, with amendments (S. Rept. 1178);

H.R. 3865 and S. 1075, private bills (S. Repts. 1179–1180);

S.J. Res. 172, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases (S. Rept. 1181);

S. 2490, 2516, 2517, 2559, 2587, 2599, 2609, 2651, 2698, 2724, 2825, 2826, 2835, 2848, 2859, 2897, H.R. 2709, 4030, 4370, and 7042, private bills (S. Repts. 1182–1201);

H.R. 7431, authorizing payment of Federal share for development of Gilmer County Airport, Georgia (S. Rept. 1202);

H.R. 8241, 15462, and 15591, private bills (S. Repts. 1203–1205);

H.R. 15972, permitting reproduction of U.S. and foreign postage stamps for philatelic and certain other uses (S. Rept. 1206);

S. 2577, 2610, 2706, 2733, 2756, 2759, 2827, H.R. 4544, 4976, 11287, 13301, S. 1506, 2547, and 2764, private bills (S. Repts. 1208–1220);

S. 2568, 2783, and 3024, private bills (S. Repts. 1221–1223);

S. 3488, providing for the admission to the U.S. of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands (S. Rept. 1224); and

H.R. 1879, private bill (S. Rept. 1225).

Pages 16487–16488

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 16479

Agriculture: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 16674, liberalizing the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks.

Pages 16480–16481

D.C.: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1999, to establish the Federal City College as a land-grant college. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 16536–16537

Indians: Senate receded from its amendment to H.R. 4919, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Hualapai Reservation, Ariz. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 16537

Ocean Cruises: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 12639, to set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate. Page 16559

Courts: S. 2349, providing for the appointment of additional circuit judges, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 16559

NASA Authorizations: By 66 yeas to 4 nays, Senate passed H.R. 15856, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after adopting committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended. Prior to this action, the following actions were taken on amendments to the committee substitute amendment:

Adopted: Curtis (for himself and others) amendment No. 842 barring any funds for grants to any college that refuses to allow on its premises recruiters for any of the Armed Forces; and, by 44 yeas to 25 nays, modified Proxmire-Williams (Delaware) amendment No. 784 to reduce funds for various space programs by approximately $140 million below figures in bill as reported to Senate, after adoption of Cannon amendment to exempt from such reductions the item on nuclear rockets; and

Rejected: By 33 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment to reduce aggregate authorized funds by $780,160,000.

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Anderson, Magnuson, Stennis, Symington, Cannon, Smith, Hickenlooper, Curtis, and Jordan of Idaho.

Pages 16525–16559

Private Bills: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House, two private bills as follows: H.R. 13154 and 13912. S. 2764 and 2577, companion bills, respectively, were indefinitely postponed. Page 16569

Maritime Authorizations: H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, was taken up.

Page 16569

Filing of Views on Treaty: Authority was granted until close of business Tuesday, June 11, for filing of minority views on the International Wheat Trade Convention.

Page 16559

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Six civilian, including those of George W. Renchard, of D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi; Lynn M. Bartlett, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; numerous postmasters, and the withdrawal of one postmaster nomination; and numerous Navy and Marine Corps. Pages 16569–16571

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the Federal Highway Administration from Lowell K. Bridwell, Administrator; Francis C. Turner, Director, Bureau of Public Roads; Dr. William Haddon, Jr., Director, National Highway Safety Bureau; and George A. Meyer, Director, Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety, all of the FHA.

On Friday, June 7, subcommittee received testimony in behalf of funds for the Federal Aviation Administration from Gen. William F. McKee, Administrator, and David D. Thomas, Deputy Administrator, both of the FAA.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 12, with testimony in behalf of funds for the National Transportation

Safety Board and St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation.

APPROPRIATIONS—NAVY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for Navy procurement and research from Vice Adm. John B. Colwell, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Fleet Operations and Readiness); Rear Adm. R. L. Shifley, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research and Development); and Brig. Gen. George C. Axtell, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff, Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for Defense agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Julian R. Dugas, Director, Department of Licenses and Inspections; Maj. Gen. Charles L. Southward, Commanding General, D.C. National Guard; and Theodore H. Reed, Director, National Zoological Park.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads resumed hearings on S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; S. 2888, providing for the elimination of tolls on roads in the Interstate Highway System; and S. 3381, authorizing additional program for improvement of the Federal-aid primary system. Witnesses heard were Antonio B. Won Pat, representing the government of Guam; M. M. Nelson, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; J. L. Norwood, Acting Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, accompanied by I. J. Trier, both of the Department of the Interior; Burton F. Miller, American Road Builders Association; and O. R. Colan, American Right of Way Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 17734–17752; six private bills, H.R. 17753–17758; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1295–1297, and H. Con. Res. 786, were introduced. Pages 16478–16479

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 17734, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year ending June 30, 1968, filed on Friday, June 7 (H. Rept. 1531);

H.R. 6589, to make Federal buildings accessible to the physically handicapped, filed on Friday, June 7 (H. Rept. 1532);

Conference report on H.R. 15414, to control the existing tax rates on communication services and on automobiles (H. Rept. 1533);

Conference report on H.R. 12639, regarding ocean cruises (H. Rept. 1534);

Conference report on H.R. 15190, regarding sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans (H. Rept. 1535);

H.R. 15785, to amend the Public Health Service Act, amended (H. Rept. 1536); and

H.R. 17325, to amend the Internal Revenue Code (H. Rept. 1537). Page 16478

Aircraft Noise: By a record vote of 312 yeas, the House passed H.R. 3400, to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation.

Adopted the committee substitute amendment and rejected an amendment regarding sonic boom.

H. Res. 1203, the rule under which the legislation was consi lered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16382–16400

Land Conveyance: By a voice vote passed S. 974, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain lands to the city of Glendale, Ariz.

Adopted the committee amendment.

H. Res. 1191, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16384, 16400–16403

Communication—Gun Control: Received a communication from the Attorney General regarding a gun control law—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: The committee ordered reported to the House H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriation bill.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: The Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and considered various real estate projects.

JOINT FUNDING SIMPLIFICATION ACT

Committee on Government Operations: The Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 12631, Joint Funding Simplifica-

tion Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action H.R. 14205, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 21. The subcommittee referred the following similar bills to the full committee for appropriate disposition: H.R. 14778, 15353, 15654, and 16932.

The subcommittee approved for full committee action H.R. 11782, amended, a private bill.

The subcommittee approved for full committee action H.R. 16402, amended, and H.R. 16541, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 337. A public hearing was held on these bills and testimony was heard from public witnesses.

The subcommittee approved for full committee action H.R. 13780, amended, provides for the sale or exchange of isolated tracts of tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont.; a similar bill, S. 2701, was referred to the full committee for appropriate action. A public hearing was held on the bills; testimony was heard from Representative Olsen and a departmental witness.

URANIUM LEASING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held an open discussion of uranium-leasing policies on Indian reservations. Testimony was heard from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

SCENIC RIVERS—BISCAYNE NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: On Monday, June 10, the Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and considered S. 119, H.R. 8416, H.R. 90, and related bills, providing for a national scenic rivers system. No announcements were made.

The subcommittee also held a public hearing on H.R. 551, and similar bills, to authorize the establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in the State of Florida. Testimony was heard from Dr. Stanley Cain, Assistant Secretary of Interior for Fish and Wildlife and Parks.

FEDERAL MAGISTRATES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 approved for full committee action S. 945, amended, abolishing the U.S. Commissioner system and establishing in its place a system of U.S. Magistrates and Deputy U.S. Magistrates; the bill requires that all magistrates shall be: 1. lawyers; 2. salaried and reimbursed for reasonable expenses; 3. hold office for 8 years; 4. removed from office only for cause; and 5. given office space in Federal buildings wherever possible.

TARIFF AND TRADE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: On Monday, June 10, the committee continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Secretary of State Dean Rusk, Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman, and Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, Miss Betty Furness.

RADIO FREQUENCIES

Select Committee on Small Business: On Friday, June 7, the Subcommittee on Regulatory and Enforcement Agencies held a hearing on allocation of radio frequencies and its effect on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16602–16625

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3617–3632; and S. Res. 302.

Pages 16604, 16608

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 16602

President's Message—Government Salaries: President submitted message containing annual comparison of Federal salaries with those paid in private enterprise—referred to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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Gun Control: By unanimous consent it was agreed that communication from the Department of Justice on gun control legislation will be referred jointly to Committees on the Judiciary and Commerce, and that any bill on the subject will be referred to Committee on the Judiciary and when it is reported by that committee it will then be referred to Committee on Commerce.

Pages 16603–16604

Private Bill: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 10932, a private bill, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McClellan, Hart, and Fong. Page 16645

Sea-Level Canal: Conference report on H.R. 15190, authorizing funds to determine a site for a new sea-level canal connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, was adopted.

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Maritime Authorizations: By 78 yeas to 2 nays, Senate passed H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, after adopting by 48 yeas to 32 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams (Delaware)-Lausche amendment No. 846 to reduce by $117,670,000 authorizations in bill for acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of vessels and construction-differential subsidy, and to reduce by $4.3 million authorization for research and development (to the level of budget requests for these items). Pages 16603, 16625–16645, 16651–16655

Taxation: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House H.R. 17325, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to advertising in a convention program of a national political convention. Page 16655

Commission on Violence: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House H.J. Res. 1298, authorizing National Commission on Causes and Prevention of Violence to compel attendance of witnesses and production of evidence. Page 16655

Grains Treaty: Majority leader announced that on Wednesday, June 12, it is the intention for Senate to consider the International Grains Arrangement of 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Prior to consideration of this treaty there are 1 hour and 15 minutes of special-order speeches scheduled. Page 16655

Public Lands—Arizona: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 974, authorizing conveyance of certain land to the city of Glendale, Ariz., thus clearing the bill for White House. Page 16655

Confirmations: Numerous nominations in the diplomatic and foreign service were confirmed. Page 16664

Nominations: One civilian and four Air Force nominations were received. Page 16663

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, with testimony in behalf of funds for Defense agencies from Judge Homer Ferguson, Court of Military Appeals; Solis Horwitz, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Administration); Don R. Brazier, Defense Supply Agency; LeRoy J. Spence, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller); William B. Petty, Defense Contract Audit Agency; Lt. Gen. R. P. Klocko, Defense Communications Agency; and Maj. Gen. W. W. Vaughn, Defense Supply Agency.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; Joseph Romm, Director of Civil Defense, Army; Joe W. Fleming, Federal Cochairman, Appalachian Regional Commission; Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission; and Ivan L. Bennett, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Science and Technology.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Joseph H. Cole, Superintendent, Recreation Department, D.C.; and Nash Castro, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee was recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony from J. Graham Sullivan, Office of Education, Department of HEW, on funds for civil rights educational activities; Clifford L. Alexander, Jr., Chairman, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; and Leonard Sutton, Chairman, Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow on funds for judiciary items.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

The nomination of Warren L. Smith, of Michigan, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers;

S.J. Res. 160, authorizing the SEC to investigate the impact of institutional investors on the stock market (amended);

S. 1299, providing for SEC regulation of credit extended and maintained with respect to unregistered securities;

H.R. 15345, proposed Banks Protection Act (amended by incorporating text of an amended version of S. 3436, providing for the appointment of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation as receiver in the case of State-chartered S&L associations);

S. 3133, providing for 2-year extension of authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest (amended);

H.R. 14907, proposing several amendments to the Federal Credit Union Act (amended so as to incorporate texts of S. 3002, 3214, and 3395, bills also proposing amendments to this act); and

H.R. 6157, authorizing payroll savings deductions for credit union shares for Federal employees (with amendment substituting language of S. 1084, a similar Senate bill).

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on Tuesday, June 18, on S. 3097, to extend the Defense Production Act for 2 years.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider other pending legislation.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of A. Everette MacIntyre, for reappointment as a member of the Federal Trade Commission, and routine nominations in the Coast Guard and Environmental Science Services Administration.

Committee also approved for reporting S. 757, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to eliminate certain property valuation requirements; S. 2499, extending act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft from guarantees; S. 2960, establishing Commissioned Officer Corps of the Environmental Science Services Administration; H.R. 16127, increasing limitation on number of officers in the Coast Guard; and S. 858, permitting recovery of attorney's fees in cases of recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property.

Also, committee reconsidered its action of May 21, and ordered favorably reported without amendment S.J. Res. 130, authorizing the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvements industry, and S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act. Committee also reconsidered its action of May 2, and ordered favorably reported with additional amendment S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority.

FILM CLASSIFICATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on S. Res. 9, to create a special committee to investigate all problems of film classification, having as its witnesses Senator Smith; Rev. S. Franklin Mack, United Church of Christ, New York City; and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nomination of A. Everette MacIntyre, for reappointment as a member of the Federal Trade Commission, where favoring testimony was heard from Senator Jordan of North Carolina. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

This nomination was subsequently approved for reporting to the Senate.

NOMINATIONS, AND PRESIDENTIAL FILMS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of Robert F. Wagner, of New York, to be Ambassador to Spain; William H. Crook, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Australia; and H. Brooks James, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Administrator, AID. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Crook was received from Senator Yarborough. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions in their own behalf.

Committee also held hearings on S. 3535, authorizing exhibit, within Presidential archival depositories, of certain films prepared by the USIA, with testimony from Richard M. Schmidt, General Counsel, USIA.

SUPREME COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers began hearings to receive testimony on the manner in which the Supreme Court is carrying out its constitutional responsibilities, having as its witnesses Prof. Henry J. Abraham, Department of Political Science, University of Pennsylvania; Prof. Gerald Gunther, Stanford University School of Law; and Dean Robert J. Harris, the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University of Virginia.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads concluded its hearings on S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971; S. 2888, providing for the elimination of tolls on roads in the Interstate Highway System; and S. 3381, authorizing additional program for improvement of the Federal-aid primary system, after receiving testimony from Senator Morse; Howard Pyle, president, National Safety Council; Carlton C. Robinson, Institute of Traffic Engineers; Knox Marshall and John Hall, both representing National Forest Products; John De Lorenzo, American Automobile Association; Donald Barbour, Roadside Business Association; and Quinn Tamm, International Association of Chiefs of Police.

Subcommittee will meet in executive session on Thursday, June 13, to consider this proposed legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H.R. 17759–17789; 18 private bills, H.R. 17790–17807; and 11 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 1298–1302, H. Con. Res. 787–789, and H. Res. 1213–1215, were introduced. Pages 16666, 16749–16750

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 1251, to make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable, amended (H. Rept. 1538);

S. 2276, to amend the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act (H. Rept. 1539);

H. Res. 1213, provides for the consideration of H.R. 3306, to amend section 4 of the act of May 31, 1933 (H. Rept. 1540);

H. Res. 1214, provides for the consideration of H.R. 15087, to amend the Peace Corps Act (H. Rept. 1541);

H. Res. 1215, provides for the consideration of S. 1166, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act (H. Rept. 1542);

H. Res. 1187, appoint delegates and alternates to ILO in Geneva (H. Rept. 1543); and

Conference report on H.R. 16489, the Treasury-Post Office appropriation (H. Rept. 1544). Page 16749

Commission on Violence: By a voice vote passed H.J. Res. 1298, authorizing the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence to compel the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of evidence. Pages 16666–16668

Political Advertising: By a voice vote passed H.R. 17325, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 with respect to advertising in a convention program of a national political convention, amended. Page 16668

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 324 yeas to 33 nays, the House passed H.R. 17734, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

By a record vote of 226 yeas to 133 nays, the House adopted an amendment to provide $90 million for impacted school areas.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Striking the emergency fund for Southeast Asia;

Escalation of the war in Vietnam;

$40 million for school construction; and

Importation of guns. Pages 16668–16717

Presidential Message—Federal Salaries: Received and read a message from the President regarding comparison of Federal salaries with the salaries paid in private enterprise—referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 327). Page 16717

Salary Comparability Policy: Read a directive by the Speaker implementing the salary comparability policy in 1968, for officers and employees of the House. Pages 16717–16718

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 15896 and S. 3068, and related bills, increases to $245 million (now $225 million) appropriations for the Food Stamp Act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Fisher, Gonzalez, and Sullivan and public witnesses.

JEWEL BEARING PLANT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 approved for full committee action, subject to the receipt of additional information from GSA, H.R. 15864, amended, William Langer jewel bearing plant. Prior to approving the bill the subcommittee held a public hearing on H.R. 15864. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15263, foreign assistance authorization. No announcements were made.

TRANSPORTATION—JOINT FUNDING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on the Department of Transportation. Testimony was heard from Alan Boyd, Secretary of Transportation, and departmental witnesses.

Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 12631, Joint Funding Simplification Act. Testimony was heard from Wilbur Cohen, Secretary of HEW, and departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

SCENIC RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and continued markup of S. 119, H.R. 8416, H.R. 90, and related bills, providing for a national scenic rivers system. No announcements were made.

LICENSING—MUTUAL FUNDS—FREIGHT FORWARDERS—HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power held a hearing on H.R. 12698, H.R. 12699, and related bills, to clar-

ify the manner in which the licensing authority of the Commission and the right of the U.S. to take over a project or projects upon or after the expiration of any license shall be exercised. Testimony was heard from Representative Hall and departmental witnesses.

Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and considered H.R. 9510, and related bills, and H.R. 14742, regulation of mutual funds. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10831, amended, to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads.

Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare held a hearing on H.R. 15757, to improve health profession training. Testimony was heard from Representatives Rosenthal and Neal Smith and departmental and public witnesses.

GUN CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 17735, gun control bill. The committee will resume consideration of the gun control bill on Thursday, June 20, 1968.

POSTMASTERS—POSITION CLASSIFICATION STUDY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16524, amended, removing postmaster appointments from politics.

Subcommittee on Position Classification met in executive session and reviewed the status of the study of the position classification systems.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads continued hearings on H.R. 16994 and H.R. 17134, to authorize appropriations for the fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for the construction of certain highways. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cabell, Denney, Gallagher, Harold Johnson, Kee, and Matsunaga and public witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1187, appointment of delegates and alternates to the ILO Conference in Geneva; testimony was heard from Representative Perkins; and granted the following rules:

H.R. 3306, granting trust title to certain lands to the Pueblo de Taos Indians; open rule with 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Haley, and Poage.

S. 1166, Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act; open rule, 3 hours of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Adams and Staggers.

H.R. 15087, Peace Corps amendments; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Morgan.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

TARIFF AND TRADE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Procurement held a hearing on small business in Government procurement. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee resumed hearings on S. 2564 and H.R. 13828 and 15273, to insure reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Robert H. Gerdes, president, Edison Electric Institute; James L. Oakes, Attorney General of Vermont; A. H. Aymond, Consumers Power Co.; William R. Gould, Southern California Edison Co.; J. O. Tally, Jr., North Carolina Municipally Owned Electric Systems Association; and William A. Stebbins, Burlington (Vt.) Electric Light Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy began a series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, having as its witnesses Lisle C. Carter, Urban Coalition, Washington, D.C.; Mitchell I. Ginsberg, Commissioner, New York City Department of Welfare; Morris Hursh, Commissioner, Department of Public Welfare of Minnesota; and George K. Wyman, Commissioner, New York State Department of Social Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TREASURY-POST OFFICE

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Department, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 16906–16923

Bills Introduced: Six bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3633–3638; S.J. Res. 176–177; and S. Res. 303. Pages 16914, 16915

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims (S. Rept. 1227);

H.R. 6157, authorizing payroll savings deductions for credit union shares for Federal employees, with amendments (S. Rept. 1228);

S. 1974, to make foreign-generated surplus property available to domestic agencies (S. Rept. 1229);

H.R. 6279, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to arrange for the collection of standard reference data for the benefit of scientists and the general public, with amendments (S. Rept. 1230); and

S. 3245, extending authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 1231). Pages 16913–16914

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 16872

President's Message—Urban Transportation: Message was received from President transmitting report on study by Department of Housing and Urban Development of new systems for urban transportation (Tomorrow's Transportation)—referred to Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 16906

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 44 bills, of which 38 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Canal Zone Code: H.R. 13439, revising the provisions of the Canal Zone Code with relation to civil procedure and evidence;

Philately: H.R. 15972, permitting reproduction of U.S. and foreign postage stamps for philatelic and certain other uses;

Airport: H.R. 7431, authorizing Federal share for development of Gilmer County Airport, Georgia; and

Private bills: Six private bills, H.R. 2709, 4030, 4370, 7042, 8241, and 15591.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Private bills: Five private bills, H.R. 4544, 4976, 11287, 13301, and 1879.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Copyrights: S.J. Res. 172, extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases;

Private bills: 16 private bills, S. 2490, 2516, 2517, 2559, 2587, 2599, 2609, 2651, 2698, 2724, 2825, 2826, 2835, 2848, 2859, and 2897.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Bonin Islands: S. 3488, providing for the admission to the U.S. of certain inhabitants of the Bonin Islands;

Great Lakes Basin compact: S. 660, granting consent of Congress to a Great Lakes Basin compact;

Private bills: 11 private bills, S. 2610, 2706, 2733, 2756, 2759, 2827, 1506, 2547, 2568, 2783, and 3024.

Pages 16873–16883

Treasury-Post Office Appropriations: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 16489, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, by adoption of conference report thereon. Pages 16951–16953

Treaty—Grains: Senate considered the International Grains Arrangement of 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.), it passing through its various parliamentary stages up to the point of the pending question being on adoption of resolution of ratification thereof. It was agreed that vote on adoption of the resolution will take place at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, June 13, the time between noon and 2:30 p.m. to be equally divided. Pages 16923–16945

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: A. Everette MacIntyre, of Virginia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner; and numerous nominations in the Environmental Science Services Administration and in the Coast Guard. Page 16954

Nominations: Senate received 32 postmaster nominations and numerous Army nominations. Pages 16953–16954

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of

HUD, with testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation; Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission; Price Daniel, Director, Office of Emergency Planning; and John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission, who testified with regard to funds for the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from public witnesses.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation from its Administrator, Joseph H. McCann; and testimony in behalf of funds for the National Transportation Safety Board from its Chairman, Joseph J. O'Connell.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 14, when public witnesses will testify.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and certain related agencies, with testimony on funds for the Supreme Court from Associate Justices Byron R. White and Potter Stewart, who were accompanied by officials of the Court; Associate Justice Tom C. Clark, on funds for the Federal Judicial Center; and Matthew F. McGuire, senior judge, U.S. District Court for the D.C., and Ernest C. Friesen, Jr., Assistant Attorney General for Administration, who directed their remarks to funds for the courts of appeals, district courts, and other judicial services.

In an afternoon session, subcommittee received testimony from William M. Roth, special representative for trade negotiations; and Robert C. Moot, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

Hearings continue tomorrow with testimony from Secretary of Commerce Smith.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session for the consideration of S. 1659, proposed Investments Company Amendments Act of 1968, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, June 19.

SUPPLEMENTAL AIR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings on S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation," having as its witnesses John H. Crooker, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Donald G. Agger, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for International Affairs; Glenn A. Cramer, Edward J. Driscoll, and Clayton Burwell, representing Trans International Airlines, Inc., and the National Air Carriers Association; and Harold S. Low, American International Travel Service, Boston.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RENEGOTIATION, AND TARIFF

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendment H.R. 17104, extending suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum.

Also, committee considered H.R. 17324, to amend and extend for 3 years the Renegotiation Act, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again next week.

INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on proposed International Coffee Agreement (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Betty Furness, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, who was accompanied by Leslie V. Dix; and Julius Katz, Bureau of Economic Affairs, Department of State.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

SUPREME COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its hearings on the manner in which the Supreme Court is carrying out its constitutional responsibilities, having as its witnesses Prof. Loren B. Beth, department of government, University of Massachusetts; and Dr. Alfred H. Kelly, department of history, Wayne State University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HUNGER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty resumed its hearings into the problems of hunger and malnutrition in the U.S., having as its witnesses Shelva Thompson, School Action Committee, Boone County, W. Va.; Len Blaylock, Department of Public Welfare, Little Rock, Ark.; Florence Robbin and Jean Fairfax, both of the Committee on School Lunch Participation, New York City; Josephine Martin, Department of Education of the State of Georgia; Dr. Joshua Lederberg, Stanford University Medical School; and Dr. John Churchill, National Institutes of Health, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 14.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in businesses affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony

from A. C. Blackman, American Society of Safety Engineers, Park Ridge, Ill.; Dr. R. Lomax Wells, Council on Occupational Health, American Medical Association; Matt Triggs, American Farm Bureau Federation; William E. Naumann, Associated General Contractors; John O. Logan, Manufacturing Chemists Association, Washington, D.C.; and John McCart, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 19.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 17808–17833; 16 private bills, H.R. 17834–17849; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1303–1306, were introduced. Pages 16994–16995

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Con. Res. 785, relating to pay of the U.S. Capitol Police force for duty performed in emergencies, amended (H. Rept. 1545); and

H.R. 14096, regarding possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs, amended (H. Rept. 1546).

Page 16994

Treasury-Post Office Appropriation: By a record vote of 368 yeas to 10 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 16489, making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Rejected, by a record vote of 159 yeas to 216 nays, a motion to recommit to conference and insist on amendment No. 11 (language limiting expenditures).

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendments numbered 10 and 12. Pages 16956–16963

Ocean Cruises: Adopted, by a voice vote, the conference report on H.R. 12639, to remove certain limitations on ocean cruises, and sent legislation to the White House. Pages 16963–16964

Sea-Level Canal: Adopted, by a voice vote, the conference report on H.R. 15190, the sea-level canal between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Page 16964

International Labor Organization: Adopted H. Res. 1187, to authorize the Speaker to appoint delegates and alternates to attend the International Labor Organization Conference in Geneva. Pages 16965–16969

Presidential Message—Transportation: Received and read a Presidential message regarding a study of transportation—referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. Page 16969

Export-Import Bank: By a voice vote passed H.R. 16162, regarding extension of certain loans by the Export-Import Bank.

Adopted the committee amendments and, by a record vote of 217 yeas to 163 nays, an amendment regarding limitation of $100 million to cover losses incurred by the Bank.

H. Res. 1204, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 16969–16982

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Continued hearings on H.R. 15896 and S. 3068, and related bills, increases to $245 million (now $225 million) appropriations for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Testimony was heard from Representative Sisk and Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. T. F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air, and other naval and marine witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION—OCEAN RESOURCES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15263, foreign assistance authorization. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session and considered control of ocean resources. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION ACT—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on H.R. 16718, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Fountain, Governor of Utah, Calvin Rampton, mayor of Syracuse, N.Y., William Walsh, and other departmental and public witnesses.

Special Studies Subcommittee met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered the following bills reported to the House:

H.R. 16211, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

S. 203, relative to suits by individual Indians in connection with Big Ben Dam and Reservoir project;

S.J. Res. 157, amended, relative to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations;

H.R. 14205, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

H.R. 11782, amended, a private bill;

H.R. 16402, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians; and

H.R. 13780, amended, to provide for sale or exchange of isolated tracts of tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont.

SCENIC RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 8416, amended, establishes National Scenic Rivers System.

LICENSING AUTHORITY—MUTUAL FUNDS—HEALTH PROFESSIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Power continued hearings on H.R. 12698 and H.R. 12699, and related bills, to clarify licensing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 16024, relative to high-speed ground transportation extension. Testimony was heard from Alan Boyd, Secretary of Transportation.

Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15757, to improve health professions. Testimony was heard from Representative Cahill and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 14742, H.R. 9510, and related bills, regulation of mutual funds. No announcements were made.

IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS—D.C. COUNCIL—NORTHWEST REGIONAL SERVICE CORPORATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 3 held a hearing on H.R. 16123, includes within the definition of "special Government employee" members of the D.C. Council. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on S. 1602, establishes Northwest Regional Services Corporation. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

FISHING VESSELS—FOREIGN VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 2269, amended, relative to fishing vessels of the U.S. seized by foreign countries; and H.R. 163, amended, to prevent vessels built outside the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation met in executive session and approved S. 2269, amended, for full committee action.

EMPLOYEE TIME OFF—REVOLVING FUND

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 13844, amended, to grant time off for employees to arrange funerals of their children lost in hostile military action; and H.R. 16558, amended, to promote effective use of the Civil Service Commission revolving fund.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2564, and H.R. 13828 and 15273, to insure reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, receiving testimony from Charles A. Robinson, Jr., National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; Carl Horn, Jr., Duke Power Co.; Fred Simonton, Mid-West Electric Consumers Association; and D. G. Allen, New England Electric System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, receiving testimony from Prof.

Richard Cloward, School of Social Work, Columbia University; Beulah Sanders, Citywide Coordinating Committee of Welfare Groups for New York City; George A. Wiley, National Welfare Rights Organizations.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Thursday, June 13, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17124–17173

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3639–3648; S. Con. Res. 75; and S. Res. 304. Pages 17128, 17133–17134

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction, with amendment (S. Rept. 1232);

S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes, with amendments (S. Rept. 1233);

S. 3058, to increase authorizations for water resources planning activities, with amendment (S. Rept. 1234);

H.R. 17104, extending suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, with amendments (S. Rept. 1235); and

H.R. 15979, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of pesticides, with amendments and with minority views (S. Rept. 1236). Page 17127

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 16162, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank, was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 17127

Private Bill: H.R. 15462, private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Page 17125

Water Resources: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 20, to establish a National Water Commission to review water resources problems and programs, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Bible, Church, Gruening, Kuchel, Allott, and Jordan of Idaho.

Page 17191

Sundry Bills Passed: Three sundry bills were taken from calendar and passed as follows:

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Government employees—Credit union: H.R. 6157, authorizing payroll savings deductions for credit union shares for Federal employees; and

Reference data: H.R. 6279, authorizing Secretary of Commerce to arrange for the collection of standard reference data for the benefit of scientists and the general public.

With amendment and cleared for House:

State technical services: S. 3245, extending authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act. Pages 17202–17204

Supplemental Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 1268, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims, after adopting, by 44 yeas to 32 nays, Holland motion to table modified Javits amendment to add item of $52.1 million to Department of Labor to provide summer jobs for underprivileged youth. Pages 17192–17203

Export-Import Bank: Senate made its unfinished business S. 3218, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that at conclusion of routine morning business on Monday, June 17, debate will be limited to not more than 30 minutes, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except any motion to table), with the proviso that no nongermane amendment may be received. Debate on question of passage of bill will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided. Pages 17204–17205

Treaty Ratified: By 62 yeas to 21 nays, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of International Grains Arrangement of 1967 (Ex. A, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Pages 17173–17191

Nominations: One Army nomination in the rank of general, and two Air Force nominations in the rank of general, were received. Page 17249

Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today.

Pages 17191, 17202

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee began hearings on H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, receiving testimony in behalf of various items for their respective departments from representatives of the Departments of Agriculture, Interior, Labor-HEW, Treasury-Post Office, and Executive Office of the President, and the legislative branch.

Hearings continue tomorrow in executive session on Defense Department items.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: In an evening session on Wednesday, June 12, subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of

Columbia, receiving testimony from several officials of the District government in behalf of funds for various items.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Senator Gruening, on behalf of himself and Senator Bartlett, and Representative Pollock, on funds for Alaska housing and urban development; the mayors of San Francisco and Fresno, who were introduced to the subcommittee by Senator Kuchel; and numerous public witnesses.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony in behalf of funds for Commerce Department items from the following departmental witnesses: Secretary C. R. Smith; Ross D. Davis, Assistant Secretary for Economic Development; Lawrence A. Fox, Director, Bureau of International Commerce; Will Arey, U.S. Travel Service; Dr. Werner A. Baum, Environmental Science Services Administration; Phillip K. Reily, Office of State Technical Services; James W. Gulick, Acting Administrator, Maritime Administration; Charles E. Fiero, Office of Foreign Direct Investment Control; Dr. Allen V. Astin, Director, National Bureau of Standards; and Lawrence M. Kushner, National Bureau of Standards, who testified on funds for the National Commission on Fire Prevention and Control.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 17.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute bill H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction. As approved by the committee the bill would authorize a total of $1.8 billion.

Committee also approved 432 nominations in the Army and Marine Corps.

Prior to full committee action, Military Construction Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration H.R. 16703.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance resumed hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of eastern Europe, having as its witnesses Harold Linder, President, Export-Import Bank of Washington; Hugh P. Donaghue, Control Data Corp.; Prof. William Edgerton, Indiana University; Prof. William A. Dymsza, International Business Institute, Rutgers University; and Herman Edelsberg, International Council, B'nai B'rith.

Hearings continue on Thursday, June 27.

SUPPLEMENTAL AIR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation continued hearings on S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation," having as its witnesses Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association, Washington, D.C.; James Montgomery, vice president, Pan American Airways, New York City; John Barch, Trans World Airlines, New York City; and Lucian Hunt, president, American Flyers Airline Corp., Ardmore, Okla.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 3305 and S. 3306, providing for Federal jurisdiction and a body of uniform Federal law for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, having as its witnesses Judge Peirson M. Hall, U.S. District Court for the Central District of California; and Jordan A. Dreifus, an attorney of Los Angeles.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 19.

SUPREME COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its hearings on the manner in which the Supreme Court is carrying out its constitutional responsibilities, having as its witnesses Prof. Walter F. Murphy, department of politics, Princeton University; Prof. C. Herman Pritchett, department of political science, University of Chicago; and Prof. Albert M. Sacks, Harvard University Law School.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, adopted a resolution expressing their deep regret and sorrow in the death of their beloved colleague, the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy of New York.

Also, committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of James D. Templeton, of Kentucky, to be Assistant Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; George C. Trevorrow, of Maryland, to be member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and Lynn Bartlett, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; eight nominations to the National Science Board, National Science Foundation; and three nomi-

nations to the Board of Regents of the National Library of Medicine.

The committee also approved with amendments H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Vietnam war in obtaining suitable employment; S. 3095, proposed Health Manpower Act of 1968; H.R. 16819, proposed Vocational Rehabilitation Amendments of 1968; and H.R. 3639, to establish standards for determining the safety of drugs for animals.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Health, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 3095, H.R. 16819, and H.R. 3639.

AIR AND WATER POLLUTION

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3201, extending for 1 year the provisions on research and assistance for State and interstate planning for solid waste disposal.

Also, committee approved a letter for transmittal to the chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary embodying recommendations for certain conditions to be met prior to the granting of consent of the Congress to the following three proposed air pollution control compacts: S. 2350, West Virginia-Ohio air pollution control compact; S. 470, Indiana-Illinois air pollution control compact; and S.J. Res. 95, Mid-Atlantic States air pollution control compact.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 3201, and the aforementioned letter concerning air pollution control compacts. Subcommittee also approved for full committee consideration S. 2525, providing stricter regulation of control of pollution from vessels using the navigable waters of the U.S.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session to consider S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 30 public bills, H.R. 17850–17879; 15 private bills, H.R. 17880–17894; and 18 joint resolutions, H.J. Res. 1307–1324, were introduced. Pages 17120–17121

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of executive papers (H. Rept. 1547); and

H.R. 11190, amendments to the Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act, amended (H. Rept. 1548). Page 17120

Private Calendar: Granted permission that H.R. 16187 be passed over on call of the Private Calendar on Tuesday, June 18. Page 17064

Poultry Inspection Act: By a record vote of 352 yeas to 17 nays, the House passed H.R. 16363, the Wholesome Poultry Products Act.

Adopted the committee amendments and rejected an amendment regarding limitations on small business exemption.

H. Res. 1172, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17064–17083

Peace Corps Act: By a record vote of 292 yeas to 61 nays, the House passed H.R. 15087, to authorize the further amendment of the Peace Corps Act.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 2914 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected the motion to recommit with instructions to reduce the total appropriation for fiscal 1968 by approximately $15 million (by a record vote of 179 yeas to 187 nays).

Rejected an amendment identical to the recommittal motion.

H. Res. 1214, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17083–17092

Consumer Finance: The Speaker appointed Representatives Patman, Sullivan, and Dwyer to the National Commission on Consumer Finance. Page 17099

International Labor Organization: The Speaker appointed Representatives Thompson and Ayres, as delegates, and Representatives O'Hara of Michigan and Ashbrook, as alternates, to the International Labor Organization Conference in Geneva. Page 17099

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of June 19. Page 17093

Referrals: 30 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 17119

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Concluded hearings on H.R. 15896, and S. 3068, and related bills, increases to $245 million (now $225 million) appropriations for the Food Stamp Act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Martin and Saylor.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military

procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Navy witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

HIGHER EDUCATION—MANPOWER AND DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15045, amended, Manpower and Development Training Act of 1965 extension.

INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization continued hearings on H.R. 16718, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Machen and McCarthy, Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of HUD, and other departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC PROJECTS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 9362, amended, Mountain Park reclamation project; and H.R. 27, amended, Oahe unit, James Division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota.

TRANSPORTATION—HEALTH PROFESSIONS—LICENSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 16024, relative to high-speed ground transportation extension. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare continued hearings on H.R. 15757, to improve health professions. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Communications and Power concluded hearings on H.R. 12698 and 12699, and related bills, to clarify licensing. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION ACT—SUITS—NORTHWEST REGIONAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued a review of the Immigration Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Stanley M. Ruttenberg, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Manpower.

Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 9561, permits persons furnishing labor or materials on public buildings contracts to sue for unpaid payments at the end of 90 days. Testimony was heard from Representative Erlenborn and other departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on S. 1602, and related bills, establishes the Northwest Regional Services Corporation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SAFETY STANDARDS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on the Coast Guard approved for full committee action H.R. 15714, amended, to extend until June 30, 1970, the period for compliance with certain safety standards in the case of passenger vessels operating on the inland rivers and waterways.

Prior to reporting the bill the subcommittee held a hearing. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from John Macy, Chairman, Civil Service Commission.

SITES

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16175, amended, authorizes the acquisition of certain sites for various international organizations, foreign countries, and the OAS.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives George Andrews and Hall, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR-POWERED UTILITIES

tinued its hearings on S. 2564, and H.R. 13828 and 15273, to insure reasonable opportunity for all electric utilities to participate in the benefits of nuclear power, having as its witnesses Michael F. Collins, Municipal Electric Association of Massachusetts; Alex Radin, American

Public Power Association; Ernest W. Gibson III, Vermont Public Service Board; Gary Gillmor, mayor, city of Santa Clara, Calif.; D. R. Von Raesfeld, city manager, Santa Clara, representing the Northern California Municipal Electric Association; W. N. Cook, Vermont Electric Cooperative, Inc.; L. F. Gray, Lyndonville (Vermont) Electric Department; and Frederick J. Fayette, Vermont REA Cooperatives.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, receiving testimony from Prof. George H. Hildebrand, department of economics, Cornell University; Joseph A. Pechman, director of economic studies, the Brookings Institution; Prof. Earl R. Rolph, department of economics, University of California, Berkeley; and Harold Watts, institute for research on poverty, University of Wisconsin.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 18.

Friday, June 14, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, hearings on H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, with testimony on military functions items from Deputy Secretary of Defense Paul H. Nitze and Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler; and on funds for the military assistance program from Winthrop G. Brown, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State, Richard C. Steadman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, and Vice Adm. Luther C. Heinz, Director of Military Assistance, DOD.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 17.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Senator Gruening, on funds for Alaska highway programs; and from several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Dr. Murray Grant, Director of Public Health, and Miss Winifred G. Thompson, Director of Public Welfare, both of the D.C. government.

SUPREME COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Separation of Powers continued its hearings on the manner in which the Supreme Court is carrying out its constitutional responsibilities, having as its witnesses Prof. Paul J. Mishkin, University of Pennsylvania Law School; Prof. Martin Shapiro, department of political science, University of California; Prof. William W. Van Alstyne, Duke University Law School; and Dr. Louis Henkin, professor of international law and diplomacy, Columbia University School of Law.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

HUNGER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty continued hearings on S. Res. 281, dealing with problems of hunger and malnutrition and other human needs in the U.S., receiving testimony from Senator McGovern, and Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 21.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 238 postmaster nominations; H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches (amended); and an original bill authorizing the creation of 392 new supergrade positions, and also providing expanded authority of the Civil Service Commission in the use of its revolving fund.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Four public bills, H.R. 17895–17898; four private bills, H.R. 17899–17902; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1325–1332, and H. Res. 1216, were introduced. Page 17324

Bills Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 17903, the public works appropriations bill (H. Rept. 1549). Page 17323

Flag Day: Flag Day ceremonies were conducted in the Hall of the House of Representatives. Page 17321

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 17323

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PUBLIC WORKS AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 17903, the public works appropriations bill.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. T. F. Connolly, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Air, and other naval and marine witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Buchanan, Blackburn, and James Smith, and public witnesses.

Monday, June 17, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17354–17408

Bills Introduced: Five bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3649–3653; and S.J. Res. 178; S. Con. Res. 76; and S. Res. 305. Page 17368, 17369

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 160, authorizing the SEC to investigate the impact of institutional investors on the stock market, with amendment (S. Rept. 1237); and

S. 839, 1164, 2026, 2036, H.R. 1655, 2270, 2455, 2688, 4820, 4961, 5199, 5854, 6305, 6890, 8088, 9568, 10050, 10058, 10199, 10655, 11166, 12073, S. 1274, 986, and 2860, private bills (S. Repts. 1238–1262). Page 17367–17368

Peace Corps: S. 2914, authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 17376

Printing: Report of Senate delegation to the 11th meeting of the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group held in Washington, D.C., in March of 1968, was ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 83. Page 17368

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 17367

President's Message—Higher Education: Message was received from President transmitting second annual report of National Advisory Council on Extension and Continuing Education—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 17354

President's Message—Wilderness: Message was received from President transmitting fourth annual report on the status of the national wilderness preservation system covering the year 1967—referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 17354

President's Communication—Appropriations: President transmitted communication requesting consideration of a supplemental budget item of $14.6 million for fiscal year 1968 to fund programs recently enacted or to restore property damaged as result of national disaster—referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 17366

Export-Import Bank: Senate resumed its consideration of S. 3218, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank, by unanimous consent agreeing that vote be taken on passage of bill at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 18, the time between 1 and 2 p.m. to be equally divided.

Senate then proceeded to consider H.R. 16162, companion bill to S. 3218, and unanimous-consent agreements reached on June 13 and today respecting S. 3218 were made applicable to the further consideration of H.R. 16162.

H.R. 16162 was read for the third time following adoption of two amendments, as follows: Dirksen amendment (for himself and other Senators) providing that the Bank shall bear any losses up to $100 million and any loss beyond $200 million and that the Treasury shall bear any loss between $100 and $200 million (motion to reconsider tabled); and Byrd of Virginia amendment providing that the Board of Directors of the Bank shall submit quarterly reports to the Congress of all actions taken under the legislation. Pages 17408–17419

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: 17 civilian nominations, including Alice M. Rivlin, of D.C., and Lynn M. Bartlett, of Michigan, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Warren L. Smith, of Michigan, to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers; and numerous Army and one Marine Corps. Page 17421

Nominations: One Army nomination in the rank of general and one Navy nomination in the rank of admiral were received. Page 17421

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GRAIN INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held

hearings on S. 272, 2069, and H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain, receiving testimony from George R. Grange, Deputy Administrator for Marketing Services, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Sam Hunt, Grain & Feed Dealers National Association; B. W. Sadler, National Association of State Departments of Agriculture; James V. Inglime, National Association of Chief Grain Inspectors; Martin L. Cassell, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., Chicago; Joseph L. Garrett, Grain Sampling Division, International-Stanley Corp., Omaha; Bruce Hendrickson, National Federation of Grain Cooperatives; and William F. Brooks, National Grain Trade Council.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee resumed hearings on H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, receiving testimony from numerous Government witnesses in behalf of funds for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary; the District of Columbia; and certain independent offices.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, AND COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, with testimony from Senator Tydings, on funds for a judicial item; William C. Foster, Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, U.S.; John Mahon, Chairman, Subversive Activities Control Board; Richard Greene, National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Laws; and Leonard H. Marks, Director, USIA.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with further testimony from Winifred G. Thompson, Director of D.C. Public Welfare.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TRADE SIMPLIFICATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 3235, to authorize and foster joint rates for the movement of freight in interstate commerce, with testimony from Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation; Rear Adm. John Harllee, Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission; John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Thomas M. Goodfellow, president, Association of American Railroads; and Peter E. Edwards, Pan American Airways, on behalf of the Commerce and Industry Association of New York.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, June 19.

AIRCRAFT NOISE ABATEMENT

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Aviation held hearings on S. 707 and H.R. 3400, to amend the Federal Aviation Act so as to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation, receiving testimony from Senator Case; Representative Halpern; Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation; Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association; and E. Thomas Burnard, Airport Operators Council International.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations resumed its executive consideration of S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

COMPETITION IN MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held hearings to receive testimony on competitive practices in the field of military procurement, having as its witnesses Dr. Murray L. Weidenbaum, chairman, department of economics, Washington University, St. Louis; and Robert E. Johnson and George R. Hall, both of the Rand Corp., Santa Monica, Calif.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 21.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to consider S. 3098, S. 3099, and H.R. 16729, proposed higher education amendments of 1968, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, June 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 17903–17916; 13 private bills, H.R. 17917–17929; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1333–1337, were introduced. Page 17463

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 11782, amended, and H.R. 14654, amended, private bills (H. Repts. 1550 and 1551);

H.R. 13780, regarding tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont., amended (H. Rept. 1552);

H.R. 14205, regarding Creek Nation of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1553);

H.R. 16211, regarding Creek Nation of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1554);

H.R. 16402, regarding Delaware Nation of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1555);

H.R. 17524, relating to construction-differential subsidies (H. Rept. 1556);

S. 203, regarding Indian tribal lands in South Dakota (H. Rept. 1557);

S.J. Res. 157, regarding Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, amended (H. Rept. 1558); and

H.R. 15030, the Potato Research and Promotion Act, amended (H. Rept. 1559). Pages 17462–17463

Credit Unions: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 6157, to permit Federal employees to purchase shares of Federal- or State-chartered credit unions through voluntary payroll allotment in such amount as the employee may request in writing, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 17425

Wilderness Preservation: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the fourth annual report on the national wilderness preservation system—referred to Interior and Insular Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 328). Page 17426

Presidential Message—Education: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the second annual report of the National Advisory Council on Extension and Continuing Education—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 329). Page 17426

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the White House:

Watershed protection: S. 2276, to amend the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act to permit the Secretary of Agriculture to contract for the construction of works of improvement upon request of local organizations.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Reclamation projects: S. 1251, to make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable.

Capitol Police pay: H. Con. Res. 785, relating to the pay of the U.S. Capitol Police force for duty performed in emergencies. Pages 17427–17428

Suspension Passages: Passed the following bills under suspension of the rules:

Public buildings—Handicapped: S. 222 (in lieu of H.R. 6589, amended), to insure that public buildings financed with Federal funds are so designed and constructed as to be accessible to the physically handicapped (record vote on H.R. 6589 of 302 yeas). Pages 17428–17434

National Gallery of Art: S. 3159 (in lieu of H.R. 16358, amended), authorizing the trustees of the National Gallery of Art to construct a building or buildings (by a voice vote). Pages 17434–17438

Governor of Guam: H.R. 7329, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam, amended (by a voice vote). Pages 17438–17445

Virgin Islands Governor: S. 450, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands, amended (by a voice vote). Pages 17445–17450

Hawaiian farms: H.R. 15562, regarding farm real estate loans on leased lands in Hawaii (by a voice vote). Pages 17450–17451

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TABLE EGG MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry held a hearing on H.R. 15537, Table Egg Marketing Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Dow, departmental, and public witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on H.R. 6526 and S. 1228, hospital construction. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

VOCATIONAL AND HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and continued consideration of vocational education amendments. No announcements were made.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and considered proposed legislation to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act. No announcements were made.

BRIEFING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations met in executive session and received a briefing from Lt. Gen. Richard P. Klocko, Director of Defense Communications Agency.

MANDATORY OIL IMPORT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session and considered the mandatory oil import program as it relates to the domestic petroleum industry.

TV BROADCAST

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Investigating Subcommittee resumed hearings on the November 1, 2, and 3, 1967, broadcasts by station WBBM-TV, Chicago, of a program entitled "Pot Party at a University." Testimony was heard from FCC Commissioners.

VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 15714, amended, extends until June 30, 1970 (now Nov. 1, 1968) the period for compliance with certain safety standards in the case of passenger vessels operating on inland rivers and waterways; reconsidered, amended further, and ordered reported to the House H.R. 163, amended, prevents foreign registered, built, or rebuilt vessels from carrying cargo restricted to U.S. vessels.

The committee also held an executive hearing on H.R. 156, to require inspection of certain towing vessels; and H.R. 11216, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels.

HIGHWAY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17134, amended, 1970–71 highway authorization.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives James Broyhill, Laurence Burton, Eckhardt, and Whitener, and public witnesses.

Tuesday, June 18, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17557–17602

Bills Introduced: Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3654–3660. Page 17574

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 15345, proposed Banks Protection Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 1263);

S. 1299, providing for SEC regulation of credit extended and maintained with respect to unregistered securities, with amendments (S. Rept. 1264);

H.R. 14907, proposing several amendments to the Federal Credit Union Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 1265);

S. 3656, to extend life of Advisory Commission on Parcel Distribution Service (S. Rept. 1266); and

S. 2499, extending act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees (S. Rept. 1267). Page 17574

Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and one House-adopted concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. Page 17555

President's Message—Poverty: President transmitted first report on Community Action by the National Advisory Council on Economic Opportunity—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

Pages 17633–17634

Water Resources: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 3058, to increase authorizations for water resources planning activities. Pages 17555–17556

Tariff: H.R. 17104, extending suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 17556–17557

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 4566, private bill.

Pages 17569–17570

Surplus Property: S. 1974, to make foreign-generated surplus property available to domestic agencies, was passed without amendment. Pages 17570–17572

Export-Import Bank: By unanimous vote of 88 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 16162, to improve the U.S. balance-of-payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank.

S. 3218, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 17602–17605

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 13 bills, of which 12 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Nine private bills, H.R. 1655, 2270, 2455, 2688, 4961, 5854, 6305, 6890, and 8088.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Three private bills, S. 1164, 2026, and 2036.

With amendment and cleared for House:

SEC: S.J. Res. 160, authorizing the SEC to investigate the impact of institutional investors on the stock market.

Pages 17605–17611

Land and Water Conservation: When House amendments to S. 1401, proposed Land and Water Conservation Fund Act amendments, were laid before Senate, Senator Jackson moved that Senate disagree to House amendments, ask for conference with House, and that the Chair be authorized to appoint conferees.

Senator Long asked for a division of this motion, and Senate adopted the first part of the motion that Senate disagree to House amendments and ask for a conference.

On the second part of this division Senate adopted Jackson motion that Chair be authorized to appoint conferees (motion to reconsider tabled), and the Chair appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Bible, Kuchel, and Allott. Prior to this action, Senate rejected, by 13 yeas to 69 nays, modified Long of Louisiana motion as a substitute therefor, that Senate elect as conferees Senators Jackson, Ellender, Smathers, Kuchel, Tower, and Allott. Pages 17618–17624

Military Construction: Senate took up H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction.

By unanimous consent the following debate-limitation agreement was entered into: beginning at 1 p.m. Monday, June 24, 30 minutes, equally divided, on pending Cooper (and others) amendment No. 854; 1 hour on any other amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); and 2 hours on question of passage of bill. No nongermane amendment may be received.

Pending at adjournment was Cooper (and others) amendment No. 854 (to committee amendment in nature of a substitute for bill) barring use of any of authorized funds for an antiballistic missile system prior to fiscal year beginning July 1, 1969.

Pages 17611–17618, 17629–17633

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee concluded hearings on H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, after receiving testimony on funds for the American Bicentennial Commission, Bureau of the Budget, Department of Transportation, Trust Territory of the Pacific, National Park Service, and Ryukyu Islands.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider this bill.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on S. 3097, to extend the Defense Production Act for 2 years, with testimony from Representative Gubser; Frank H. Weitzel, Assistant Comptroller General of the U.S.; Leonard Savoie, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; J. S. Seidman, an accountant of New York City; Dr. Howard Wright, division of accounting, University of Maryland; Norman W. Holland, National Society of Public Accountants; George G. Bacsik, Aerospace Industries Association of America; George D. Butler and Joseph A. Chambers, both of the Electronic Industries Association; James M. Donovan, Western Electronics Manufacturers Association; Ira Landis, Financial Executives Institute; and Charles Stewart, Machinery and Allied Products Institute.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee held hearings on S. 3641 and S. 3645, authorizing Federal financial assistance in the development and construction of airports, having as its witnesses Secretary of Transportation Alan S. Boyd; John H. Crooker, Jr., Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board; and Stuart G. Tipton, president, Air Transport Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 2951 and S. 3212, vesting in the States control of fish and wildlife in their territorial lands and waters, receiving testimony from Clarence F. Pautzke, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife and Parks; Walter T. Shannon, International Association of Game, Fish and Conservation Commissions; Charles Callison, National Audubon Society; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation, whose statement was presented by Louis Clapper, C. R. Guttermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Joseph W. Penfold, Izaak Walton League; and Michael McCloskey, Sierra Club.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nominations of George A. Avery, of the D.C., to be a member of the D.C. Public Service Commission, with testimony from Lee C. White, Chairman, Federal Power Commission, and William L. Porter, D.C. Public Service Commission;

John W. Kern III, of Maryland, to be associate judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals, with testimony from H. Cecil Kilpatrick, an attorney of the D.C., and George E. Monk, Bar Association of the D.C.; and

Stephen S. Davis, to be a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency, with testimony from James Robinson, Howard University. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendments S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands approved for full committee consideration S. 1385, directing that 25 percent of gross revenues from sale of timber on public lands shall be paid to the appropriate counties for use for public schools and roads.

Prior to this action, subcommittee received testimony on this bill from M. M. Nelson, Deputy Chief of the

Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior; and Judge Ellis Wright, National Association of Counties.

GUN CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendment S. 3633, to provide for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms (the bill was amended so as to include the text of S. 3643, prohibiting sale of destructive devices, machineguns, short-barreled shotguns, and short-barreled rifles).

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with an amendment H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act.

Committee announced that it will meet again on Thursday, June 20, to consider S. 8, extending collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty met in executive session to consider S. 3063, S. 2938, and S. 3249, bills dealing with manpower development and emergency employment in the U.S., but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 17930–17954; 19 private bills, H.R. 17955–17973; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1338–1342, and H. Res. 1217–1220, were introduced. Pages 17554–17555

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 13844, regarding leave for Federal employees for funerals and for Reserve duty, amended (H. Rept. 1560);

H.R. 15714, to extend operating life of certain inland vessels, amended (H. Rept. 1561);

H. Res. 1217, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15651, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act (H. Rept. 1562);

H. Res. 1218, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17126, to amend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 (H. Rept. 1563);

H. Res. 1219, providing for the consideration of S. 322, regarding National Wildlife Refuge System (H. Rept. 1564); and

H. Res. 1220, providing for the consideration of the conference report on H.R. 15414, the tax bill (H. Rept. 1565). Page 17533

Time Change: The House will convene at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 20, 1968. Pages 17503–17504

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 2046, 10415, 10854, 10857, 10859, 10861, 10862, 10863, 13159, 13380, 13382, 14658, 14660, and 17320. (Adopted without amendments H. Res. 1111 and 1177.)

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 2281, 2282, 2976, 4939, 10321, 10327, 11381, 16429, 16880, S. 102, 443, and 823.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1527, 1608, 2654, 2758, 4386, 4404, 5959, 6321, 10417, 12539, 12894, 15633, H. Res. 991, S. 155, and 321. Pages 17504–17510

NASA Authorization: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 15856, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration authorization, thus clearing the measure for Presidential action. Pages 17510–17512

Pueblo de Taos Indians: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 3306, to grant the Pueblo de Taos Indians in New Mexico trust title to certain lands.

Adopted the committee amendments.

H. Res. 1213, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17512–17518

Employees of County Committees: By a record vote of 353 yeas to 13 nays the House passed S. 1028, to extend certain benefits to former employees of county committees established pursuant to section 8(b) of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act.

Rejected a motion to recommit with instructions regarding civil service status for county committees (by a record vote of 136 yeas to 228 nays).

Adopted several technical committee amendments and an amendment to correct an oversight in previous legislation.

H. Res. 1182, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 17513, 17518–17525

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TABLE EGG MARKETING

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry continued hearings on H.R. 15537, Table Egg Marketing Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kazen and Hungate; and public witnesses.

HONEY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension held a hearing on H.R. 16455, and related bills, Honey Promotion and Research Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Quie and Mathias of California; Floyd Hedlund, Director, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Langen.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. J. B. Colwell, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Fleet Operations and Readiness; and other officials of the Department of the Navy.

M–16 RIFLE INVESTIGATION

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on M–16 Rifle met in open session and continued on the M–16 rifle investigation. Testimony was heard from Robert F. Keller, General Counsel, GAO.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued hearings on H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

SCHOOL LUNCH

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 17873 (amended), school lunch program amendments.

AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.J. Res. 1271, and related bills, to authorize a White House Conference on Aging. Testimony was heard from William Bechill, Commissioner on Aging, HEW; and public witnesses.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 15067, the Higher Education Act amendments. No announcements were made and the committee will continue in executive session on the bill Wednesday, June 19.

BRIEFING—INDIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for a briefing on India with Chester Bowles, Ambassador to India.

VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities met in open session for a review of operations of the Veterans' Administration. Testimony was heard from William J. Driver, Administrator; and other officials of the Veterans' Administration.

SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on satellite communications. Testimony was heard from Dr. Gardiner L. Tucker, Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense.

AID IN VIETNAM

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session and continued hearings on AID in Vietnam. Testimony was heard from James Grant, Assistant Administrator, Vietnam Bureau, AID.

TRAILS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 4865 (amended), to establish a nationwide system of trails.

Following the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 13099, to authorize the establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in the State of North Carolina. Testimony was heard from Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior.

HIGH-SPEED GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16024 (amended), high-speed ground transportation extension.

TOWBOAT LEGISLATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and held a hearing on H.R. 156, to require the inspection of certain towing vessels; and H.R. 11216, to provide for the licensing of personnel on certain vessels. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Charles P. Murphy, Commandant, and other officials of the Coast Guard.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and continued hearings on S. 1035, invasion of privacy. Testimony was heard from Carl W. Clewlow, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civilian Personnel Policy; and Frank Bartimo, Assistant General Counsel for Manpower, Office of Secretary of Defense.

Following the executive session, the subcommittee met in open session and heard further testimony on the bill from Dr. Louis W. Tordella, Deputy Director, NSA.

POSTAL SERVICE MORALE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on morale

problems in the postal service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RIVERS, HARBORS, FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on various projects for inclusion in an omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from representatives of the Corps of Engineers.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY ACT

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably H.R. 17134, the Federal-aid Highway Act of 1968.

TAX SURCHARGE

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule waiving points of order against, and providing for the consideration of and 4 hours of debate on the conference report on H.R. 15414. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mills, Byrnes, and Rees.

LAND DISPOSAL

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on S. 322, land disposals from the National Wildlife Refuge System. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dingell and Pelly.

TOURISTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 1 hour of debate on H.R. 15651, amending the Immigration and Nationality Act to facilitate the entry of foreign tourists into the United States. Testimony was heard from Representatives Feighan and MacGregor.

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ACT

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of debate on H.R. 17126, to extend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Senator Hartke and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy resumed its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, receiving testimony from Prof. Joseph N. Morgan, Department of Economics, University of Michigan; Prof. Robert J. Lampman, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin; Robert A. Levine, Assistant Director, OEO; and Alice M. Rivlin, Acting Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3661–3666; and S.J. Res. 180. Page 17733

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 17320, a private bill relating to easement to St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co. (S. Rept. 1268). Page 17733

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 17718

Franked Mail: S.J. Res. 180, to provide franked mail privileges for surviving spouse of Member of Congress for 180 days following his death, was taken up by unanimous consent following its introduction, and was passed without amendment. Page 17718

President's Message—Military Retirement: President transmitted 13th annual report of the Board of Actuaries for the Retired Serviceman's Family Protection Plan and urged that Congress act favorably on legislation to strengthen the plan which has been proposed by the Secretary of Defense—referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 17717

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 12 bills, of which seven were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Five private bills, H.R. 9568, 10050, 10199, 11166, and 12073.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Credit unions: H.R. 14907, proposing several amendments to the Federal Credit Union Act; and

Bank security: H.R. 15345, proposed Banks Protection Act.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Commission on Parcel Distribution: S. 3656, to extend life of Advisory Commission on Parcel Distribution Service; and

Aircraft loans: S. 2499, extending act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees.

With amendment and cleared for House:

SEC: S. 1299, providing for SEC regulation of credit

extended and maintained with respect to unregistered securities; and

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 986 and 2860.

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Orleans, Vt.: S. 839, for relief of the village of Orleans, Vt., was passed without amendment. Page 17758

Private Bills: The following three private bills were passed without amendment and cleared for White House: H.R. 5199, 10058, and 10655.

S. 1274, a private bill, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 17767–17768

Taxation: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that on Friday, June 21, if House has adopted conference report on H.R. 15414, proposed Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968, Senate will proceed to its consideration following disposition of the Journal, with time for debate thereon until noon, equally divided, and vote thereon to be taken at noon. Page 17768

Military Construction: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction.

Pending at adjournment was Cooper (and others) amendment No. 854 (to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for bill) barring use of any of authorized funds for an anti-ballistic-missile system prior to fiscal year beginning July 1, 1969. Pages 17755–17767

Confirmations: Numerous postmaster nominations were confirmed. Pages 17768–17770

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: G. Edward Clark, of D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Walter J. Stoessel, Jr., of California, to be Ambassador to Poland; Louis M. Thayer, of Florida, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board; and numerous postmasters. Page 17768

Recess: Recessed at 3:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 16451, to cooperate with governments of Central America in the control and eradication of foot and mouth disease; H.R. 16065, to release on behalf of the U.S. conditions in deeds conveying lands to the State of Iowa; H.R. 17002, relating to conditions imposed in the transfer of certain tobacco acreage allotments; H.R. 17320, a private bill relating to easement to St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co.; and H. Con. Res. 413, to further advance international agriculture through the concept of a world farm center.

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, receiving testimony from Secretary Alan S. Boyd, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the full committee with amendments H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.

It was announced that the full committee will meet in executive session to consider this bill on Friday, June 21.

M–16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee on the M–16 Rifle met in executive session to hear Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics Robert A. Brooks testify and answer questions with regard to the procurement and distribution program of the M–16 rifle.

Hearings continue tomorrow in open and executive sessions.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, approved for reporting an original bill to be introduced in lieu of S. 1659, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1968.

AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Commerce: The Aviation Subcommittee concluded hearings on S. 3641 and S. 3645, authorizing Federal financial assistance in the development and construction of airports, having as its witnesses E. Thomas Burnard, Airport Operators Council International, Inc.; Joseph B. Hartranft, Jr., Aircraft Owners & Pilots Association; Frank K. Smith, National Aviation Trade Association; Lee Wagener, American Association of Airport Executives; Crocker Snow, National Association of State Aviation Officials; John Conway, Air Wisconsin, Appleton; Robert B. Ward and John Woods, National Business Aircraft Association, Inc.; and James D. Hill, Air Traffic Control Association.

It was announced that the record will remain open until Friday, June 21, for the inclusion of additional written material.

TRADE SIMPLIFICATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings on S. 3235, to authorize and foster joint rates for the movement of freight in interstate commerce, with testimony from Robert C. Moot, Administrator, Small Business Administration; George Bengal, International General Electric, New York, on behalf of the National Committee on International Trade Documentation; Jack D. Robins, Caterpillar Tractor Co., Peoria, Ill.; W. B. Bailey, Burlington Industries, Inc., Burlington, N.C.; S. Alexander Thomas, American Machine & Foundry Co., New York City; Joseph C. Scheleen, editor, Traffic World Magazine; and John M. Haydon, president of the Port of Seattle Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings on S. 2951 and S. 3212, vesting in the States control of fish and wildlife in their territorial lands and waters, having as its witnesses Dr. Alfred G. Etter, Defenders of Wildlife; Charles F. Schwan, National Governors' Conference; William E. Towell, the American Forestry Association; Edward Cliff, Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Coy W. Powell, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; and Dr. Walter S. Broadman, National Parks Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee announced that it approved for reporting the nominations of George A. Avery, of the D.C., to be a member of the D.C. Public Service Commission; John W. Kern III, of Maryland, to be associate judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals; and Stephen S. Davis, to be a member of the D.C. Redevelopment Land Agency.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the International Coffee Agreement of 1968 (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.); and the following nominations: Robert F. Wagner, of New York, to be Ambassador to Spain; William H. Crook, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Australia; David S. King, of Utah, presently Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic, to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Mauritius; and H. Brooks James, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

Also, committee ordered reported without recommendation and with comments on foreign policy implications of S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment.

Committee announced that it expects to begin executive consideration of proposed foreign aid authorizations legislation on Wednesday, June 26.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 3305 and S. 3306, providing for Federal jurisdiction and a body of uniform Federal law for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, having as its witnesses Benjamin E. Haller and E. Smythe Gambrell, both of whom are New York attorneys; and Walter H. Beckham, Jr. American Trial Lawyers Association.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 24.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of Morris E. Lasker, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York; Orrin G. Judd and Anthony J. Travia, to be U.S. district judges for the eastern district of New York; and Bernard Newman, of New York, to be judge of the U.S. Customs Court.

Prior to this action, in open session, Senator Javits appeared and testified in behalf of the nominees, who were present to speak in their own behalf. Testimony was also received from N. V. Little of Garden City, N.Y.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in businesses affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Dr. Philip Lee, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health and Scientific Affairs; Paul Hafer, National Association of Manufacturers; Wallace Smith, American Mutual Insurance Alliance, Chicago; Mahlon Z. Eubank, Commerce & Industry Association of New York; and Leo Teplow, American Iron & Steel Institute.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 24.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 17974–17998; 22 private bills, H.R. 17999–18020; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1343–1357, H. Con. Res. 790, and H. Res. 1221, were introduced. Pages 17889–17890

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 2269, regarding seizure of fishing vessels by foreign countries, amended (H. Rept. 1566);

S. 1059, regarding leasing of lands in Alaska for grazing (H. Rept. 1567);

H.R. 14005, regarding disposition of lands in Hot Springs, Ark. (H. Rept. 1568);

Private bill, H.R. 11552 (H. Rept. 1569);

Report entitled "Interest Equalization Tax Operations" (25th report by the committee) (H. Rept. 1570); and

Report pertaining to saving America's small lakes (26th report by the committee) (H. Rept. 1571).

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Land-Water Conservation Fund: The House insisted on its amendment to S. 1401, regarding the land and water conservation fund; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Taylor, Johnson of California, Saylor, and Skubitz. Page 17770

Eisenhower Week: Passed H.J. Res. 1302, to authorize the President to issue a proclamation designating the week of October 13, 1968, as "Salute to Eisenhower Week." Pages 17771–17773

Presidential Message—War on Poverty: Received and read a message from the President regarding the war on poverty—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 17773

Presidential Message—Servicemen's Families: Received and read a message from the President regarding Board of Actuaries for the Retired Serviceman's Family Protection Plan—referred to the Committee on Armed Services. Pages 17773–17774

Public Works Appropriations: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 17903, the Public Works for Water and Power Resources Development and Atomic Energy Commission Appropriations Act, 1969.

Rejected the motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

Adopted amendments designed to strike the planning funds for the Dickey-Lincoln project (by a record vote of 265 yeas to 132 nays) and to limit total spending under the bill to $4.4 billion.

Rejected amendment regarding striking "Construction, general" section and several amendments to cut funds from the Atomic Energy Commission operating expenses. Pages 17774–17810

Franking Privileges: Passed S.J. Res. 180, to provide franked mail privileges for surviving spouses of Members of Congress for 180 days following his death.

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Referrals: Six Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 17888

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:31 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: The full committee held an open discussion with officials of the Bureau of the Budget and Department of Agriculture on problems relating to watershed projects.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Full committee met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. Turner Caldwell, Director of ASW program, and other Navy witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 17651, housing bill. No announcements were made.

PSYCHOLOGY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 concluded hearings on H.R. 10407 and S. 1864, to regulate the practice of psychology. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION—FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported H.R. 15263, amended, foreign assistance authorization.

REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and approved the following reports:

1. "Operation of Office of Education" (Hawaiian seminars);
2. "The Uninsured Government Contractor";
3. "Views of the Governors on Saving America's Small Lakes" (water pollution control and abatement);
4. "The Critical Need for a National Inventory of Industrial Wastes" (water pollution and abatement);
5. "Federal Effort Against Organized Crime; Report of Agency Operations";
6. "Interest Equalization Tax Operations";
7. "Foreign Research Dollar Drain."

NATIONAL SCENIC RIVERS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee met in open session and continued consideration of H.R. 8416, to provide for a national scenic rivers system.

STATE TECHNICAL SERVICES ACT—LICENSING AUTHORITY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance concluded hearings on H.R. 16824, to extend for an additional year the authorization of appropriations under the State Technical Services Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from Dr. John F. Kincaid, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology, and departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Communications and Power met in

executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 12698, amended, to clarify licensing authority.

IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held a hearing on private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing and acted on several private claims bills.

RETIREMENT FINANCING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported H.R. 17682, amended, retirement financing.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control held a hearing on items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gathings, Pryor, Sikes, Fuqua, Bennett, Herlong, Gurney, Gibbons, Haley, Cramer, Paul Rogers, J. Herbert Burke, Pepper, and Fascell, and Corps of Engineers and public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

SOVIET PERSECUTION AND PROPAGANDA

Committee on Un-American Activities: Study Subcommittee held a hearing on Soviet persecution of Jews and the dissemination of Communist propaganda in the United States. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMUNITY NURSING HOMES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Intermediate Care held a hearing on contracts with community nursing homes. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pickle and Steed, and A. W. Stratton, Deputy Administrator, VA; and departmental and public witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorn and Stratton and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, receiving testimony from Lyle C. Fitch, president, Institute for Public Administration, New York City; Leonard Lesser, Industrial Union Department, AFL-CIO; Prof. Albert E. Rees, Department of Economics, Princeton University; and Sar A. Levitan, Center for Manpower Policy Studies, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, June 20, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 13593, increasing from five to nine the number of alternates each Congressman is entitled to nominate for vacancies at the military academies; H.R. 15789, authorizing military contracts for services and supplies to extend for 5 years for operation and maintenance of facilities and equipment; H.R. 13050, increasing the number of Navy officers who may be designated as specialists in various technical and professional fields; and H.R. 5783, to make uniform the laws covering the administration of military correctional facilities and treatment of persons convicted under courts-martial. Committee also approved the reappointment for 1 additional year of Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and 627 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee received testimony from John I. Woodruff, U.S. Military Academy, and Comdr. Donald A. Smith, U.S. Naval Academy, who directed their remarks to H.R. 13593; Aaron J. Racusin, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, who testified with regard to H.R. 15789; Adm. Robert R. Crutchfield, Assistant Chief of Naval Personnel for Plans and Programs, whose testimony related to H.R. 13050; Maj. Gen. Carl C. Turner, the Provost Marshal General, Department of the Army, who directed his remarks to H.R. 5783; and James E. Welch, Deputy General Counsel, GAO, who testified with regard to H.R. 10573, to amend military procurement law with regard to negotiation of contracts.

M-16 RIFLE

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee on the M-16 Rifle continued its

hearings with regard to procurement and distribution program of the M–16 rifle, having as its witnesses Senator Muskie; Verge Thomasian, vice president, Maremont Corp.; and Paul Benke, president, and William Goldbach, general manager, both of the Colt's Firearms Division of Colt's Industries.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of John W. Townsend, Jr., of Maryland, to be Deputy Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration; and H.R. 14910, giving the FCC authority to regulate the manufacture and distribution of devices which cause interference with radio reception.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Townsend was present to testify and answer questions in his own behalf.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following three bills:

S. 3559, permitting the State of Virginia to impose a tax on fuels as well as other taxes at Washington National Airport, with testimony from Senator Byrd of Virginia; Richard N. Harris, assistant attorney general, Commonwealth of Virginia; Charles R. Fenwick, State senator from Arlington County, Va.; Arven H. Saunders, accompanied by John W. Arata, both of the FAA; and Henry Wixon, Office of the Corporation Counsel, D.C.;

H.R. 9606, exempting from taxation certain property in the D.C. of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America, with testimony from Mrs. James I. Wendell, president, accompanied by George E. McMurray, counsel, both of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America; and Henry Wixon; and

S. 3233, authorizing issuance of an alcoholic beverage license to clubs if a majority of the principal officers thereof are U.S. citizens, with testimony from Alan Cromley, president, and other representatives of the National Press Club; and Henry Wixon.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration without amendment S. 1514, relating to the rehabilitation of narcotic addicts in the D.C.; S. 1628, authorizing D.C. government to sue for delinquent taxes and obtain judgments in the courts of the States on a reciprocal basis; S. 3456, providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct or obscene acts shall be conducted in the name of the D.C.; H.R. 3931, to change the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C., to the National Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C.; and H.R. 8581, to remove sales price limitation for reports of the opinions of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. circuit; and with amendment S. 2439, increasing the number of judges on the D.C. court of general sessions, and increasing salaries therefor; S. 2465, liberalizing retirement provisions for judges of courts in the D.C.; and H.R. 14330, proposed D.C. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Act.

It was announced that the full committee will hold an executive meeting on Monday, June 24.

FOREIGN MILITARY SALES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee held hearings on S. 3092, to consolidate and revise foreign assistance legislation relating to reimbursable military exports, having as its witnesses Paul C. Warnke, Assistant Secretary for International Security Affairs, and Henry J. Kuss, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Logistics Negotiations, who were accompanied by other officials of the Department of Defense.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were John J. Walsh, an investigator of the subcommittee's staff; James Houtsma and Detective James Doyle, both of the Chicago Police Department; and Winston Moore, superintendent of Cook County Jail, and a psychologist with the Chicago Board of Education.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

WILDERNESS SYSTEM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held hearings on the following bills proposing additions to the wilderness preservation system: S. 3379, Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J.; S. 3425, Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Mass.; S. 3343, Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Fla.; and S. 3502, Seney, Huron Island, and Michigan Islands in Michigan, Gravel Island and Green Bay in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn in Maine. Testimony was received from Senators Case and Williams of New Jersey; Representatives Frelinghuysen and Keith; John S. Gottschalk, Bureau of Sport Fisheries, Department of the Interior; Dr. Robert B. Oxnam, president, Drew University; Jack W. Moody, director, Somerset County Park, N.J.; Russell W. Myers, director, Morris County Park, N.J.; Este Stowell and Mrs. Arthur Fenske, both of the North Jersey Conservation Foundation; Gary Soucie, Sierra Club, New York; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Foundation; Robert Boardman, Audubon Society; Stewart M. Brandborg, Wilderness Society;

C. R. Gutermuth, North American Wildlife Foundation; and James Baird, Audubon Society of Massachusetts.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Morris E. Lasker, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of New York; Orrin G. Judd and Anthony J. Travia, to be U.S. district judges for the eastern district of New York; Bernard Newman, of New York, to be a judge of the U.S. Customs Court; H.R. 15951, providing for uniform annual observance of certain holidays on Mondays; H.R. 13315, to improve the geographical definition of the two Federal judicial districts in Virginia; H.R. 15216, authorizing the Federal Bureau of Prisons to lend technical assistance to State correctional institutions; H.R. 15147, providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961; H.R. 10135, providing naturalization for surviving spouses of U.S. military personnel who die while on active duty; S.J. Res. 153, proclaiming the week beginning May 1 as Youth Week; S.J. Res. 177, designating September 30, 1968, as Bible Translation Day; S.J. Res. 165, authorizing President to proclaim August 11, 1968, as Family Reunion Day; H.R. 10773, to permit the wearing of the uniform of U.S. letter carriers in theatrical and related productions under certain conditions; H.R. 17024, relating to the prosecution of postal service employees for failure to remit postage-due collections; H.R. 10480, to make it a Federal crime to desecrate the U.S. flag; 10 private immigration bills (S. 1501, 2181, 2385, 2675, 2731, 3012, 3038, 3039, 3041, and 3210); and one private claim bill (S. 1206).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on six private immigration bills (S. 2817, 2869, 2992, 3109, 3193, and 3274).

Committee agreed to consider on Thursday, June 27, S. 3633, to provide for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms.

ANTITRUST AND MONOPOLY

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee held an executive meeting to consider several pending bills, but made no announcements, and recessed subject to call.

AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 8, extending collective bargaining rights of the National Labor Relations Act to agricultural employees, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

EXPORT EXPANSION

Select Committee on Small Business: Committee continued its hearings on the subject of export expansion and balance of payments, having as its witnesses William M. Roth, Special Representative for Trade Negotiations; Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary for Domestic and International Business, Charles F. Boehm, Office of Field Services, and E. Paul Hawk and Lawrence A. Fox, both of the Bureau of International Commerce, all of the Department of Commerce; Harold F. Linder, President, Export-Import Bank of the U.S.; and Francis X. Boylan, Foreign Credit Insurance Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 18021–18042; 18 private bills, H.R. 18043–18060; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1358–1361, and H. Res. 1222 and 1223, were introduced. Pages 17970, 18100

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Operations of Office of Education" (Hawaiian seminar) (H. Rept. 1572);

H.R. 16558, regarding revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission, amended (H. Rept. 1573);

Report entitled "Federal Effort Against Organized Crime; Report of Agency Operations" (H. Rept. 1574);

H.R. 18037, Labor-HEW appropriations (H. Rept. 1575); and

H.R. 18038, legislative branch appropriations (H. Rept. 1576). Pages 18099–18100

Late Reports: Granted permission to the Committee on Banking and Currency to file a report by midnight Tuesday, June 25, on H.R. 17989, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968; and to the Committee on the Judiciary to file a report by midnight Saturday, June 22, on H.R. 17735, the State Firearms Control Assistance Act. Page 17959

Maritime Programs: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15189, to authorize appropriations for certain maritime programs of the Department of Commerce; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Garmatz, Downing, Lennon, Mailliard, and Pelly. Page 17960

Revenue-Expenditure Control Act: By a record vote of 268 yeas to 150 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 15414, the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Representative Gross rose for a question of personal privilege and submitted H. Res. 1222, providing that Senate amendments to the bill, H.R. 15414, in the opinion of the House, contravene the first clause of the seventh section of the first article of the Constitution of the United States, and are an infringement of the privileges

of this House, and that the said bill, with amendments, be respectfully returned to the Senate with a message communicating this resolution. A motion to lay on the table H. Res. 1222 was adopted by a record vote of 257 yeas to 162 nays.

A motion to recommit to the committee on conference was rejected by a voice vote.

H. Res. 1220, the resolution providing for consideration of the conference report, was adopted earlier by a record vote of 321 yeas to 86 nays. Pages 17960–18087

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of June 26. Page 18088

Clerk Receive—Speaker Sign: Granted permission for the Clerk to receive messages from the Senate and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills. Page 18088

Referrals: Seven Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 18099

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE—LABOR AND HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the Labor–HEW appropriation bill and the legislative branch 1969 appropriation bill.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Navy witnesses.

HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 17989, housing bill.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT—HUNGER

Committee on Education and Labor: Full committee met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 15045, amended, Manpower Development Training Act; and H.R. 17144, amended, to establish a commission on hunger.

COMMITTEE FUNDS—ELECTION REFORM

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1196, provides funds for the Committee on Foreign Affairs; H. Res. 1198, provides funds for the Committee on Agriculture; and H.R. 11233, amended, election reforms.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and considered S. 2515, Redwood National Park, Calif. No announcements were made.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and considered H.R. 14742 and H.R. 9510, regulation of mutual funds. No announcements were made.

GUN CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 17735, amended, firearms control.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control continued hearings on items to be included in the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Perkins, Myers, Olsen, Kleppe, Willis, and Scott, the Corps of Engineers, and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Olin Teague.

RIOTS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee resumed hearing on the 1967 riot in Buffalo, N.Y. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GASOLINE GAMES

Select Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on the use of games of chance in gasoline marketing and their impact on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, receiving testimony from S. M. Miller, division of national affairs-social development, the Ford Foundation; Prof. James Tobin, department of economics, Yale University; and Ellen Winston, a welfare consultant.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 25.

Friday, June 21, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18226–18255

Bills Introduced: Nine bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3667–3675; S.J. Res. 181–183; and S. Con. Res. 77. Pages 18228, 18230

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 1269)—reported on June 19 during Senate adjournment under prior authorization;

H.R. 17002, relating to conditions imposed in the transfer of certain tobacco acreage allotments (S. Rept. 1270);

H. Con. Res. 413, to further advance international agriculture through the concept of a world farm center (S. Rept. 1271);

H.R. 16065, to release on behalf of the U.S. conditions in deeds conveying lands to the State of Iowa (S. Rept. 1272);

H.R. 16451, to cooperate with governments of Central America in the control and eradication of foot-and-mouth disease (S. Rept. 1273);

H.R. 16127, increasing limitation on number of officers in the Coast Guard (S. Rept. 1274);

H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1275);

H.R. 14910, giving the FCC authority to regulate the manufacture and distribution of devices which cause interference with radio reception (S. Rept. 1276);

S. 1975, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment, without recommendation (S. Rept. 1277);

H.R. 1705, 1884, 7882, 8481, 10003, 11959, and 13373, private bills (S. Repts. 1278–1284);

H.R. 15216, authorizing the Federal Bureau of Prisons to lend technical assistance to State correctional institutions (S. Rept. 1285);

H.R. 10773, to permit the wearing of the uniform of U.S. letter carriers in theatrical and related productions under certain conditions, with amendment (S. Rept. 1286);

H.R. 10480, to make it a Federal crime to desecrate the U.S. flag, with amendments (S. Rept. 1287);

S. 2731, 3012, 2181, and 3041, private bills (S. Repts. 1288–1291);

H.R. 15147, providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961, with amendments (S. Rept. 1292);

H.R. 15951, providing for uniform annual observance of certain holidays on Mondays (S. Rept. 1293);

S.J. Res. 153, proclaiming the week beginning May 1 as "Youth Week" (S. Rept. 1294);

S.J. Res. 165, authorizing President to proclaim August 11, 1968, as "Family Reunion Day" (S. Rept. 1295);

S.J. Res. 177, designating September 30, 1968, as "Bible Translation Day" (S. Rept. 1296);

S. 1501, 2385, 2675, 3038, 3039, 3210, private bills (S. Repts. 1297–1302);

H.R. 10135, providing naturalization for surviving spouses of U.S. military personnel who die while on active duty (S. Rept. 1303);

H.R. 13315, to improve the geographical definition of the two Federal judicial districts in Virginia (S. Rept. 1304);

S. 1206, private bill (S. Rept. 1305);

S. 3672, authorizing the creation of 392 new supergrade positions and also providing expanded authority of the Civil Service Commission in the use of its revolving fund (S. Rept. 1306);

S. 3095, proposed Health Manpower Act of 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 1307);

H.R. 3639, to establish standards for determining the safety of drugs for animals, with amendments (S. Rept. 1308);

H.R. 16819, proposed Vocational Rehabilitation Amendments of 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 1309);

H.R. 16429, providing for conveyance by Secretary of the Interior of certain lands and interests in lands in Grand and Clear Creek Counties, Colo., in exchange for certain lands within the national forests of Colorado (S. Rept. 1310);

S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act (S. Rept. 1311); and

S.J. Res. 130, authorizing the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvements industry, with amendment (S. Rept. 1312). **Pages 18152, 18227**

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. **Page 18151**

Taxation: By 64 yeas to 16 nays, Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 15414, proposed Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968. This action cleared bill for President's signature. **Pages 18152–18180**

Public Building: Senate cleared for President's signature S. 3363, designating the U.S. Customs House building in Providence, R.I., as the "John E. Fogarty Building," when it concurred in House amendments thereto.

S. 3159, authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. **Pages 18192–18193**

Public Buildings—Physically Handicapped: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 222, to insure that all public buildings shall be constructed so as to be reasonably accessible to the physically handicapped, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Randolph, Jordan of North Carolina, Inouye, Fong, and Boggs. **Page 18193**

Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 171, private bill, clearing same for President.

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ASCS: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1028, extending certain benefits to employees of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. This action cleared bill for President. Page 18194

Food for Freedom: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 2986, to provide for a 3-year extension of Public Law 480 of the 83d Congress, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Eastland, Talmadge, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs. Pages 18194–18195

Military Construction: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction.

The unanimous-consent agreement to limit debate entered into on June 18 was modified so that debate will be limited to 3 hours, equally divided, instead of 30 minutes, equally divided, on pending Cooper (and others) amendment No. 854 (to committee amendment in nature of a substitute for bill) barring use of any authorized funds for an anti-ballistic-missile system prior to fiscal year beginning July 1, 1969.

Pages 18180, 18201–18226

Treaty Reported: International Coffee Agreement, 1968 (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.) was reported (Ex. Rept. 7). Page 18228

Confirmations: Two civilian and one judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 18255

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Two civilian; one Army in the rank of general; and seven Navy in the rank of admiral. Page 18255

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies. As approved by the committee the bill would appropriate a total of $1,402,975,800, a decrease of $8,704,500 from the House-passed bill of $1,411,680,300.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were John J. Walsh, an investigator of the subcommittee's staff; Winston Moore, superintendent of Cook County Jail, and a psychologist with the Chicago Board of Education; and George Rose, a defector from the Blackstone Rangers street gang of Chicago.

Hearings continue on Monday, June 24.

COLORADO LAND CONVEYANCE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 16429, a private bill, authorizing exchange of public lands in Colorado, prior to which action, in open session, testimony in connection therewith was received from Edward P. Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and Boyd L. Rasmussen, Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

COMPETITION IN MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued hearings on competitive practices in the field of military procurement, having as its witnesses Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S.; and Prof. Frederic M. Scherer, department of economics, University of Michigan.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session for the consideration of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not conclude action thereon and will meet again on Monday, June 24.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

ROCKET LAUNCHER PROCUREMENT

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and considered procurement of rocket launchers. Testimony was heard from Department of Defense witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 2515, Redwood National Park. No announcements were made.

SEC

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 7696, to amend SEC Act; and H.J. Res. 946, to amend SEC Act. Testimony was heard from Manuel F. Cohen, Chairman, SEC, and public witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ADVANCED NUCLEAR SUB

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on plans for the advanced nuclear submarine. Witnesses heard were R. E. Hollingsworth, General Manager, Atomic Energy Commission; Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Deputy Commander for Nuclear Propulsion, Naval Ship Systems Command; Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering; and Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development.

Monday, June 24, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18344–18376

Bills Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3676–3678; and S.J. Res. 184. Pages 18350–18351

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 15789, authorizing military contracts for services and supplies to extend for 5 years for operation and maintenance of facilities and equipment (S. Rept. 1313);

H.R. 5783, to make uniform the laws covering the administration of military correctional facilities and treatment of persons convicted under court-martial (S. Rept. 1314);

H.R. 13050, increasing the number of Navy officers who may be designated as specialists in various technical and professional fields (S. Rept. 1315);

H.R. 13593, increasing from five to nine the number of alternates each Congressman is entitled to nominate for vacancies at the military academies (S. Rept. 1316);

H.R. 17024, relating to the prosecution of postal service employees for failure to remit postage-due collections (S. Rept. 1317). Page 18350

President's Message—Gun Control: President transmitted message urging enactment of legislation to control interstate traffic in long guns and to reinforce Federal gun-control laws by requiring national registration of all firearms and the Federal licensing of all possessors of firearms in those States whose laws do not meet minimum Federal standards—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 18411–18412

Fish and Wildlife: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 15979, to prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of pesticides. Pages 18356–18358

Flag Desecration: H.R. 10480, to make it a Federal crime to desecrate the U.S. flag, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 18358–18359

Public Lands—Colorado: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 16429, providing for conveyance by Secretary of the Interior of certain lands and interests in lands in Grand and Clear Creek Counties, Colo., in exchange for certain lands within the national forests of Colorado. Page 18361

Atomic Energy: Vice President appointed Senators Pastore and Hickenlooper to attend the 12th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency to be held in Vienna, Austria, on September 24, 1968. Page 18412

Military Construction: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction, rejecting two amendments to committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as follows:

By 34 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cooper (and others) amendment No. 854 barring use of any authorized funds for an anti-ballistic-missile system prior to fiscal year beginning July 1, 1969; and by 12 yeas to 72 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Young (Ohio) amendment No. 851 to eliminate item of $227,300,000 in authorized funds for the Sentinel anti-ballistic-missile system.

Pending at adjournment was Clark amendment No. 859 to reduce authorized funds by approximately $48 million by accepting the lower of the two figures as between the House-passed amount and the Senate committee-reported amount in 44 items in the bill, and to delete items added to House-passed bill by Senate committee. Pages 18376–18411, 18412–18416

Calendar Call: On call of calendar 33 measures, of which 17 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Legal holidays: H.R. 15951, providing for uniform annual observance of certain holidays on Mondays;

Courts: H.R. 13315, to improve the geographical definition of the two Federal judicial districts in Virginia; and

Penal systems: H.R. 15216, authorizing the Federal Bureau of Prisons to lend technical assistance to State correctional institutions;

Tobacco: H.R. 17002, relating to conditions imposed in the transfer of certain tobacco acreage allotments;

Foot-and-mouth disease: H.R. 16451, to cooperate with governments of Central America in the control and eradication of foot-and-mouth disease;

Coast Guard: H.R. 16127, increasing limitation on number of officers in the Coast Guard;

Radio reception: H.R. 14910, giving the FCC authority to regulate the manufacture and distribution of devices which cause interference with radio reception;

Armed Forces: H.R. 10135, providing naturalization for surviving spouses of U.S. military personnel who die while on active duty; and

Private bills: Six private bills, H.R. 1705, 1884, 7882, 8481, 10003, and 11959.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Immigration—Armed Forces: H.R. 15147, providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961; and

Postal uniforms: H.R. 10773, to permit the wearing of the uniform of U.S. letter carriers in theatrical and related productions under certain conditions;

Drugs: H.R. 3639, to establish standards for determining the safety of drugs for animals; and

Vocational rehabilitation: H.R. 16819, proposed Vocational Rehabilitation Amendments of 1968.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Youth week: S.J. Res. 153, proclaiming the week beginning May 1 as "Youth Week";

Family reunion day: S.J. Res. 165, authorizing President to proclaim August 11, 1968, as "Family Reunion Day"; and

Private bills: Seven private bills, S. 1501, 2385, and 2675, 3038, 3039, 3210, and 1206.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Health: S. 3095, proposed Health Manpower Act of 1968; and

Private bills: Four private bills, S. 3012, 2731, 2181, and 3041.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

World farm center: H. Con. Res. 413, to further advance international agriculture through the concept of a world farm center. Pages 18345–18350, 18416–18433

Authority To Meet: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, June 25. Page 18433

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: William H. Crook, of Texas, to be Ambassador to Australia; Robert F. Wagner, of New York, to be Ambassador to Spain; David S. King, of Utah, now Ambassador to the Malagasy Republic, to serve concurrently as Ambassador to Mauritius; H. Brooks James, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Administrator of Agency for International Development; John W. Townsend, Jr., of Maryland, to be Deputy Administrator, Environmental Science Services Administration; and four judicial. Page 18434

Nominations: One judicial nomination and numerous nominations in the Public Health Service were received. Pages 18433–18434

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee began hearings on S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, receiving testimony from Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman; Fred V. Heinkel, Midcontinent Farmers Association, Columbia, Mo.; Reuben L. Johnson, National Farmers Union; Harry L. Graham, National Grange; and E. M. Norton, National Milk Producers Federation.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, after receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his agency from James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

DEFENSE PRODUCTION, AND INTEREST RATES

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17268, to extend the Defense Production Act; and S. 3133, extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow to consider S. 356, relating to branch offices of the Michigan National Bank, Lansing.

SEA-GRANT COLLEGES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration, having as its witnesses Senator Pell; Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, accompanied by Robert B. Abel, Head, Office of Sea Grant Program, both of the National Science Foundation; Dr. Edward Wenk, Jr., National Council of Marine Resources and Engineering Development; and Dr. Joseph Henderson, director, Applied Research Laboratory, Seattle, and member of the NSF's Sea Grant Institutional Advisory Panel.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 1514, relating to the rehabilitation of narcotic addicts in the D.C.; S. 1628, authorizing D.C. government to sue for delinquent taxes and obtain judgments in the courts of the States on a reciprocal basis; H.R. 3931, to change the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C., to the National Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C.; H.R. 8581, to remove sales

price limitation for reports of the opinions of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. circuit; S. 3456, providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct or obscene acts shall be conducted in the name of the D.C.; S. 2439, increasing the number of judges on the D.C. court of general sessions, and increasing salaries therefor; H.R. 14330, proposed D.C. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Act; S. 1739, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the D.C. except as an incident to the practice of law; S. 2589, to regulate numerous aspects of retail installment sales contracts with consumers in the D.C. (with amendments); S. 2592, prohibiting enforcement of a security interest in real property in the D.C. except through court order (with amendments); and H.R. 13402, authorizing use of certain buildings in the D.C. for chancery purposes.

Committee will hold another executive meeting on Thursday, June 27.

D.C. LIFE INSURANCE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on H.R. 10213 and S. 1786, to permit Canadian life insurance companies to make prompt public announcement of their financial standing, with testimony from Warren G. Elliott, associate general counsel, Life Insurance Association of America, accompanied by Paul Gibson, Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada; and Maximilian Wallach, Actuary, D.C. Department of Insurance.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were Rev. John R. Fry, First Presbyterian Church, Chicago; Robert Pearson, investigator, prosecutor's office, Cook County, Ill.; James Houtsma and William P. Griffin, both of the Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FORT POINT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 2159, to establish the Fort Point National Historic Site in San Francisco, with testimony from Harthon L. Bill, Deputy Director, accompanied by Frank E. Harrison, Assistant to the Director, both of the National Bank Service, Department of the Interior; and Loney W. Hart, Chief, Legislative Services Office, Office of the Chief of Army Engineers.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 3305 and S. 3306, providing for Federal jurisdiction and a body of uniform Federal law for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, receiving testimony from Prof. Andreas Lowenfeld, New York University School of Law.

Hearings continue on Thursday, July 18.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in businesses affecting interstate commerce, having as its witnesses Dr. David Goldstein, Industrial Medical Association, Chicago; Andrew Kalmykow, American Insurance Association, Washington, D.C.; Dr. Burton D. Dinman and Dr. Carl U. Dernehl, both of the Institute of Industrial Health, University of Michigan; and George D. Clayton, American Industrial Hygiene Association, Detroit.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 28.

FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971. As approved by the committee the bill would authorize $3.6 billion each for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for the interstate program, and $1.2 billion and $1.4 billion, respectively, for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 for the ABC system.

Committee also considered, but did not conclude action on, a proposed omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, and will meet again on Thursday, June 27, for its further consideration.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Roads approved for full committee consideration S. 3418.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 18061–18070; 19 private bills, H.R. 18071–18099; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1362 and 1363, and H. Con. Res. 791, were introduced. Pages 18343–18344

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 17735, the State Firearms Control Assistance Act, amended, filed on Saturday, June 22 (H. Rept. 1577);

Report entitled "Foreign Research Dollar Drain" (H. Rept. 1578);

Report entitled "The Critical Need for a National Inventory of Industrial Wastes (Water Pollution Control and Abatement)" (H. Rept. 1579); and

Report entitled "The Uninsured Government Contractor" (H. Rept. 1580). Page 18343

Continuing Resolution: Granted permission, on a request from the chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, for the consideration of a continuing resolution on Wednesday, June 26, or any day thereafter.

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Agricultural Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16913, to make general appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Whitten, Natcher, Hull, Morris, Shipley, Mahon, Michel, Langen, Harrison, and Jonas.

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Credit Unions: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14907, the Federal Credit Union Act amendments, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Page 18296

Export-Import Bank: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 16162, to enable the Export-Import Bank of the United States to approve extension of loans, guarantees, and insurance, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Page 18297

Banks Protection Act: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15345, the Banks Protection Act, thus clearing the measure for Presidential action. Pages 18297–18299

Presidential Message—Railroad Retirement: Received a message from the President transmitting the annual report of the Railroad Retirement Board—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. No. 237). Page 18300

Metric System: By a record vote of 270 yeas to 42 nays, the House passed H.R. 3136, to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to make a study to determine the advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the metric system in the United States.

Adopted an amendment regarding funding of the program; and two amendments providing guidelines for certain studies.

H. Res. 1148, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 18300–18317

National Wildlife Refuge: Passed by a voice vote S. 322, to restrict the disposition of lands acquired as part of the national wildlife refuge system.

Adopted the committee amendment.

H. Res. 1219, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 18305–18306, 18317–18319

Presidential Message—Gun Control: Received and read the President's message regarding gun-control legislation—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 332).

Pages 18330–18331

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Harold Brown, Secretary of Air Force.

FOREIGN BUILDINGS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and considered foreign buildings legislation. No announcements were made.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS –HUNTING CREEK

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations held a hearing on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from GAO witnesses.

Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power held a hearing on Hunting Creek, Va., permit. Testimony was heard from Representatives Reuss and Saylor and a departmental and a public witness.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 551, amended, authorizes the establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in the State of Florida.

SUPPLEMENTAL AIR TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 17685, define "supplemental air transportation." Testimony was heard from Representatives Cohelan and George Miller and departmental and public witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representative Keith and public witnesses.

Tuesday, June 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 18496–18523

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3679–3684; and S. Res. 306–307.

Pages 18506, 18507–18508

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1514, relating to the rehabilitation of narcotic addicts in the D.C. (S. Rept. 1318);

H.R. 3931, to change the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C., to the National Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C. (S. Rept. 1319);

H.R. 8581, to remove sales price limitation for reports of the opinions of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. circuit (S. Rept. 1320);

S. 1628, authorizing D.C. government to sue for delinquent taxes and obtain judgments in the courts of the States on a reciprocal basis, with amendments (S. Rept. 1321); and

H.R. 17268, to extend the Defense Production Act, with amendment, and with individual and supplemental views (S. Rept. 1322). Page 18506

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 18504

Government Employees—Supergrades: Senate passed without amendment S. 3672, authorizing the creation of 392 new supergrade positions and also providing expanded authority of the Civil Service Commission in the use of its revolving fund. Pages 18500–18503

Committee Assignment: Senate adopted S. Res. 307, providing for assignment of Senator Mondale to service on the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare in lieu of the late Senator Kennedy of New York.

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Maritime Authorizations: Senate insisted on its amendment to H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Hart, Brewster, Griffin, and Prouty.

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Military Construction: By 78 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction, as amended by committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute for the bill). Prior to adoption of committee amendment the following amendments thereto were rejected:

By 25 yeas to 57 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment No. 859 to reduce authorized funds by approximately $48 million by accepting the lower of the two figures as between the House-passed amount and the Senate committee reported amount in 44 items in the bill, and to delete items added to House-passed bill by Senate committee; by 18 yeas to 62 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Clark amendment No. 857 to eliminate item authorizing $17,384,000 for Army facilities in Germany; by 21 yeas to 60 nays, modified Clark amendment No. 858 to reduce by 10 percent the authorizations for expenditure within the U.S. by the Department of the Army under title I of the bill; by 14 yeas to 64 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Clark amendment No. 864 to reduce by 10 percent the authorizations for each military department for new housing under title VI of the bill; by 16 yeas to 61 nays, Clark amendments Nos. 861 and 862, en bloc, to reduce by 10 percent the authorizations for the Departments of the Navy and Air Force under titles II and III of the bill, respectively (motion to reconsider tabled); and by 34 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Thurmond amendment No. 855 to authorize $280,000 for operational facilities for Charleston, S.C., Air Force Base.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Ervin, Cannon, Inouye, Thurmond, and Tower. Pages 18523–18539

Calendar Call: On call of calendar six bills, of which one was private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Public lands: H.R. 17320, a private bill relating to an easement to St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co.;

Military contracts: H.R. 15789, authorizing military contracts for services and supplies to extend for 5 years for operation and maintenance of facilities and equipment;

Military justice: H.R. 5783, to make uniform the laws covering the administration of military correctional facilities and treatment of persons convicted under court-martial;

Naval officers: H.R. 13050, increasing the number of Navy officers who may be designated as specialists in various technical and professional fields;

Military academies: H.R. 13593, increasing from five to nine the number of alternates each Congressman is entitled to nominate for vacancies at the military academies;

Postal embezzlement: H.R. 17024, relating to the prosecution of postal service employees for failure to remit postage-due collections. Pages 18538–18539

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Senate began consideration of H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, adopting all committee amendments en bloc with the proviso that they be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Pending at adjournment was Proxmire amendment No. 856 to reduce by $268 million funds for B–52 bombing operations in Vietnam.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Proxmire amendment No. 856 will be voted on at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 26, and that during its further consideration after transaction of routine morning business on June 26, time for debate thereon will be equally divided.

Pages 18539–18551

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, to be Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for an additional term of 1 year; and numerous nominations in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger; Carter L. Burgess, of New York, to be Ambassador to Argentina; Thomas W. McElhiney, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana; Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, and James T. Ramey, of Illinois, to be members of the Atomic Energy Commission; one Army in the rank of general; one Air Force in the rank of general; and 54 postmasters.

Pages 18551–18552

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STOCKYARDS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 10673, clarifying the term "stockyard" under the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921.

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee continued hearings on S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, receiving testimony from Charles H. Shuman, American Farm Bureau Federation; Edward Dunkelberger, National Canners Association; Bill House, American National Cattlemen's Association; Don F. Magdanz, National Livestock Feeders Association; Carl C. Farrington, Millers National Federation, Minneapolis; Donald M. Mennel, National Soft Wheat Millers Association, Fostoria, Ohio: and William F. Brooks, National Grain Trade Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with testimony on health items in the bill from several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomrorow.

ICC ORDERS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 2687, making orders of the ICC reviewable by U.S. courts of appeals as are orders of other major Federal regulatory agencies, having as its witnesses Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, accompanied by Robert W. Ginnane, General Counsel, both of the Interstate Commerce Commission; Judge John Biggs, Jr., Court of Appeals of the Third Circuit, Judicial Conference of the U.S.; Harry Breithaupt, Jr., Association of American Railroads, Washington, D.C.; Vernon Baker, Motor Carrier Lawyers Association, Washington, D.C.; and Richard Sigmon, Association of Interstate Commerce Commission Practitioners, Washington, D.C.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FOREIGN TRAVEL TAX

Committee on Finance: Committee began hearings on H.R. 16241, to impose an excise tax on overseas air transportation tickets, and to reduce customs exemptions for residents returning from abroad, having as its witness Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Secretary Fowler.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were Rev. John R. Fry, First Presbyterian Church, Chicago; and LaVern J. Duffy, Assistant Counsel of the Subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on H.R. 10911, providing for preparation of a roll of persons of California Indian descent who are eligible to share in certain judgment funds, with testimony from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; and on H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak., with testimony from Representative Berry; Commissioner Bennett; Richard Shifter, Oglala Sioux tribal attorney; and several members of the Oglala Sioux Tribe of Indians.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee began a series of hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from David O. Maxwell, State insurance commissioner, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education resumed in executive session to consider S. 3098, S. 3099, and H.R. 16729, proposed higher education amendments of 1968, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 18100–18117; 21 private bills, H.R. 18118–18138; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1364–1367, and H. Res. 1224–1228, were introduced. Pages 18773–18774

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1224, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 10564, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act (H. Rept. 1581);

H. Res. 1225, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 14096, regarding penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs (H. Rept. 1582);

H. Res. 1226, to provide for the consideration of S. 2484, to authorize the extension of the additional Senate Office Building site (H. Rept. 1583);

H.R. 17134, the Federal-aid Highway Act of 1968, amended (H. Rept. 1584); and

H.R. 17989, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (H. Rept. 1585). Page 18773

U.S. Flag: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 10480, to make it a Federal crime to desecrate the U.S. flag, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 18558

Vocational Rehabilitation: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 16819, the Vocational Rehabilitation Act amendments, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Page 18558

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Concluded all general debate on and commenced reading for amendment H.R. 18037, the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare appropriation bill, 1969. During the consideration of the bill, while in the Committee of the Whole, the House tentatively rejected amendments regarding—

Funding of the manpower development and training activities;

Increase in appropriation for Federal contract compliance and civil rights program; and

Increase in appropriation for bilingual program.

The House was considering the "drop out" program amendment when it arose.

The legislation will be further considered by the House on Wednesday. Pages 18558–18599

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15896, and related bills, to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1964. No announcements were made.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Dr. Harold Brown, Secretary of the Air Force, and Gen. John P. McConnell, Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force.

FEDERAL RESERVE ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 16092, extends for 1 year Federal Reserve Act more flexible regulations. Testimony was heard from John Horne, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board, and Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

AFRICA—BRIEFING—USIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on H.R. 17404, to provide for an African Cultural and Technical Institute Commission. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing from Benjamin H. Oehlert, U.S. Ambassador to Pakistan.

Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and considered S. 633, USIA personnel legislation. No announcements were made.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEM—U.S. HISTORY—INAUGURAL COMMISSION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Representative Matsunaga and Army witnesses.

Subcommittee on Government Activities met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14287, amended, to extend for 10 years the gathering of U.S. history authorization; and H.R. 18040, to authorize inaugural committee assistance. Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bills. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 10951, amended, to establish Redwoods National Park, Calif.

SUPPLEMENTAL AIR TRANSPORTATION—INVESTIGATIONS—STATE TECHNICAL SERVICES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics continued hearings on H.R. 17685, to amend the FAA Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of "supplemental air transportation." Testimony was heard from CAB and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in ex-

ecutive session and approved for full committee action H.J. Res. 946, to authorize investigation of the effect on the securities markets of the operation of institutional investors; H.R. 7696, to permit regulation of the amount of credit that may be extended and maintained with respect to securities that are not registered on a national securities exchange; and H.R. 16824, to extend for an additional year the authorization of appropriations under the State Technical Services Act of 1965.

FEDERAL MAGISTRATES

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and began consideration of S. 945, to establish a system of Federal magistrates. No announcements were made.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 1035, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from CIA witnesses.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL—INTERSTATE WEIGHTS AND WIDTH

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Representative George Miller and the Corps of Engineers.

Subcommittee on Roads met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2658, raises the allowable limits of motor vehicle weights and width limitations now under Federal control of the Interstate System.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Took the following action:

On H.R. 10564, marketing orders on pears for canning or freezing, granted an open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Foley and Charles Teague.

On H.R. 14096, increasing penalties for unlawful acts involving LSD and other depressant and stimulant drugs, granted an open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Staggers and Paul Rogers.

On S. 2484, authorization for extension of New Senate Office Building site, granted an open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Gray and Grover.

On H.R. 17126, Food and Agriculture Act extension motion for reconsideration failed.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development held a hearing on H.R. 875, national institutional grants program. Testimony was heard from department and public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

AGREEMENTS FOR COOPERATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Agreements for Cooperation held hearings on proposed agreements with Japan, Denmark, Ireland, and the Philippines, having as its witnesses Gerald F. Tape, member, and Myron B. Kratzer, Assistant General Manager for International Activities, both of the Atomic Energy Commission; and Herman Pollack, Director of International Scientific and Technological Affairs, State Department.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, having as its witnesses Henry Hazlitt, formerly contributing editor of Newsweek; Robert Theobald, author of "The Guaranteed Income"; Daniel Thursz, dean, school of social work, University of Maryland, Baltimore; and Luther Tyson, representing the National Council of Churches of Christ of the U.S.A.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1401, proposed Land and Water Conservation Fund Act amendments.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 16 bills and two resolutions were introduced as follows: S. 3685-3700; and S. Res. 308–309.

Pages 18780, 18789

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2960, establishing Commissioned Officer Corps of the Environmental Science Services Administration, with amendments (S. Rept. 1323);

S. Res. 305, to print as a Senate document "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution" (S. Rept. 1324);

S. Res. 303, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (S. Rept. 1325);

S. Con. Res. 77, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of hearings on "Status and Future of Small Business" (S. Rept. 1326);

S. Con. Res. 75, authorizing acceptance for the National Statuary Hall collection of statues of Father Damien and King Kamehameha I, presented by the State of Hawaii (S. Rept. 1327);

H. Con. Res. 785, relating to pay of U.S. Capitol Police for duty performed during emergencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1328);

S. Res. 304, to print as a Senate document the tribute by Senator Kennedy of Massachusetts to his brother, the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy (S. Rept. 1329);

S.J. Res. 171, to provide for appointment of Robert S. McNamara as a Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (S. Rept. 1330);

S. Res. 308, authorizing expenditure by Committee on the District of Columbia of an additional $5,000 (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 309, providing for payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report). Pages 18780–18789

President's Communication—Safe Streets and Crime Control: President submitted communication calling upon Congress to provide approximately $100 million for fiscal year 1969 to strengthen the law enforcement machinery of States and cities pursuant to the safe streets and crime control bill signed into law last week—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 85. Page 18788

Private Bill: H.R. 13373, a private bill, was passed without amendment and cleared for President.

Pages 18789–18790

Second Supplemental Appropriations: By 87 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, after rejecting, by 10 yeas to 79 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment No. 856 (to committee amendment) to reduce by $268 million funds for B–52 bombing operations in Vietnam.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pastore, Holland, Ellender, Hill, Magnuson, Mundt, Young of North Dakota, and Smith. Pages 18831–18844

Defense Production: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 17268, to extend the Defense Production Act, after adopting committee amendment; and, by 57 yeas to 32 nays, Proxmire amendment providing for a study to be made by Comptroller General, in cooperation with Secretary of Defense and Director of the Budget, to determine feasibility of applying uniform cost accounting standards to be used in all negotiated prime contract and subcontract defense procurements of $100,000 or more (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 18847–18852

Interior Appropriations: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, after adopting committee amendments en bloc, and a Bible amendment of a technical, corrective nature.

Senate rejected Harris amendment to increase by $4.35 million funds for Education and Welfare Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hayden, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Mundt, and Young of North Dakota. Pages 18853–18856, 18858–18861

Senate Authorizations: During adjournment of Senate until noon Friday, June 28, President pro tempore was authorized to sign enrolled bills, Secretary of Senate to receive messages from House, and all committees to file reports. Page 18861

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed four bills, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C.: H.R. 3931, to change the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C., to the National Conference of State Societies; and

D.C.: H.R. 8581, to remove sales price limitation for reports of the opinions of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. circuit;

Without amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 1514, relating to the rehabilitation of narcotic addicts in the D.C.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 1628, authorizing D.C. government to sue for delinquent taxes and obtain judgments in the courts of the States on a reciprocal basis.

Pages 18872–18874

Treaty—International Coffee Agreement: By unanimous consent it was agreed that vote on resolution of ratification of the International Coffee Agreement (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.) be taken at 2 p.m. on Friday, June 28. Pages 18853, 18861–18872

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Four judicial nominations, including those of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, and Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be

an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court; and three Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

Pages 18874–18875

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, after receiving testimony from John C. York, Eastern Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Syracuse; Fred J. Greiner, Milk Industry Foundation; Frank Heffelfinger, Grain & Feed Dealers National Association, Fort Wayne, Ind.; and Joseph M. Creed, American Bakers Association and Biscuit & Cracker Manufacturers Association.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for her department from Winifred G. Thompson, Director, Department of Public Welfare, D.C., who was accompanied by her associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with further testimony on health items in the bill from several public witnesses.

WILDLIFE RESOURCES

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 2951 and S. 3212, vesting in the States rights and control of fish and wildlife in their territorial land and waters, with testimony from Senators Bennett, Fannin, Hansen, and Hatfield; and Charles A. Hobbs, Washington, D.C., representing several Indian tribes.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN TRAVEL TAX

Committee on Finance: Committee continued its hearings on H.R. 16241, to impose an exicse tax on overseas air transportation tickets, and to reduce customs exemptions for residents returning from abroad, receiving further testimony from Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard today were Rev. John R. Fry, First Presbyterian Church, Chicago; William P. Griffin, Chicago Police Department; Robert Pearson, investigator, Prosecutor's Office, Cook County, Ill.; George Rose, a defector from the Blackstone Rangers street gang of Chicago; and Anna Belle Martin, of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee began hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, having as its witnesses Senator Brooke; Attorney General Ramsey Clark; Mayor of New York John V. Lindsay, representing the National League of Cities; Sheldon Cohen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; Col. John Glenn, Emergency Committee for Gun Controls; and Arthur Sills, Attorney General of New Jersey.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses H. O. Hirt, Erie Insurance Exchange, Pennsylvania; Fred DeBergh, insurance agent and broker of Fair Lawn, N.J.; Joe T. Kelley, Georgia Association of Independent Insurance Agents, Macon; and Fred Jasper, Jasper Reports, Inc., Chicago.

Hearings continue on Friday, June 28.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 2938, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act; and S. 3063, to provide financial aid for employment programs for low-income persons in both urban and rural areas.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Education met in executive session to consider pending higher education legislation, but made no announcements.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Affairs held hearings on H.R. 15387, to provide for disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties, with testimony from James Rademacher, National Association of Letter Carriers,

AFL–CIO; Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General; Nathaniel Kossack, First Assistant to the Assistant Attorney General (Criminal Division); Dan Jaspan, National Association of Postal Supervisors; John Griner, American Federation of Government Employees; Nathan Wolkomir, National Federation of Federal Employees; Henry Wilson, Laborers International Union of North America; and John A. McCart, Government Employees' Council.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H. Con. Res. 785, relating to pay of U.S. Capitol Police for duty performed during emergencies (amended); S. Con. Res. 75, authorizing acceptance for the National Statuary Hall collection of statues of Father Damien and King Kamehameha I, presented by the State of Hawaii; S. Con. Res. 77, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of hearings on "Status and Future of Small Business"; S. Res. 303, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders"; S. Res. 304, to print as a Senate document the tribute by Senator Edward M. Kennedy to his brother, the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy; S. Res. 305, to print as a Senate document "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution"; S.J. Res. 171, providing for appointment of Robert S. McNamara as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; and an original resolution (S. Res. 309) providing for payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 18139–18159; 28 private bills, H.R. 18160–18187; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1368 and 1369, and H. Res. 1229, were introduced. Pages 18941, 18981–18982

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 17682, relating to civil service retirement, amended (H. Rept. 1586);

H.R. 15263, to amend further the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, amended (H. Rept. 1587);

H.J. Res. 1368, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1969 (H. Rept. 1588);

H.R. 17872, to amend the National School Lunch Act, amended (H. Rept. 1589); and

H.R. 17873, to amend the National School Lunch Act, amended (H. Rept. 1590). Page 18981

Late Report: Granted permission to the Committee on Appropriations to file a report by midnight Thursday, June 27, on the Department of Transportation appropriation. Page 18875

Labor-HEW Appropriation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 18037, the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare Appropriation Act, 1969.

Rejected by a voice vote the motion to recommit the bill with instructions to limit total spending to approximately $16.8 billion. Adopted the motion to order the previous question, on the motion to recommit, by a record vote of 275 yeas to 126 nays.

Adopted amendments designed to—

Increase funds for impacted school areas;

Provide additional funds for education professions development activities (by a record vote of 228 yeas to 172 nays); and

Provide additional funds for educationally deprived children.

Rejected amendments regarding—

Increased funds for "Dropout" program;

Increased funds for textbooks;

Additional funds for the Teacher Corps;

Increased funds for comprehensive health services and rat control;

Busing of students;

Restoration to the 1968 levels the appropriations for the National Cancer Institute;

Cut in appropriations for the Office of Economic Opportunity; and

Reduction to the 1968 level of all appropriations.

Pages 18876–18942

House Employees' Salaries: Adopted H. Res. 1229, to authorize advance out of the contingent fund of the House of Representatives for salaries for the month of June 1968. Page 18941

Adjournment: Adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered a clean bill reported in lieu of H.R. 15896, amended, increasing authorization for 1969 food stamp program from $225 million to $245 million.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and continued consideration of S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Air Force witnesses.

FEDERAL RESERVE ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 16092, extends for 1 year Federal Reserve Act more flexible regulations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

D.C. TRANSIT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill to provide for payment of school fare subsidy to D.C. Transit, Inc., and to eliminate requirement of track removal.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 16802 and H.R. 17554, to increase the size of the Gallaudet College Board of Directors. Testimony was heard from Dr. Paul A. Miller, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, Dr. Leonard M. Elstad, president of Gallaudet College, and Judge Linton Collins, member of Gallaudet College Board of Directors.

MILITARY EXPORTS—USIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on H.R. 15681, consolidate and revise foreign assistance legislation relating to reimbursable military exports. Testimony was heard from Clark Clifford, Secretary of Defense.

Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations met in executive session and approved for full Committee action S. 633, amended, USIA personnel legislation. No announcements were made.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from an Army witness.

SCENIC RIVERS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee met and considered H.R. 8416, to establish a national scenic rivers system.

TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16024, amended, high-speed ground transportation authorization.

PENDING BUSINESS—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and considered pending legislation. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing and acted on several private claims bills.

MARITIME PROGRAM—FISH PROTEIN

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 13940, to establish a new maritime program. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife held a hearing on H.R. 15490, relating to the development of fish protein concentrate. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MORALE PROBLEMS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hearings on morale problems in the postal service. Testimony was heard from employee organization witnesses.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Representatives Celler, Pike, Fascell, Jack Edwards, Patman, Waggonner, Reifel, Willis, Dulski, and Madden, and departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Sikes, Speedy Long, and Young.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Deferred action on the following bills:

H.R. 11026, conservation program on military reservations; testimony was heard from Representatives Sikes, Dingell, and Pelly.

S. 2269, Fishermen's Protective Act of 1967; testimony was heard from Representatives Dingell and Pelly.

Granted the following open rules:

H.R. 15758, grants for regional medical programs, health of agricultural migrant workers, and alcoholic and narcotic addict rehabilitation facilities, testimony was heard from Representatives Staggers, Springer, and Paul Rogers.

Ordered reported to the House H. Res. 148, amended, to change the name of the Committee on Un-American Activities; testimony was heard from Representatives Ichord, Willis, Del Clawson and Pool.

Began but did not complete hearings on H. Res. 1, creating a joint committee to investigate crime; testimony was heard from Representatives Pepper, Kelly, Howard, Winn, and Schwengel.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, national institutional grants program. Testimony was heard from Dr. Leland J. Haworth, Director, National Science Foundation.

TARIFF AND TRADE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard

from Representatives Bates, Dent, and McEwen, and Senators Javits and Muskie, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate section of the committee held hearings on the nominations of Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg and James T. Ramey, for reappointment to the Atomic Energy Commission, where the nominees were present to testify on their own behalf.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy continued its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, having as its witnesses Representative Ryan; Eveline Burns, Professor Emeritus, School of Social Work, Columbia University; Dean James R. Dumpson, School of Social Work, Fordham University; and W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Thursday, June 27, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, with further testimony in behalf of funds for her department from Winifred G. Thompson, Director, Department of Public Welfare, D.C.

Hearings were continued in an evening session to receive testimony on funds for D.C. schools.

APPROPRIATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Attorney General Ramsey Clark, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the legislative branch, after receiving testimony on funds for the Office of the Senate Sergeant at Arms.

Subcommittee will meet in executive session tomorrow to mark up this legislation.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on civil functions section of H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works, after receiving testimony from departmental witnesses on funds for the Corps of Army Engineers.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance resumed hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of eastern Europe, having as its witnesses Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Isaiah Frank, school of advanced international studies, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore; Prof. Harold Berman, Harvard Law School; Randal Teague, Young Americans for Freedom, Washington, D.C.; and William B. Hicks, Liberty Lobby.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 17.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following: S. 3514, authorizing the use of the vessel *Mouette* in the coastwise trade; S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation" (amended); H.R. 3400, to amend the Federal Aviation Act so as to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation (amended); S. 3641, authorizing Federal financial assistance in the development and construction of airports (amended); S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller (amended); H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration (amended); and H.R. 3136, to authorize a study to determine advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the metric system in the U.S. (amended).

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation approved for full committee consideration S. 751, authorizing ICC to require establishment of through routes and joint rates between motor carriers and between motor carriers and other common carriers

(amended); S. 1175, extending time period for the notice of proposed discontinuance of service required of carriers by rail or ferry under the Interstate Commerce Act (amended); S.J. Res. 52, providing for preparation and submission to the Congress of a master ground transportation plan for the U.S. (amended); S. Con. Res. 25, calling for a study to determine the potential of railroad passenger and mail transportation in the U.S. (amended); and S. 2687, making orders of the ICC reviewable by U.S. courts of appeals as are orders of other major Federal regulatory agencies.

Also, subcommittee considered S. 927, to prohibit discriminatory assessment of transportation property of common carriers, and agreed to recommend that the full committee appoint an ad hoc committee to study this matter and report back its findings thereon next year.

INTERNATIONAL ANTIDUMPING CODE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on the proposed International Anti-Dumping Code, agreed to at Geneva during the Kennedy round of trade negotiations, with a view to determining whether the code is in conflict with present U.S. law concerning the sale in the U.S. of foreign-made goods priced below the selling price in the country of origin. Witnesses heard were Ambassador William M. Roth, special representative for trade negotiations; John C. Mundt, Lone Star Cement Corp.; John P. Roche, president, American Iron & Steel Institute; Bruce Clubb, U.S. Tariff Commission; and Frederick Hunt, a D.C. attorney.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 3091, proposed foreign aid authorizations for fiscal year 1969, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

GUN CONTROL, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, and a revised version of S. 3634, proposed Gun Crime Prevention Act of 1968, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Wednesday, July 10.

Also, committee approved for reporting S. 2628, to liberalize the corporate powers of the National Education Association; H.J. Res. 1302, designating the week of October 13, 1968, as "Salute to Eisenhower Week"; S.J. Res. 181, to designate week of August 4–10, 1968, as "Professional Photography Week"; S. 3679, to correct certain technical errors in Public Law 90–351, Safe Streets and Crime Control Act; H.J. Res. 1111, granting consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority; S. 2214, a private claim bill; and the annual report of its Subcommittee on Separation of Powers.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, having as its witnesses Representative Bingham; Arnold Kotz, Stanford Research Institute; Raymond F. Simon, corporation counsel, city of Chicago, appearing on behalf of Mayor Richard Daley; Gen. Francis Kane, director, gun registration program for the city of Chicago; and Franklin Orth and Harold Glassen, both of the National Rifle Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.S. MARSHALS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on S. 3184, directing the Attorney General to make appointments of U.S. marshals, and to cover such personnel under the civil service laws, with testimony from Representative Wolff; Leo M. Pellerzi, Assistant Attorney General; L. J. Andolsek, Commissioner, Civil Service Commission; George Ward, U.S. marshal, State of New York; Joe Keen, U.S. marshal, State of Louisiana; Tom Walters, American Federation of Government Employees; and John McCart, Government Employees Council, AFL–CIO.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL, AND OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

An original omnibus rivers and harbors—Flood Control bill (S. 3710);

S. 2525, to control pollution from vessels within navigable waters of the U.S. (amended);

S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 (reconsidered and approved with additional amendments);

The nomination of Brig. Gen. William M. Glasgow, Jr., to be a member of the California Debris Commission; and

The following watershed projects: Browns Creek, Miss.; Browns Creek, S.C.; Cane Creek, S.C. and N.C.; Chunky River, Miss.; Fitzgerald and Soldier Creeks, Okla.; Fourche Creek, Ark. and Mo.; Harquahala Valley, Ariz.; Little Walnut Creek, Ind.; Lower Elk River, Kans.; Nezinscot River, Maine; Okfuskee Tributaries, Okla.; Silver Creek, Miss.; and Upper Elk River, Kans.

SMALL BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Financing and Investment held hearings on the subject of small business and rural America, having as its witnesses John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Ross D. Davis, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development; Charles M. Haar, Assistant Secretary of HUD for Metropolitan Development; and

Joe W. Fleming, Federal Cochairman, Appalachian Regional Commission.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 18188–18214; 26 private bills, H.R. 18215–18240; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1370–1376, and H. Res. 1230–1233, were introduced. Pages 19147–19148

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1196, providing for further expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 179, amended (H. Rept. 1591);

H. Res. 1198, to provide funds for the Committee on Agriculture, amended (H. Rept. 1592);

H.R. 11233, to revise the Federal election laws, amended (H. Rept. 1593);

H. Res. 970, to extend the greetings of the U.S. House of Representatives to the Congress of the Philippines in commemoration of the arrival of the Thomasite teachers (H. Rept. 1594);

H.R. 15045, to extend certain expiring provisions unthe Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, amended (H. Rept. 1595);

H.R. 18188, the Department of Transportation appropriations (H. Rept. 1596); and

H.R. 163, to prevent vessels built or rebuilt outside the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 1597). Pages 19146–19147

Continuing Appropriations: The House passed by a voice vote H.J. Res. 1368, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1969. Pages 19063–19066

Interior Department Appropriation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17354, the Interior Department appropriations bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Hansen of Washington, Kirwan, Marsh, Flynt, Joelson, Mahon, Reifel, McDade, Harrison, and Jonas. Page 19066

Beryl Ore: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14367, to authorize the disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile and the supplemental stockpile, and sent the legislation back to the Senate. Pages 19066–19067

Defense Production: House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 17268, to extend Defense Production Act. This cleared bill for White House. Page 19067

National Science Foundation: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5404, to change the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation, thus clearing the measure for Presidential action. Pages 19067–19068

Reference Data: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 6279, the Standard Reference Data Act, and sent the legislation to the White House. Pages 19068–19069

Study Resolutions: The House adopted the following study resolutions:

H. Res. 1196, providing for further expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 179, amended; and

H. Res. 1198, to provide funds for the Committee on Agriculture, amended. Pages 19069–19070

Committee To Sit: Granted permission for the Committee on Armed Services to sit during general debate on Monday, July 1. Page 19070

Family Reunion Day: Passed S.J. Res. 165, to authorize the President to proclaim August 11, 1968, as "Family Reunion Day." Page 19070

Agricultural Assistance Act: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 2986, the Agricultural and Trade Development and Assistance Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Poage, Gathings, Jones of Missouri, Purcell, Belcher, Teague of California, and May. Page 19069

Presidential Message—Voting Age: Received and read a message from the President regarding voting age of 18—referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 334). Pages 19078–19079

Legislative Appropriations: By a record vote of 361 yeas to 22 nays, the House passed H.R. 18038, the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1969.

Rejected a motion to recommit to the Committee on Appropriations by a voice vote.

Adopted a technical amendment and rejected an amendment designed to reinstate the "internship program."

A point of order against an amendment was sustained. Pages 19082–19094

Supplemental Appropriation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17734, the second supplemental appropriation bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Whitten, Sikes, Natcher, Flood, Hansen of Washington, Jonas, Laird, Lipscomb, and Michel. Page 19094

Fish—Wildlife: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 15979, regarding injury to fish and wildlife by pesticides and other poisons, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Page 19095

D.C. Revenue: Granted permission that it be in order on Tuesday or Wednesday under general rules of the House to consider the D.C. revenue bill. Page 19098

Gas Pipeline: The House began general debate on S. 1166, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety standards for the transportation of natu-

ral and other gas by pipeline, and having come to no resolution thereon the Committee arose. (On a unanimous-consent request agreed to 30 minutes of remaining debate time.) Pages 19095–19105

Private Calendar: Agreed that H.R. 16187, a private bill, would be passed over on call of the Private Calendar on Tuesday, July 2, 1968. Page 19106

Receive and Sign: Granted permission for the Clerk to receive messages from the Senate and the Speaker to sign enrolled bills. Page 19106

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, July 3, 1968. Page 19106

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains held a hearing on H.R. 1059 and H.R. 10685, adjustment of certain wheat allotments. Testimony was heard from USDA and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives May and Skubitz.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATION

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the Department of Transportation appropriation bill.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and completed hearing testimony on S. 3293, 1969 military procurement authorization. Testimony was heard from Air Force witnesses.

FEDERAL RESERVE ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearings on H.R. 16092, extends for 1 year Federal Reserve Act more flexible regulations. Testimony was heard from J. L. Robertson, Governor, Federal Reserve Board of Governors.

HIGHER EDUCATION—AGING—GALLAUDET

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 16802, to increase the number of Gallaudet College Directors, and a clean bill in lieu of H.J. Res. 1271, White House Conference on Aging.

MILITARY EXPORTS—ETHIOPIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and continued consideration of H.R. 15681, consolidate and revise foreign assistance legislation relating to reimbursable military exports. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session with Haregot Abbai, the Lord Mayor of Asmara, Ethiopia.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Navy and Air Force witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 8416, to establish a system of national scenic rivers; ordered reported to the House H.R. 9362, amended, Mountain Park reclamation project; ordered reported to the House H.R. 4865, amended, to establish a system of nationwide trails; and ordered reported to the House S. 6, amended, authorization to operate, construct, and maintain the first stage of the Oahe unit, James Division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota.

STATE TECHNICAL SERVICES ACT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16824, amended, extends for an additional year the authorization of appropriations under the State Technical Services Act of 1965.

COPYRIGHT—PENDING BUSINESS—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S.J. Res. 172, extends copyright terms.

Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claims bills.

FISH PROTEIN—ALEWIFE—ANADROMOUS FISHING RESOURCES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine held hearings on H.R. 15490, development of fish protein concentrate; H.R. 15490, H.R. 11556, and H.R. 14228, Great Lakes alewife control or elimination; and H.R. 14228, relating to the conservation and enhancement of the Nation's anadromous fishing resources. Testimony was heard from Representatives Zablocki, Byrnes, and Vander Jagt, and departmental and public witnesses.

INVASION OF PRIVACY—MORALE PROBLEMS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from Frank Wozencraft, Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued hear-

ings on morale problems in the postal service. Testimony was heard from Richard J. Murphy, Assistant Postmaster General.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Corps of Engineers witnesses.

HIGHWAY AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, waiving points of order, on H.R. 17134, the 1970–71 highway construction authorization.

Testimony was heard on the request for a rule from Representatives Fallon, Kluczynski, Cramer, Wright, McCarthy, and Frazier.

FOREIGN SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 16903, to provide certain increases in annuities payable from the Foreign Service Retirement and Disability Fund.

Testimony was heard on the request to grant a rule from Representatives Hays, Adair, Dent, and Gross.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 1 hour of debate, on H.R. 15198, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances or a joint committee or joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective bargaining agreements.

Testimony was heard on the request to grant a rule from Representative Perkins.

HOUSING

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 4 hours of debate, waiving points of order, on H.R. 17989, to assist in the provision of housing for low- and moderate-income families, and to extend and amend laws relating to housing and urban development.

Testimony was heard on the request to grant a rule from Representatives Patman, Barrett, Widnall, and Williams.

CRIME

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.J. Res. 1, Joint Committee To Investigate Crime.

Testimony on the measure was heard from Representatives Boggs and McCulloch.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS PROGRAM

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, national grants program. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

RIOTS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings on subversive influences in riots, concerning San Francisco and Los Angeles areas. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Purcell, Matsunaga, and Robert Price, and Senator Tower, and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee announced that it had approved for reporting the nominations of Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg and James T. Ramey, for reappointment to the Atomic Energy Commission.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy concluded its series of hearings to review the present welfare system and various proposals for new forms of income maintenance, after receiving testimony from Representative Curtis; and Ronald C. Hayes, Michigan Catholic Charities Conference, who was accompanied by Msgr. Lawrence Cochran, National Conference of Catholic Charities.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19232–19323

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3701–3710; and S. Res. 310.

Pages 19232, 19236

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 10673, clarifying the term "stockyard" under the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921 (S. Rept. 1331)—reported during Senate adjournment on June 27 under prior authorization;

H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act, with amendment and with supplemental views (S. Rept. 1332);

H.J. Res. 1111, granting consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority (S. Rept. 1333);

S. 2214, private bill (S. Rept. 1334);

S.J. Res. 181, to designate week of August 4–10, 1968, as "Professional Photography Week" (S. Rept. 1335);

H.J. Res. 1302, designating the week of October 13, 1968, as "Salute to Eisenhower Week" (S. Rept. 1336);

H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Vietnam war in obtaining suitable employment, with amendments (S. Rept. 1337);

S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority, with amendments and with supplemental views (S. Rept. 1338);

S. 3514, authorizing the use of the vessel *Mouette* in the coastwise trade (S. Rept. 1339);

S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, with amendments (S. Rept. 1340);

S. 2628, to liberalize the corporate powers of the National Education Association, with amendments (S. Rept. 1341);

S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control bill, with minority views (S. Rept. 1342);

S. 3133, extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest, with amendments, and with minority views (S. Rept. 1343); and

S. 3679, to correct certain technical errors in Public Law 90-351, Safe Streets and Crime Control Act (no written report). Page 19235

Bills Referred: The following two House-passed bills were referred to Committee on Appropriations: H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies; and H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch. Pages 19234, 19247

President's Message—Voting Age: President transmitted message proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for changing the minimum voting age to 18 years—referred to Committee on the Judiciary. Pages 19232–19233

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed nine measures, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Smithsonian Institution: S.J. Res. 171, to provide for appointment of Robert S. McNamara as a Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Government employees: S. 2960, establishing Commissioned Officer Corps of the Environmental Science Services Administration.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Gratuity: S. Res. 309, providing for payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee;

Printing: S. Res. 305, to print as a Senate document "Progress in the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution";

Printing: S. Res. 303, to print additional copies of hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders";

Printing: S. Con. Res. 77, to print additional copies of parts 1 and 2 of hearings on "Status and Future of Small Business";

Statues: S. Con. Res. 75, authorizing acceptance for the National Statuary Hall collection of statues of Father Damien and King Kamehameha I, presented by the State of Hawaii; and

Printing: S. Res. 304, to print as a Senate document the tribute by Senator Kennedy of Massachusetts to his brother, the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Resolution adopted with amendment:

Capitol Police Force: H. Con. Res. 785, relating to pay of U.S. Capitol Police for duty performed during emergencies. Pages 19255–19267

Senate Committees: Senate adopted S. Res. 310, authorizing use of any fiscal year 1968 appropriation available for purpose of paying compensation to employees for June 1968 from the appropriation "expenses of inquiries and investigations, fiscal year 1968." Page 19232

Continuing Appropriations: H.J. Res. 1368, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969 until July 31, 1968, was taken from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President. Pages 19250–19251

Private Bills: S. 823, private bill, was cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto, and H.R. 3865, private bill, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 19255–19256, 19267

Oil and Gas Leases: S. 102, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to consider petition for reinstatement of an oil and gas lease in Wyoming, and S. 443, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to consider petition for reinstatement of an oil and gas lease in Wyoming, were cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 19274

Packers and Stockyards: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 10673, clarifying the term "stockyard" under the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921. Pages 19326–19327

Fishing Vessels: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 2047, to exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the requirements of certain inspection laws, clearing bill for President's signature. Page 19331

NEA: Senate reported and passed with committee amendments S. 2628, to liberalize the corporate powers of the National Education Association. Page 19326

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Monday, July 1. Page 19334

Highway Authorizations: Senate took up S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971. Pages 19241, 19334

Treaty Ratified: By 51 yeas to 8 nays, Senate adopted resolution of ratification of the International Coffee Agreement (Ex. D, 90th Cong., second sess.). Pages 19323–19326

Confirmations: The nominations of Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, and of James T. Ramey, of Illinois, to be members of AEC, were confirmed. Page 19344

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Maurice B. Mitchell, of Colorado, to be a member of Commission on Civil Rights; Robert C. Moot, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; Howard J. Samuels, of New York, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; Theodore Jaffe, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission; Thomas M. Healy, of Illinois, to be a member of the Railroad Retirement Board; 26 postmasters; and numerous Air Force. Pages 19335–19344

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

YOUNG FARMERS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration of S. 1567, to facilitate the granting of long-term real estate and operating loans to young farmers.

APPROPRIATIONS—AEC, TVA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held executive hearings on proposed fiscal year 1969 appropriations for the Atomic Energy Commission, having as its witnesses Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, and Dr. Gerald F. Tape and James T. Ramey, members, all of the AEC.

Also, subcommittee held open hearings on proposed fiscal year 1969 appropriations for the Tennessee Valley Authority, with testimony from TVA Chairman Aubrey J. Wagner.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch.

It was announced that the full committee will meet in executive session on Monday, July 1, to consider this bill.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were Robert Karton, assistant district attorney, Chicago; Charles Lapaglia, First Presbyterian Church, Chicago; George Rose, a defector from the Blackstone Rangers, street gang of Chicago; and Walter Fialkewicz, on detail from the Bureau of Narcotics.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 1.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its series of hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses J. Victor Herd, Continental Insurance Group, New York City; Russell Howard, Independent Mutual Insurance Agents of New England, Auburndale, Mass.; and Jerome Kay, City of New York Commission on Human Rights.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, receiving testimony from Representative Dingell; Thomas Lynch, attorney general of California; Thomas L. Kimball, National Wildlife Federation; Quinn Tamm, International Association of Chiefs of Police; and Lawrence Speiser, American Civil Liberties Union.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor resumed hearings on S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in businesses affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Clinton Fair, AFL–CIO; James L. Martin, National Governors Conference; Dr. Lorin E. Kerr, Joint Committee on Occupational Safety and Health, Washington, D.C.; and a panel consisting of Ralph Nader, an author and journalist, and Prof. Jerome Gordon, Columbia University.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 2.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate held a hearing on H.R. 14711, to quitclaim certain real property in Georgia. Testimony was heard from Representative Brinkley and Army witnesses.

PARKING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee held a hearing on parking legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

REDWOODS NATIONAL PARK

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 2515, amended, to establish Redwoods National Park, Calif.

TARIFF AND TRADE PROPOSALS

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES OF UTILITIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on the promotional practices of utilities. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

RIOTS

Committee on Un-American Activities: Continued hearings on subversive influences in the recent civil disturbances. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, July 1.

Monday, July 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19440–19504

Bills Introduced: 16 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3711–3726; and S.J. Res. 185.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2715, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma (S. Rept. 1344);

S. 3620, providing for disposition of judgment funds to credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif. (S. Rept. 1345);

S. 3621, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Muckleshoot Indians (S. Rept. 1346);

S. 3575, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility studies of certain water resource developments (S. Rept. 1347);

S. 1764, to repeal the law which limits certain inheritances of deceased Yakima Indians to tribal members of one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood, with amendment (S. Rept. 1348);

H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak., with amendment (S. Rept. 1349);

H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch, with amendments (S. Rept. 1350);

S. 3724, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1968, with minority views (S. Rept. 1351);

H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches, with amendment (S. Rept. 1352);

H.R. 3400, to amend the Federal Aviation Act so as to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation (S. Rept. 1353);

S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation," with amendment (S. Rept. 1354); and

S. 3641, authorizing Federal financial assistance in the development and construction of airports, with amendment (S. Rept. 1355). Page 19442

Photography: Senate passed without amendment S.J. Res. 181, to designate week of August 4–10, 1968, as "Professional Photography Week." Page 19441

Salute to Eisenhower: H.J. Res. 1302, designating the week of October 13, 1968, as "Salute to Eisenhower Week," was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Page 19441

Trails System: Senate passed with amendments S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes.

Prior to passage, Senate adopted all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; a Jackson amendment of a corrective nature; Symington amendment respecting Potomac Heritage Trail in Virginia between Spout Run and Great Falls; and Hansen amendment respecting the Continental Divide Trail.

Pages 19450–19460

Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report dated June 3, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on Tanana River Basin at Fairbanks, Alaska, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 89.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report dated December 1968 from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on an interim report on Cooper River, S.C., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 88.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report dated January 15, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on an interim report on Bear Creek Basin, South Platte River and tributaries, Colorado, Wyoming, and Nebraska, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 87. Page 19443

Highway Authorizations: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal

years 1970 and 1971, after taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments; Jackson amendment declaring it to be national policy that in highway construction effort be made to preserve the natural beauty of the countryside, public parks, and recreation lands, wildlife refuges, and historic sites; two Spong amendments (1) to make it possible for District of Columbia to participate under title II (relocation assistance and land acquisition), and (2) allowing District of Columbia to transfer certain land to Interior Department as replacement for land made available to the District for park and recreation facilities; and

Rejected: By 22 yeas to 44 nays, Williams (Delaware) amendments en bloc to make reductions in various reported authorized amounts for the general fund totaling $89 million for fiscal year 1970 and $100 million for fiscal year 1971. Pages 19504–19533, 19542–19543, 19545–19552

Rivers and Harbors—Flood Control: Senate took up S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control bill. Page 19552

Kansas City Transportation Authority: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.J. Res. 1111, granting consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority. Pages 19553–19554

Merchant Marine: S. 3514, authorizing the use of the vessel *Mouette* in the coastwise trade, was passed without amendment. Page 19554

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation held hearings on pending bills to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. (S. 2846, 2932, 3383 (title 1), and H.R. 16363). Testimony was received from Senators Mondale and Montoya, the latter of whom submitted a written statement; Betty Furness, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs; Rodney E. Leonard, Administrator, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; Herschel D. Newsom, National Grange; Arnold Mayer, Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butchers Workmen of North America; and Dr. Oscar Sussman, instructor of meat inspection, Rutgers University, Trenton, N.J.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded hearings on H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, after receiving testimony from Senators Murphy and Yarborough, on funds for education items, and several public witnesses on various items in the bill.

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittees on CIA held an executive meeting to receive a briefing from Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago from Edward Spellar, states attorney office, Cook County, Ill.; and William P. Griffin, Detective Steven Conner, and Sergeant Milton Deas, all of the Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

H.R. 4739, authorizing long-term leases on lands in the El Portal administrative site adjacent to Yosemite National Park, Calif.;

S. 2159, to establish the Fort Point National Historic Site in San Francisco (amended);

S. 3379, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J. (amended);

S. 3343, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Fla. (amended);

S. 3425, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Mass. (amended);

S. 3502, to designate as wilderness certain lands in Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge, Maine (amended);

S. 1385, directing that 25 percent of gross revenues from sale of timber on public lands shall be paid to the appropriate counties for use for public schools and roads (amended);

S. 1764, to repeal the law which limits certain inheritances of deceased Yakima Indians to tribal members of one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood (amended);

S. 3621, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Muckleshoot Indians;

S. 3620, providing for disposition of judgment funds to credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif.;

S. 2715, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma;

H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak. (amended);

S. 3227, to provide for disposition of funds judgment in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians; and

S. 3575, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility studies of certain water resource developments.

AGING

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Aging held hearings on S. 3677, authorizing funds for strengthening and improving the Older Americans Act of 1965, with testimony from William D. Bechill, Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Mrs. Margaret Schweinhaut, Maryland Commission on the Aging, representing the National Association of State Units on Aging; William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens; Willis W. Atwell, representing the American Association of Retired persons and the National Retired Teachers Association; and Blue Carstensen, National Farmers Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs held hearings on the following proposed veterans' legislation: S. 2985 and H.R. 16025, educational benefits for widows; S. 792 and H.R. 3593, nursing home requirements in Alaska and Hawaii; S. 417 and S. 995, private contract hospitals in Alaska and Hawaii; S. 2093 and H.R. 16902, increasing Federal payments to States for veterans' care; H.R. 7481, increasing payments to community nursing homes; S. 2911 and H.R. 14954, authorizing part-time vocational rehabilitation; S. 3349, to liberalize educational entitlement and on-farm training; S. 3350, authorizing flight training for eligible veterans; S. 3476, relating to flight training payment schedule; S. 3477, authorizing educational assistance loans; and S. 3112, relating to school standards for training of veterans. Testimony was received from Senator Gruening; A. T. Bronaugh, Assistant General Counsel, A. W. Farmer, Chief Benefits Director, and Dr. Paul Haber, Department of Medicine and Surgery, all of the Veterans' Administration; John Quigley, National Association of State Veterans Homes; Marvin Busbee, National Association of State Approving Agencies; Charles Mattingly and E. M. Golembieski, both of the American Legion; and Blue Carstensen, National Farmers Union.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 18241–18260; 21 private bills, H.R. 18261–18281; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1377 and 1378, and H. Res. 1239, were introduced. Pages 19439–19440

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 17734, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 (H. Rept. 1608); and

H.R. 16361, the District of Columbia Revenue Act of 1968, amended (H. Rept. 1609). Page 19439

Summons: Received and read a communication from the Clerk of the House regarding a summons in a civil action directed against the United States of America and the Clerk of the House of Representatives. Page 19359

Military Construction: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16703, the military construction authorization, fiscal year 1969; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Rivers, Hardy, Ichord, Irwin, Machen, Bates, Gubser, King of New York, and Dickinson. Page 19365

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Big Ben Dam: S. 203, relating to the acquisition and payment of Indian tribal lands in South Dakota in connection with the Big Ben Dam and Reservoir.

Alaskan grazing lands: S. 1059, to amend the act relating to the leasing of lands in Alaska for grazing in order to make certain improvements in such act.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Hot Springs, Ark.: H.R. 14005, to authorize the disposition by the city of Hot Springs, Ark., of certain property heretofore conveyed to the city by the United States.

Construction-differential subsidies: H.R. 17524, relating to construction-differential subsidies.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Creek Nation: H.R. 14205, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians.

Creek Nation: H.R. 16211, to provide for the disposition of funds of the Creek Nation of Indians.

Delaware Nation: H.R. 16402, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians.

S. 2701 (in lieu of H.R. 13780), to provide for sale or exchange of isolated tracts of tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont.

Lower Brule-Crow Creek Indian Reservations: S.J. Res. 157, regarding title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations.

Pages 19359–19365

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

H.R. 17872, to provide funds and authorities to the Department of Agriculture for the purpose of providing free or reduced meals to needy children not now being reached, amended (by a record vote of 274 yeas to 78 nays). Pages 19365–19378

H.R. 17873, to amend the National School Lunch Act to clarify responsibilities related to providing free and reduced-price lunches and preventing discrimination against children, amended (by a record vote of 352 yeas). Pages 19378–19381

S. 2837, to establish the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest in North Carolina (by a record vote of 279 yeas to 71 nays). Pages 19381–19385

S. 3102 (in lieu of H.R. 15714), regarding compliance with certain safety standards in the case of passenger vessels operating on the inland rivers and waterways (by a voice vote). Pages 19385–19388

H.R. 13844, to provide time off for employees of executive agencies to attend funerals of family killed in armed conflict, amended (by a voice vote). Pages 19388–19390

Late Report: Granted permission to the Committee on Armed Services to file a report by midnight, July 5, 1968, on S. 3293, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles, research, development, test, and evaluation for the Armed Forces. Page 19385

Federal-Aid Highway Act: The House completed general debate on H.R. 17134, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968, and after reading the first section of the bill the Committee arose.

H. Res. 1237, the rule under which the bill was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 19390–19392

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONSOLIDATED FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION—INDEMNITY PAYMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and reported to the House H.R. 18209, amended, to amend the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act of 1961; and H.R. 17752 to provide indemnity payments to dairy farmers.

Prior to the executive session the committee held a hearing on the bills. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pryor and White and departmental witnesses.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 3293, amended, 1969 military procurement authorization. No announcements were made.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16361, amended, D.C. revenue bill.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 15067, higher education amendments. No announcements were made.

Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 12280, and related bills, the Guaranteed Employment Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SEALS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1260, amended, to include mammals (seals) under the Northwest-Atlantic Fisheries Act of 1950.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bill. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Army witnesses.

CAMPING—PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee met in executive session and considered matters relating to the use of certain park grounds within the District of Columbia. No announcements were made.

CO-OP—SECURITIES—HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 6530 and S. 752, relating to agricultural co-op exemptions. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance held a hearing on H.R. 14475 and S. 510, relating to cooperate equity ownership of securities. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Public Health and Welfare met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15757, amended, to improve health professions training.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through June 30, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	106	91	..
Time in session	560 hrs., 47′	390 hrs., 45′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	7,950	5,798	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	5,990
Public bills enacted into law	56	61	117
Private bills enacted into law	45	19	64
Bills in conference	4	11	..
Bills through conference	5	12	..
Measures passed, total	402	423	..
Senate bills	125	72	..
House bills	136	194	..
Senate joint resolutions	18	13	..
House joint resolutions	10	18	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	8	3	..
House concurrent resolutions	12	12	..
Simple resolutions	93	111	204
Measures reported, total	*453	*500	..
Senate bills	144	85	..
House bills	130	280	..
Senate joint resolutions	22	6	..
House joint resolutions	9	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	8	2	..
House concurrent resolutions	11	8	..
Simple resolutions	129	111	240
Special reports	21	33	..
Conference reports	..	15	..
Reported measures not acted on	32	116	..
Measures introduced, total	1,073	4,456	5,529
Bills	888	3,646	4,534
Joint resolutions	53	404	457
Concurrent resolutions	25	185	210
Simple resolutions	107	221	328
Quorum calls	36	97	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**165	117	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 397 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 548 has been filed in the House.

**No. 105 Leg. (record vote) was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

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DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through June 30, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 4,995, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,992
Unconfirmed	3
Air Force nominations, totaling 10,732, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	8,307
Unconfirmed	2,425
Navy nominations, totaling 6,771, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,763
Unconfirmed	8
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,078, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,078
Unconfirmed	None
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 1,973, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,519
Unconfirmed	454
Postmaster nominations, totaling 829, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	466
Unconfirmed	357
Withdrawn	6

Summary

Total nominations received	28,378
Total confirmed	25,125
Total unconfirmed	3,247
Total withdrawn	6

Tuesday, July 2, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19599–19656

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3727–3732; and S. Res. 311–312.

Pages 19600–19602, 19605–19606

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3227, to provide for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians (S. Rept. 1356);

H.R. 13402, authorizing use of certain buildings in the D.C. for chancery purposes (S. Rept. 1357);

S. 3495, to release restrictions on certain Iowa lands as a site for construction of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy, with amendments (S. Rept. 1358);

S. 3671, to provide for striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of founding of Dartmouth College (S. Rept. 1359);

S. 3456, providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct or obscene acts shall be conducted in the name of the D.C. (S. Rept. 1360); and

Report of the Joint Economic Committee entitled "Standards for Guiding Monetary Action," with supplementary views (S. Rept. 1361). Page 19601

Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 19672

Reclamation: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1251, to make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable, clearing bill for White House.

Pages 19623–19624

Wildlife Refuges: S. 322, providing that no land can be transferred from the national wildlife refuge system without approval of the Migratory Bird Commission, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendments. Page 19672

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report dated May 13, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on review of report on Delaware coast, beach erosion control and hurricane protection, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 90.

Page 19601

Second Supplemental Appropriations: H.R. 17734, second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted, by 64 yeas to 1 nay, conference report thereon, concurring in House amendments to Senate amendments No. 1 (school lunch program), No. 6 (summer program for children and youth in D.C.), No. 14 (public building projects, GSA), No. 20 (American Revolution Bicentennial Commission), No. 21 (Manpower Administration, Department of Labor), No. 22 (school aid in federally impacted areas, HEW), and No. 25 (economic opportunity program). Pages 19672–19681

Urgent Supplemental Appropriations: Senate conferees on H.R. 15399, making urgent supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968, were discharged from further service inasmuch as the items therein have been disposed of in other legislation. Page 19680

Fourth of July Adjournment: Senate adopted H. Con. Res. 792, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Wednesday, July 3, they stand adjourned until noon Monday, July 8. Page 19633, 19683

Rivers and Harbors—Flood Control: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control bill, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: The following amendments to authorize indicated amounts for projects, as follows:

Ellender amendment—$1.3 million for Mississippi River—Gulf Outlet, Michoud Canal, La.; Holland amendment—$6.476 million for Miami Harbor, Fla.; Nelson amendment—$6.849 million for State Road and Ebner Coulees, city of La Crosse and Shelby Township, Wis.; Javits amendment—$500,000 for Hamlin Beach State Park, N.Y.; Jackson amendment—$1.108 million for Snohomish River (Everett Harbor), Wash.; and Murphy amendments en bloc—$1 million for Port Hueneme, Calif., and $1.54 million for Ventura Marina, Calif.

Also adopted was Miller amendment as substitute for language of bill respecting upper basin of Big Sioux River, Iowa and S. Dak. (flood control and mitigation of fish and wildlife losses); and

Rejected: Two Williams (Delaware) amendments (1) by 7 yeas to 59 nays, to eliminate language that would except TVA power programs from personnel or expenditure limitation in any other legislation (motion to reconsider tabled), and, (2) on division vote, to provide that there be a moratorium on any new public works projects. Pages 19656–19672, 19681–19687

Juvenile Delinquency: Senate took up H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act.

Pages 19687–19691

Land and Water Conservation: S. 1401, proposed land and water conservation fund amendments, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 19695–19696

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POULTRY INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation

concluded hearings on pending bills to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. (S. 2846, 2932, 3383 (title 1), and H.R. 16363), after receiving testimony from Dr. David J. Sencer, Assistant Surgeon General, and Director, National Communicable Disease Center, Department of HEW, Atlanta; Jack C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; Edward Dunkelberger, National Canners Association; R. Frank Frazier, National Broiler Council; Marvin Johnson, National Turkey Federation; Vic Pringle, Institute of American Poultry Industries; Henry Kaufmann, Grain & Feed Dealers National Association; and William Brooks, National Grain Trade Council.

GRAIN INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Research and General Legislation, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for D.C. courts from Morris Miller, chief judge, D.C. juvenile court; Harold H. Greene, chief judge, D.C. court of general sessions; Andrew M. Hood, chief judge, D.C. court of appeals; Phyllis R. Liberti, clerk, D.C. tax court, and other representatives of the D.C. government.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 5.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to consider proposed legislation dealing with retirement of National Guard technicians. Participating in this discussion was Maj. Gen. Winston P. Wilson, Chief of the National Guard Bureau.

Committee ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 3495, to release restrictions on certain Iowa lands as a site for construction of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy. Committee also approved 13 nominations, including that of Maj. Gen. John P. McConnell for reappointment as Air Force Chief of Staff for 1 year beginning August 1, 1968.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago from Nicholas Dorenzo, a former member of the Devils Disciples, Chicago youth gang; Peter Zelkovich, former investigator with the Chicago alcoholic tax unit; and Sgt. Neil Wilson and Ulester Mims, both of the Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held hearings on S. 1733, to differentiate between private and public land ownership in the administration of acreage limitation provisions of the Federal reclamation laws, having as its witnesses Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and Bert L. Cole, commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, State of Washington. This bill was approved with amendments for full committee consideration.

DEATH PENALTY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures held hearings on S. 1760, to abolish the death penalty in the U.S. and its territories, having as its witness Attorney General Ramsey Clark.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in businesses affecting interstate commerce, receiving testimony from Mrs. Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary for Labor Standards, Department of Labor; and a panel consisting of Ralph Nader, author, and Prof. Jerome Gordon, Columbia University.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act.

Committee also approved a prospectus for proposed alteration of GSA regional office building in Washington, D.C., and the following watershed projects: Cedar-Piney Creeks, Ark.; Bay Creek, Ill.; Upper Salt Creek, Kans.; Washington Mountain Brook, Mass.; North Powder River, Oreg.; and Arroyo Colorado, Tex.

Also, committee approved language of amendments adopted to the bill S. 2525, to control pollution from vessels within navigable waters of the U.S., which bill was approved for reporting by the committee at its meeting of Thursday, June 27.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 18282–18300; 25 private bills, H.R. 18301–18325; and 10 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 1379–1383, H. Con. Res. 792, and H. Res. 1240–1243, were introduced. Pages 19710, 19767–19768

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 5117, regarding Palmetto Bend reclamation project, amended (H. Rept. 1610);

H.R. 9362, regarding Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma, amended (H. Rept. 1611);

S. 6, regarding Oahe unit, James division, Missouri River Basin project, amended (H. Rept. 1612);

S.J. Res. 172, regarding copyright protection (H. Rept. 1613);

H.R. 17752, regarding indemnity payments to dairy farmers (H. Rept. 1614);

H.R. 18065, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act to authorize additional appropriations (H. Rept. 1615);

H. Res. 1240, to provide for the consideration of H.R. 15263, to amend further the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (H. Rept. 1616);

H. Res. 1241, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17682, relating to civil service retirement (H. Rept. 1617);

H. Res. 1242, providing for the consideration of S. 2269, regarding U.S. fishing vessels (H. Rept. 1618);

H.R. 18249, to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1964 (H. Rept. 1619);

S. 2511, regarding crude pine gum (H. Rept. 1620);

S. 3143, regarding frozen concentrated orange juice (H. Rept. 1621); and

H.R. 13940, to provide a new maritime program, amended (H. Rept. 1622). Page 19767

Permission To Sit: Granted permission to the Committee on Education and Labor to sit during general debate Wednesday, July 3. Page 19697

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H.R. 15633.

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 2758, 5959, 11552, 11782, and 14654.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1527, 1608, 2654, 4386, 4404, 6321, 10417, 12539, 12894, H. Res. 991, S. 155, and 321. Pages 19698–19701

Fourth of July Adjournment: The House adopted H. Con. Res. 792, providing that when the two Houses adjourn on Wednesday, July 3, they stand adjourned until noon Monday, July 8. Pages 19998–19999

Second Supplemental Appropriations: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on H.R. 17734, the second supplemental appropriations, 1968, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 3, 19, and 26, and receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 6, 14, 20, 21 (by a record vote of 288 yeas to 81 nays), 22, and 25 (by a record vote of 265 yeas to 105 nays). Pages 19702–19710

Land-Water Conservation: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on S. 1401, the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 19710–19713

Animal Drugs: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 3639, the animal drug amendments, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Pages 19713–19714

Gas Pipeline: By a record vote of 351 yeas to 14 nays, the House passed S. 1166, the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968.

Adopted the committee amendment by a record vote of 247 yeas to 125 nays, and adopted a technical amendment.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Gas gathering lines;

The Technical Pipeline Safety Standards Committee;

State jurisdiction over pipeline facilities; and

Two amendments regarding civil penalties. Pages 19714–19746

Federal-Aid Highway Act: Resumed consideration of H.R. 17134, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968. Began reading the bill for amendments, and having come to no resolution thereon the Committee arose. Pages 19747–19758

Permission To Receive and Sign: The House granted permission that notwithstanding the adjournment of the House until Monday, July 8, 1968, the Clerk be authorized to receive messages from the Senate and that the speaker be authorized to sign any enrolled bills and joint resolutions duly passed by the two Houses and found truly enrolled. Page 19710

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 19766

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMP ACT—COMMODITY EXCHANGE ACT—CRUDE PINE GUM ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18249, amendments to the Food Stamp Act; S. 3143, makes frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act; and S. 2511, Crude Pine Gum Act.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 15067, higher education amendments.

Began markup of H.R. 16460, the vocational education bill.

MAMMALS—PASSPORTS—FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS—FOREIGN SERVICE CORPS—GREAT LAKES COMPACT—ATLANTIC UNION—EXPORTS—AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

S. 1260, includes mammals (seals) within the definition of "fishing" and hence within the protection of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Act of 1950;

S. 1418, amended, passport revisions;

H.R. 18065, to authorize additional appropriations under the Foreign Service Buildings Act of 1926;

S. 633, amended, to establish a Foreign Service Information Officer Corps;

S. 660, granting the consent of Congress to the Great Lakes Basin compact;

H. Con. Res. 48, to establish the Atlantic Union delegation;

H.R. 15681, to consolidate and revise foreign assistance legislation relating to reimbursable military exports.

Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session and considered H.R. 17404, to provide for the establishment of an African Institute for Cultural and Technical Interchange. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Rear Adm. Ira Haddock, Assistant Director, Plans, Programs, and Systems, Defense Supply Agency.

CARL SANDBURG—PADRE ISLAND NATIONAL SEASHORE

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13099, amended, Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site, N.C.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 17787, Padre Island National Seashore, Tex. Testimony was heard from Representative Young and departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS—SUPPLEMENTAL AIR TRANSPORTATION—SECURITIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17685, amended, relative to definition of "supplemental air transportation."

Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 510, amended, full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities.

COPYRIGHTS—FEDERAL MAGISTRATES ACT—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S.J. Res. 172, to extend copyright terms; and S. 945, amended, Federal Magistrates Act.

Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

FISHING—MARITIME PROGRAM

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 1752, relative to fishing in U.S. waters, and H.R. 13940, amended, to establish a new maritime program.

Prior to the full committee meeting the Subcommittee on Merchant Marine met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13940, amended.

GUN CONTROL—INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 17949, mail order gun control. Testimony was heard from Timothy J. May, General Counsel, Post Office Department, and Henry B. Montague, Chief Postal Inspector.

Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from Senator Ervin.

TRUCK WEIGHTS AND MEASURES—RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 2658, amended, truck weights and measures.

Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. Testimony was heard from Corps of Engineers witnesses.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 3 hours of debate, waiving points of order against the committee amendments on H.R. 15263, Foreign Assistance Act amendments. Testimony was heard from Representatives Morgan and Adair.

CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order on H.R. 17682, Civil Service Retirement Act amendments. Testimony was heard from Representatives Daniels, Henderson, Hanley, and James Broyhill.

FISHERMEN'S PROTECTIVE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, waiving points of order on S. 2269, Fishermen's Protective Act.

NATIONAL INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, national institutional grants program. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

NATIONAL CEMETERIES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 12801, amended, to establish within the Veterans' Administration a national cemeteries system.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on tariff and trade proposals. Testimony was heard from Representative Rivers and Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico, Polanco-Abreu.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOOD FOR FREEDOM

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2986, to extend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act (P.L. 480). The conferees agreed to continue bilateral barter for strategic commodities, and to extend the program for 2 years.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 19875–19910

Bills Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3733; and S. Res. 313.

Pages 19880–19882

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2159, to establish the Fort Point National Historic Site in San Francisco, with amendments (S. Rept. 1362). Page 19880

President's Communication—Budget Amendment: President transmitted communication with proposed amendment to the budget for fiscal year 1969 in the amount of $1,430,305 for legislative branch, Senate, which was referred to Committee on Appropriations, and ordered to be printed as a Senate document.

Page 19880

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed eight measures, as follows:

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Indians: H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Crime: S. 3679, to correct certain technical errors in Public Law 90–351, Safe Streets and Crime Control Act;

Water resources: S. 3575, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to engage in feasibility studies of certain water resource developments;

Indians: S. 2715, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma;

Indians: S. 3620, providing for disposition of judgment funds to credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif.; and

Indians: S. 3621, providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Muckleshoot Indians.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S. 1764, to repeal the law which limits certain inheritances of deceased Yakima Indians to tribal members of one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood.

Resolution adopted with amendments:

Vietnam veterans: H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans of the Vietnam war in obtaining suitable employment.

Pages 19876–19879

Indians: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 2701, providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Mont. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 19879–19880

Juvenile Delinquency: H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act, remained Senate's unfinished business at adjournment.

Confirmations: Senate confirmed one civilian nomination; three Air Force nominations in the rank of general, including that of Gen. John P. McConnell to be Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force; two Army in the rank of general; and eight Navy in the rank of admiral. Page 19910

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:19 a.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues; H.R. 15562, extending the act which authorizes loans by the Secretary of Agriculture on leasehold interests in Hawaii; H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain; and the nominations of J. Homer Remsberg, of Maryland, and C. Everett

Spangler, of Nebraska, to be members of the Federal Farm Credit Board.

Committee also approved the following watershed projects: Chicot, Ark.; California Lake, Fla.; Suwanee Creek, Ga.; Waubonsie Creek, Iowa; Delaney Creek, Ind.; Lower Salt Creek, Kans.; Midland-Drayton, N. Dak.; Beaverdam Creek, S.C.; and Los Fresnos Resaca, Tex.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony with regard to reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago from Lt. Edward Buckney, Chicago Police Department.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 9.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 18326–18349; 16 private bills, H.R. 18350–18365; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1384–1386, H. Con. Res. 793–794, and H. Res. 1244, were introduced. Pages 19999–20001

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 18260, to provide for a national scenic rivers system (H. Rept. 1623);

S. 1260, to amend the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Act of 1950 (H. Rept. 1624);

H.R. 15626, to amend the Subversive Activities Control Act of 1950, amended (H. Rept. 1625);

H. Res. 1244, providing for the consideration of H.R. 11618, regarding fish and wildlife (H. Rept. 1626);

H. Res. 1245, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16024, relating to high-speed ground transportation (H. Rept. 1627);

H. Res. 1246, providing for the consideration of H.R. 16824, to extend for an additional year the authorizations under the State Technical Services Act (H. Rept. 1628);

S. 945, to abolish the office of U.S. Commissioner, amended (H. Rept. 1629);

S. 2515, regarding Redwood National Park, Calif., amended (H. Rept. 1630);

H.R. 4865, to establish a nationwide system of trails, amended (H. Rept. 1631);

S. 633, regarding the Foreign Service Information Officer Corps, amended (H. Rept. 1632);

S. 1418, regarding passport laws, amended (H. Rept. 1633);

H.R. 15757, to amend the Public Health Service Act, amended (H. Rept. 1634);

H.R. 18209, to amend the consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act, amended (H. Rept. 1635);

S. 2658, regarding vehicle weight and width limitations, amended (H. Rept. 1636);

H.R. 12801, regarding national cemetery system for veterans, amended (H. Rept. 1637);

S. 1752, regarding fishing vessels (H. Rept. 1638);

H.R. 17685, to amend the Federal Aviation Act, amended (H. Rept. 1639);

S. 660, regarding Great Lakes Basin Compact (H. Rept. 1640);

H.R. 15681, relating to reimbursable military exports (H. Rept. 1641);

Conference report on S. 2986, to extend Public Law 480, 83d Congress, for 3 years (H. Rept. 1642);

H.R. 12698, to amend the Federal Power Act, amended (H. Rept. 1643); and

H.R. 12843, regarding National Eye Institute, amended (H. Rept. 1644). Page 19999

Late Reports: Granted permission for the Committee on Education and Labor to file a late report by midnight, July 6, on H.R. 15067, the higher education amendments; and granted the same permission to the Committee on Armed Services on S. 3293, to authorize appropriations for military procurement, on July 5. Page 19912

Federal-Aid Highway Act: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 17134, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3418 in lieu after amending the Senate-passed bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit with instructions to strike language providing for District of Columbia highways. Prior to adoption of the committee amendment adopted amendments regarding:

The prevailing rate of wage;

Preservation of park lands;

The beautification program (several amendments, by a record vote of 211 yeas to 145 nays); and

Unzoned commercial or industrial areas under the highway beautification program.

Rejected an amendment identical to the recommital motion.

One point of order was sustained against an amendment. Pages 19914–19950

Department of Transportation Appropriations: Passed by a voice vote H.R. 18188, the Department of Transportation Appropriation Act, 1969.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions regarding a limitation on funds for supersonic aircraft.

Adopted amendments regarding:

Limitation of total expenditures to approximately $1.8 billion;

Availability of funds for automobile repair or transportation services; and

Purchase of planes by the FAA.

Rejected amendments regarding:

$5 million for Alaskan highways;

Study of the existing motor vehicle accident compensation system; and

An amendment identical to the recommittal motion.

Pages 19950–19972

D.C. Revenue: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 16361, the District of Columbia Revenue Act of 1968.

By a record vote of 100 yeas to 122 nays the House rejected a motion to recommit the measure to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Prior to adoption of the committee amendment adopted amendments designed to—

Eliminate additional taxes on food and drugs; and

Increase to 5 percent the restaurant food and liquor tax.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Twenty-five percent revenue formula; and

Busing of students outside the District of Columbia.

Pages 19972–19986

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 19998

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of July 10. Page 19988

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION—WELFARE AND PENSION PLAN PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 16460, amended, vocational education amendments.

General Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 6498, amended, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 13099, amended, Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site, North Carolina. The committee also considered but did not complete action on H.R. 551, Biscayne National Monument, Fla.

HYDROELECTRIC—EYE INSTITUTE—HEALTH MANPOWER—AIR CARRIERS—CO-OP TAX

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 12698, amended, establishes FPC guidelines with respect to hydroelectric projects;

H.R. 12843, to establish a National Eye Institute;

H.R. 15757, Health Manpower Act;

H.R. 17685, supplemental air carriers.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 752, amended, co-op tax exemptions.

ATTORNEYS—IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15150, amended, to provide for right to counsel in claims against the U.S.

Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on a review of the Immigration Act of October 3, 1965. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TOWING VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and considered H.R. 156 and H.R. 11216, regulate towing vessels; and H.R. 17814, to document temporarily a foreign-built ferry; and H.R. 17815, to permit Alaska to operate a foreign registered ferry. No announcements were made.

FISH—TRANSPORTATION—TECHNICAL SERVICES

Committee on Rules: Granted each of the following bills an open rule with 1 hour of debate:

H.R. 11618, endangered species;

H.R. 16024, high-speed ground transportation extension; and

H.R. 16824, State Technical Services Act extension.

Monday, July 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20121–20171

Bills Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3734–3741. Page 20126

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues (S. Rept. 1363);

H.R. 4739, authorizing long-term leases on lands in the El Portal administrative site adjacent to Yosemite National Park, Calif. (S. Rept. 1364);

H.R. 15562, extending the act which authorizes loans by the Secretary of Agriculture on leasehold interests in Hawaii (S. Rept. 1365);

S. 3343, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Fla., with amendment (S. Rept. 1366);

S. 3379, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J., with amendment (S. Rept. 1367);

S. 3425, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Mass., with amendment (S. Rept. 1368);

S. 3502, to designate as wilderness certain lands in Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge, Maine, with amendment (S. Rept. 1369);

S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act, with amendment (S. Rept. 1370); and

S. 2525, to control pollution from vessels within navigable waters of the U.S., with amendments (S. Rept. 1371). Page 20126

Bills Referred: Six House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 20124

President's Communication—D.C. Crime: Senate received communication from President transmitting a fiscal year 1969 amendment to the D.C. budget in the amount of $11.5 million to help pay for needed police reinforcement, urging Congress to develop a financial formula for this program so the 1,000 new policemen can be recruited, trained, and deployed swiftly, and recommending enactment of legislation to strengthen authority of D.C. Council to issue gun control regulations—referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 20124

President's Communication—U.S.-Mexico: On Wednesday, July 3, Senate received communication from President urging enactment of a bill to establish the U.S. section of the U.S.-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 19880

Sundry Bills Passed: The following three bills were taken from calendar and passed in the manner indicated:

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Medals: S. 3671, to provide for striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of founding of Dartmouth College; and

D.C.: S. 3456, providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct or obscene acts shall be conducted in the name of the D.C.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Fort Point National Historic Site: S. 2159, to establish the Fort Point National Historic Site in San Francisco. Pages 20132–20135

International Claims: Conference report on H.R. 9063, to amend in several regards the International Claims Settlement Act, was adopted. Pages 20135–20136

Juvenile Delinquency: Senate passed H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act (motion to reconsider tabled), with committee amendment, as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the bill), after taking the following actions on amendments to the committee amendment:

Adopted: Dodd amendment No. 875, to include educational delinquency prevention programs in the public schools; Dominick amendment (for himself and others) to eliminate the fourth year of the program involving $100 million authorizations; and Clark amendment to the title of the bill; and

Rejected: By 34 yeas to 38 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Murphy amendment No. 873 providing for "bloc grants" for comprehensive State planning and implementation of programs with proviso that 40 percent of the funds received must "pass through" to local governmental units or agencies, and providing for action grants for prevention and rehabilitation with proviso that 75 percent of the funds received must "pass through" to local governmental units. Pages 20171–20207

Private Bills: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 1129 and S. 1808, private bills, clearing them for White House. Page 20207

Indians: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 157, relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak., clearing bill for White House. Page 20207

Legislative Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 18038, legislative appropriations.

Senator Williams (Delaware) filed notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to this bill. Pages 20130, 20207

Authority To Meet: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was authorized to meet on Tuesday, July 9, while Senate is in session. Page 20207

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Howard Jenkins, Jr., of Colorado, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board; Victor Frenkil, of Maryland, to be a member of the Advisory Board for the Post Office Department; and numerous Air Force. Pages 20208–20215

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: On Friday, July 5, subcommittee concluded its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget

estimates for the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Dr. Cleveland Dennard, president, Washington Technical Institute; Charles T. Duncan, Corporation Counsel, D.C.; William C. Weitzel, D.C. Fire Department; Patrick V. Murphy, D.C. Department of Public Safety; and John B. Layton, Chief of Metropolitan Police.

APPROPRIATIONS—JUSTICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued its hearings on H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, receiving further testimony in behalf of funds for his department from Attorney General Ramsey Clark, who was accompanied by his associates.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968, receiving testimony from Walter E. Washington, Commissioner, Thomas W. Fletcher, Assistant to the Commissioner; and John W. Hechinger, Chairman of the D.C. Council, who were accompanied by other officials of the D.C. government; and numerous public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration S. 3556, to establish a basic property insurance placement plan in the D.C.; and H.R. 10213, liberalizing requirements with respect to financial advertising imposed on alien life insurance companies doing business in the D.C.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee resumed hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, with testimony from Attorney General Ramsey Clark; and James V. Bennett, National Council for a Responsible Firearms Policy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 18366–18380; 12 private bills, H.R. 18381–18392; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1387–1389, and H. Con. Res. 795, were introduced. Pages 20120–20121

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 3293, to authorize appropriations for defense procurement, amended, filed July 5 (H. Rept. 1645);

H.R. 18248, relating to certain common carrier operations in the District of Columbia, amended (H. Rept. 1646);

H.R. 18366, to amend the Vocational Education Act (H. Rept. 1647);

Conference report on H.R. 9063, to amend the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 (H. Rept. 1648); and

H.R. 15067, to amend the Higher Education Act, amended (H. Rept. 1649). Page 20120

Housing—Urban Development: The House completed general debate on H.R. 17989, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, and after reading the first section of the bill the Committee arose.

H. Res. 1238, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 20058–20096

Referrals: Six Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 20119

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMON CARRIERS—BLIND PERSONS—JUDGES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 18248, amended, relating to certain common carriers in D.C.;

S. 1224, amended, to establish a register of blind persons in D.C.;

H.R. 15678, amended, increases salaries of D.C. Court of General Sessions and D.C. Court of Appeals judges.

Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18248, amended, H.R. 15678, amended, and S. 1224, amended; the subcommittee also considered, but did not take final action on, H.R. 15679, relating to judges' retirement.

HUNTING CREEK

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on the Hunting Creek, Va., permit. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 13797, amended, to authorize the sale of certain lands, and H.R. 4530, amended, relating to the issuance of patents for lands held under the color of title, to liberalize the requirements for the conveyance of the mineral estate.

RAILROAD PASSENGERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics held a hearing on H.R. 18212, essential railroad passenger service study authorization. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

ESSA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 17993 and S. 2960, to provide for the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of commissioned officers of the Environmental Science Services Administration. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

FIREARMS CONTROL

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony on a request for a rule on H.R. 17735, the State Firearms Control Assistance Act of 1968, from Representatives Celler, McCulloch, McGregor, Meskill, Flynt, Casey, Pollock, and Montgomery.

COFFEE

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on H.R. 18299, to implement the International Coffee Agreement of 1968. Testimony was heard from State Department witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20256–20277

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3742–3749; and S.J. Res. 186. Page 20257

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain, with amendments (S. Rept. 1372);

S. 757, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to eliminate certain property valuation requirements, with amendments, and with individual views (S. Rept. 1373); and

S. 356, relating to branch offices of the Michigan National Bank, Lansing, with separate views (S. Rept. 1374). Page 20257

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 20257

Private Bill: Senate reconsidered its action of Monday, July 8, in concurring in House amendment to S. 1808, private bill, and on its reconsideration concurred with an amendment to the House amendment to this bill. Page 20256

Legislative Appropriations: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch, after adopting amendments as follows:

All committee amendments, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and Williams (Delaware) amendment No. 879 placing certain restrictions on stationery allowance of Senators and providing that unused portion of such allowance at end of fiscal year shall be covered into general fund of the Treasury (motion to reconsider tabled).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Proxmire, Yarborough, Hayden, Kuchel, Cotton, and Young (North Dakota). Pages 20277–20284

Air Transportation: S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation," was passed with committee amendment. Pages 20291–20293

Indians: Senate passed S. 3227, to provide for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians, after adopting amendment proposed by Senator Moss for Senator Allott, providing that with stated exceptions none of funds deposited shall be withdrawn until 60 days after Secretary of Interior has submitted report thereon to the Senate and House Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs. Pages 20290–20291

Federal Trade Commission: Senate took up S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act. Page 20293

Treaty Received: Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons, signed at Washington on July 1, 1968, on behalf of the U.S., the United Kingdom, Soviet Union, and 53 other states, was received (Ex. H, 90th Cong. second sess.). Pages 20261–20262

Confirmations: Nominations of J. Homer Remsberg, of Maryland, and of C. Everett Spangler, of Nebraska, to be members of the Federal Farm Credit Board, Farm Credit Administration, were confirmed. Page 20295

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in excutive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments

H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

APPROPRIATIONS—AEC–TVA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration those sections of the public works appropriations (H.R. 17903) which provide funds for the Atomic Energy Commission and the Tennessee Valley Authority.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of James McCrocklin, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; H.R. 272, extending period during which amounts transferred from employment security administration account in the unemployment trust fund to State accounts may be used by States for payment of expenses of administration; H.R. 7735 relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore (amended); and H.R. 17324, to amend and extend Renegotiation Act of 1951 (amended).

Committee announced that it will hold additional hearings, on a date as yet unannounced, on H.R. 16241, to impose an excise tax on overseas air transportation tickets, and to reduce customs exemptions for residents returning from abroad.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization resumed hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Dr. John H. Knowles, General Director, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; and Bert Seidman, Department of Social Security, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony regarding reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago. Witnesses heard were Detective James Doyle and James Houtsma, both of the Chicago Police Department; and Rev. Arthur Brazier, president of the Woodlawn Organization.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on H.R. 1340, authorizing the extension of the Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina and Georgia, having as its witnesses Senators Ervin and Jordan of North Carolina; Representative Taylor; and George B. Hartzog, Director, accompanied by Frank Harrison, Assistant to the Director, both of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Dr. Richard Norgaard, Graduate School of Business Administration, UCLA; B. J. Higgins, Higgins Insurance Agency, Long Beach; and Michael Van Horn, Culver City, Calif.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 16.

TAX COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 2041, proposed U.S. Tax Court Act of 1968, with testimony from Mitchell Rogovin, Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division; William M. Drennen, chief judge, Tax Court of the U.S.; and Harry Mansfield, American Bar Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, having as its witnesses Attorney General Ramsey Clark; Sheldon Cohen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; and Frank Foote, Nebraska Parks and Game Commission.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, unanimously approved for reporting an original bill embodying proposed higher education amendments of 1968, and an original bill embodying proposed vocational education amendments of 1968.

Committee announced that these bills will be reported to the Senate by midnight Saturday, July 13.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs approved for full committee consideration the following measures:

H.R. 16025, providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans (amended by adding the texts of S. 3349, to liberalize educational entitlement and on-farm training; S. 3350, authorizing flight training for eligible veterans; and S. 3476, relating to flight training payment schedule);

H.R. 3593, providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii (amended

by adding the text of S. 995, redefining the term "Veterans' Administration facilities" regarding private facilities);

H.R. 16902, to increase Federal payments to the States for veterans care;

H.R. 7481, increasing Federal payments to community nursing homes for veterans care; and

H.R. 14954, extending subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for veterans.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution resumed its hearings on waste management research and air quality criteria, having as its witnesses Dr. Ivan L. Bennett, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Science and Technology, Executive Office of the President; Dr. Rolf Eliassen, professor of environmental engineering, Stanford University; Russell E. Train, Conservation Foundation; and John C. Gridley, who represented the National Association of Counties.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 18393–18413; 26 private bills, H.R. 18414–18439; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1390–1395, H. Con. Res. 796, and H. Res. 1248–1249, were introduced. Pages 20360–20361

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills S. 747, 905, H.R. 3527, amended, 14380, 14513, amended, and 14276, amended (H. Repts. 1650–1655);

H. Con. Res. 48, to establish an Atlantic union delegation (H. Rept. 1656);

H. Res. 1249, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17735, to provide for better control of interstate traffic in firearms (H. Rept. 1657); and

H.R. 16703, conference report on the military construction authorization (H. Rept. 1658). Page 20360

Housing-Urban Development: The House began reading for amendment H.R. 17989, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. During the consideration of the bill, while in the Committee of the Whole, the House tentatively adopted amendments regarding—

Annual report to the Committee on Banking and Currency;

Income limitations on low-income housing;

Annual budget to be submitted to Congress (three amendments);

Subsidy allowed to rental tenants;

Lowering income eligibility standards for low-income rental participants;

Financing of nursing home equipment;

Consultation with local authorities by HUD before construction of housing in outlying areas;

Clarification of rehabilitation aid;

Limestone mines; and

Grants to nonprofit organizations.

Rejected amendments regarding: Housing for the elderly; mortgagor's income; low- and moderate-income sponsor fund; upgrading management and services in public housing projects; percentage of interest reduction payments for project owners; reduction of increase in public housing funds to $2 million; limitation of rent supplement program authorization to 1 year; review of low-rent public housing payments by the Appropriations Committee; consultation between HUD and local authorities before building urban housing developments. Pages 20297–20347

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 20360

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS—TABLE EGG MARKETING ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on several watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Dorn, Fuqua, and Pryor and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Hamilton and de la Garza.

Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry met in executive session and tabled H.R. 15537, Table Egg Marketing Act.

PROMOTION

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Enlisted Promotion Policy Review met in executive session and considered a revision of the Air Force promotion system. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Horace M. Wade, USAF Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and continued markup of H.R. 17748, occupational health and safety. No announcements were made.

EXCHANGE SALE PROCEDURES—HUNTING CREEK

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Donable Property concluded hearings on GSA–DOD exchange-sale procedures. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power continued hearings on Hunting Creek, Va., permit. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Printing met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks met in executive session and approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 10256, amended, to render the assertion of land claims by the U.S. based on accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defenses to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject;

H.R. 16771, amended, regarding the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, Morris County, N.J.;

H.R. 13512, regarding Mount Jefferson Wilderness, and Mount Hood National Forest.

RAILROAD PASSENGERS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics concluded hearings on H.R. 18212, and related bills, to authorize a study of essential railroad passenger service. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMMIGRATION AND CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and acted on several private claims and immigration bills.

MOBILE TRADE FAIR

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18340, mobile trade fair.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee in an open hearing heard testimony from a departmental witness.

HEALTH BENEFITS—INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held a hearing on health benefits. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on H.R. 17760 and S. 1035, relating to the invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from Senator Ervin.

RIVERS, HARBORS, AND FLOOD CONTROL—HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: The Subcommittees on Rivers and Harbors and Flood Control each met in executive session and considered items to be included in the omnibus rivers, harbors, and flood control bill. No announcements were made.

Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety design and operations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

FIREARMS CONTROL

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, with 3 hours of debate, making H.R. 6137 in order as an amendment on H.R. 17735, the State Firearms Control Assistance Act of 1968.

H.R. 15890, additional GS supergrades (open rule, 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider without the intervention of a point of order H.R. 16558 as an amendment; after passage of H.R. 15890 it shall be in order to take S. 3672 from the Speaker's table, move to strike all after the enacting clause, and amend it with the House-passed language).

H.R. 14314, trust funds for scholarships and child care centers (open rule, 1 hour of debate).

H.R. 15681, to consolidate and revise foreign assistance legislation relating to reimbursable military exports (open rule, 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order).

S. 2511, crude pine gum price support (open rule, 1 hour of debate).

S. 633, Foreign Service Information Officer Corps (open rule, 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order).

H.R. 12843, National Eye Institute (open rule, 1 hour of debate).

The committee also ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1239, authorizing the Speaker to appoint a special committee to investigate and report on campaign expenditures of candidates for the House.

Testimony on the request for a rule was heard from Representatives Dingell, Sikes, Bray, Roberts, Bevill, Bates, Burton, Saylor, Steiger or Arizona, Mathias of Maryland, and Railsback.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses,

COFFEE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18299, amended, to implement the International Coffee Agreement on 1968.

Joint Committee Meetings

MUNICIPAL FINANCE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Progress resumed its hearings on financing problems faced by municipal governments, having as its witnesses Robert C. Riehle, Moody's Investor Service; Brenton W. Harries, Standard & Poor's; Wade S. Smith,

director of municipal research, Dun & Bradstreet; and Walter W. Craigie, Sr., Craigie & Co., Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees, met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Friday, July 12.

Wednesday, July 10, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20423–20462

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3750–3757; S.J. Res. 187–188; and S. Res. 314. Pages 20428–20429, 20432

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, with amendments (S. Rept. 1375)—reported July 9, after adjournment pursuant to prior authorization;

S. 1385, directing that 25 percent of gross revenues from sale of timber on public lands shall be paid to the appropriate counties for use for public schools and roads, with amendments (S. Rept. 1376); and

S. 2439, increasing the number of judges on the D.C. Court of General Sessions, and increasing salaries therefor, with amendments (S. Rept. 1377).

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Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed seven bills, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Yosemite National Park: H.R. 4739, authorizing long-term leases on lands in the El Portal administrative site adjacent to Yosemite National Park, California; and

Hawaii leases: H.R. 15562, extending the act which authorizes loans by the Secretary of Agriculture on leasehold interests in Hawaii.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Milk indemnities: S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Wilderness: S. 3343, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Pelican Island National Wildlife Refuge, Florida;

Wilderness: S. 3379, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, New Jersey;

Wilderness: S. 3425, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge, Massachusetts; and

Wilderness: S. 3502, to designate as wilderness certain lands in Seney, Huron Islands, and Michigan Islands National Wildlife Refuges in Michigan, Gravel Island and Green Bay National Wildlife Refuges in Wisconsin, and Moosehorn National Wildlife Refuge, Maine.

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FTC Injunctions: S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for temporary injunctions or restraining orders for certain violations of that act, was returned to calendar when Senate took up other legislation. Page 20427

Highway Authorizations: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Randolph, Gruening, Jordan of North Carolina, Bayh, Young of Ohio, Cooper, Fong, and Jordan of Idaho. Pages 20433–20438

Air Transportation: Senator Cotton entered motion to reconsider action of Senate on Tuesday, July 9, in passing with committee amendment S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation."

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Water Pollution: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act, after adopting the following amendments to the committee amendment, and an amendment to the title of the bill:

Muskie amendments of a technical corrective nature, en bloc; Muskie amendment respecting substitution of contract authority for reimbursement of States under the 1966 act; and Muskie amendment to add a new section to control pollution from vessels within navigable waters of U.S. (text of S. 2525, S. Rept. 1371).

S. 2525 was indefinitely postponed. Pages 20462–20474

FPC: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority. Pages 20475–20476

D.C.: H.R. 13402, authorizing use of certain buildings in the D.C. for chancery purposes, was passed without amendment, clearing bill for Presidential action.

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Vessel Safety Standards: S. 3102, to postpone for 2 years the date on which passenger vessels operating solely on the inland rivers and waterways must comply with certain safety standards, was cleared for Presidential action when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto. Page 20474

Public Lands—Iowa: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for Presidential action H.R. 16065, to release on behalf of the U.S. conditions in deeds conveying lands to the State of Iowa. Pages 20476–20477

Public Lands—Iowa: S. 3495, to release restrictions on certain Iowa lands as a site for construction of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 20477–20478

Mailing of Master Keys: Senate took up H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches. Page 20478

Juvenile Delinquency: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act, agreed to hold conference requested by House, and appointed as conferees Senators Clark, Randolph, Nelson, Javits, and Prouty.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated June 3, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of Army, on review of report on Miami Harbor, Fla., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 93.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated June 3, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of Army, on review of reports on Sergius and Whitestone Narrows, Alaska, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 95. Page 20428

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated March 8, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of Army, on review of reports on Big Sioux River in vicinity of Sioux City, Iowa, and North Sioux City, S. Dak., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 94.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated May 3, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of Army, on interim report on Wabash River and tributaries, Indiana, Illinois, and Ohio, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 96. Page 20428

Confirmation: Nomination of James H. McCrocklin, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, was confirmed. Page 20490

Nominations: Numerous Army and Navy nominations were received. Pages 20484–20490

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:59 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 10 to 5, ordered reported without amendments S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities. As approved by the committee the bill would provide a four-year extension of the present farm program, including the class-1 milk base program. Committee agreed to strike the title of the bill relative to farm bargaining.

Committee also ordered reported S. 3578, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to South Carolina (amended); S. 3687, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to Ohio; and S. 3736, authorizing the sale to Central, New Mexico, of certain lands which were formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation.

Committee also approved the following watershed projects: Lower Big Swamp Creek, Ala.; Upper Big Swamp Creek, Ala.; Buttonwillow Water Management project, California; Head of Little Tennessee River (supplement), Georgia and North Carolina; Georgetown Creek, Idaho; Hurley Creek, S. Dak.; Darrs Creek, Tex.; and Willow Creek, Wis.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense establishment, receiving testimony on overall Defense Department research program from Dr. John S. Foster, Director of Defense Research and Engineering.

Hearings continue on Friday, July 12, to hear officials of various Defense Agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved for full committee consideration H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Secretary of State Dean Rusk and Director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency William C. Foster with regard to the

Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Exec. H, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings on riots in American cities, with testimony regarding reported inadequacies and improprieties in the administration of certain Office of Economic Opportunity programs in Chicago from Rev. Arthur Brazier, president, and Everett McCleary, both of the Woodlawn Organization, Chicago.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 16.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Mayor John V. Lindsay of New York City; and Dr. Gerald L. Glaser, past president, Medical Society of the County of Monroe, Inc., Rochester, N.Y.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

GUN CONTROLS, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3738, to amend the definition of "felony" as used in title VII of the omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (P.L. 90–351); 12 private immigration bills (S. 3042, 3043, 3051, 3075, 3076, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3085, 3152, 3166, and 3173); and two private claims bills (H.R. 2756 and 5233).

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 11 private immigration bills (S. 89, 377, 641, 1928, 2624, 2708, 3027, 3104, 3105, 3503, and 3611).

Committee also continued consideration of S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, and proposed amendments thereto, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Juvenile Delinquency Subcommittee continued hearings on S. 3604, S. 3634, and S. 3637, providing for the registration of firearms in the United States, having as its witnesses Representative Pollack; J. H. McCracken, National Skeet Shooting Association; and Leon S. Jackson, American Society of Arms Collectors.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

TAX COURT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery continued hearings on S. 2041, proposed U.S. Tax Court Act of 1968, having as its witnesses Sheldon Cohen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service, who was accompanied by Fred B. Smith, General Counsel, both of the Treasury-Department; and M. Carr Ferguson, professor, New York University School of Law.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MANPOWER, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 2938, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act (amended); H.R. 16025, providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans (amended); H.R. 3593, providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii (amended); H.R. 16902, to increase Federal payments to the States for veterans care; H.R. 7481, increasing Federal payments to community nursing homes for veterans care; H.R. 14954, extending subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for veterans; and S. Res. 281, to establish a select committee to study problems of hunger and malnutrition and other human needs in the U.S. (amended).

Also, committee approved the nominations of Thomas M. Healy, for reappointment to the Railroad Retirement Board; Howard Jenkins, Jr., for reappointment to the National Labor Relations Board; and a list of routine Public Health Service nominations.

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution concluded its hearings on waste management research and air quality criteria, after receiving testimony from Dr. John T. Middleton, Director, National Center for Air Pollution Control, and Richard D. Vaughan, Chief, Solid Waste Program, both of the Department of HEW; Dr. Leon Weinberger, Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, Department of the Interior; and Colonel Alvin F. Meyer, Jr. (USAF), Chairman, Environmental Pollution Control Committee, Department of Defense.

BIG BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittees on Monopoly and Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices held joint hearings to receive testimony on the question "are planning and regulation replacing competition in the American economy?" Today's witness was Ralph Nader, an attorney, who testified with regard to domination by three companies of the automobile manufacturing industry.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 18440–18464; 17 private bills, H.R. 18465–18481; and 17 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1396–1403, and H. Res. 1250–1258, were introduced.

Pages 20615–20617

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. Con. Res. 75, regarding statues for the National Statuary Hall collection from Hawaii (H. Rept. 1659);

Private bills, H.R. 14711, 8245, amended, and 13351, amended (H. Repts. 1660–1662);

H.R. 7696, to amend the Securities Exchange Act (H. Rept. 1663);

Conference report on H.R. 17354, the Department of Interior Appropriations (H. Rept. 1664);

H.J. Res. 946, to amend the Securities Exchange Act, amended (H. Rept. 1665);

H.R. 16086, regarding Choctaw Tribe of Oklahoma, amended (H. Rept. 1666);

S. 752, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act (H. Rept. 1667);

Private bills, H.R. 17222, 15402, amended, 14786, S. 1652, amended, 2250, 2488, 2506, and 2720 (H. Repts. 1668–1675);

H.R. 13099, regarding Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site, amended (H. Rept. 1676);

H. Res. 1239, regarding campaign expenditures of candidates for the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 1677);

Conference report on H.R. 15189, regarding maritime programs of the Department of Commerce (H. Rept. 1678);

H.R. 12962, regarding Commission on Negro History and Culture, amended (H. Rept. 1679);

H. Res. 1250, providing for the consideration of H.R. 12843, to provide for the establishment of a National Eye Institute (H. Rept. 1680);

H. Res. 1251, providing for the consideration of H.R. 14314, to amend the Labor-Management Relations Act (H. Rept. 1681);

H. Res. 1252, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15681, relating to reimbursable military exports (H. Rept. 1682);

H. Res. 1253, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15890, to provide for additional positions in certain executive agencies (H. Rept. 1683);

H. Res. 1254, providing for the consideration of H.R. 17685, to amend the Federal Aviation Act (H. Rept. 1684);

H. Res. 1255, providing for the consideration of S. 633, regarding Foreign Service Information Officer Corps (H. Rept. 1685);

H. Res. 1256, providing for the consideration of S. 2511, regarding crude pine gum (H. Rept. 1686);

H. Res. 1257, providing for the consideration of S. 2658, regarding vehicle weight and width limitations (H. Rept. 1687); and

H. Res. 1258, providing for the consideration of S. 3293, the defense procurement authorization (H. Rept. 1688).

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Juvenile Delinquency: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 12120, the Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act of 1967; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Pucinski, Brademas, Carey, William D. Ford, Meeds, Ayres, Ashbrook, Quie, and Goodell.

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Housing-Urban Development: The House passed, by a record vote of 295 yeas to 114 nays, H.R. 17989, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3497 in lieu of H.R. 17989 after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

By a record vote of 217 yeas to 193 nays, the House adopted the motion to recommit with instructions to delete Upgrading Management and Services in Public Housing Projects section and Interim Assistance for Blighted Areas section.

Adopted amendments regarding—

Income limitations on low-income housing (by a record vote of 271 yeas to 137 nays);

Subsidy allowed to rental tenants;

Income limitations on low-income rentals;

Relocation payments;

Limitation of funds for the rehabilitation loans to $150 million a year;

Putting rehabilitation loans on an area scale;

Economic development districts;

Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act;

Implementation of grants to public officials representative of the political jurisdictions;

Self-help program;

District of Columbia participation under the bill;

Flood insurance;

Use expectancy of equipment;

Hospitals;

Loans for second homes or vacation homes;

Dormitories; and

Low-rent public housing section.

The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3497 (title above); requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, Ashley, Moorhead, Widnall, Dwyer, and Brown of Michigan.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED—HONEY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit continued hearings on various watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mark Andrews, Robert Mathias, and Scherle and departmental witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives George Hansen and Landrum.

Subcommittee on Research and Extension met in executive session and considered and passed over without prejudice H.R. 16455, Honey Promotion and Research Act.

ARMED FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 held hearings on the following bills:

H.R. 6729, makes members of the Reserve and National Guard ordered to active duty for training for periods of 30 days or more eligible for quarters allowances;

H.R. 13720, modifies requirements for incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations;

H.R. 16254, increases strength and promotion of officers in Medical, Dental, and Medical Service Corps;

H.R. 17610, to authorize reenlistment bonus;

H.R. 17780, to direct payment of special pay to members of the uniformed services held captive in North Korea; and

H.R. 18146, to correct an inequity affecting officers of the Supply Corps and Civil Engineer Corps of the Navy.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Cleveland, O'Konski, Shriver, and Stafford and departmental witnesses.

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Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16775, to provide for increased participation by the U.S in the International Development Association.

NEGRO MUSEUM—OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY—EISENHOWER

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 12692, amended, Negro museum, and H.R. 17748, amended, occupational health and safety.

Special Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.J. Res. 800, Eisenhower college funds. Testimony was heard from Representative Stratton and public witnesses.

PENDING LEGISLATION

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and considered pending legislation.

INDIAN AFFAIRS—PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 16086, amended, regarding the Choctaw Tribe of Oklahoma;

H.R. 4530, amended, regarding the Government's interest in mineral rights;

H.R. 13797, amended, authorizes the sale of public land not exceeding 120 acres which contains some land which may be cultivated.

SECURITIES—INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered the following bills reported to the House:

H.R. 7696, regulates the amount of credit that may be extended and maintained with respect to securities that are not registered on a national securities exchange;

H.J. Res. 946, amended, directs the SEC to study the purchase, sale, and holding of securities by institutional investors of all types;

S. 752, provides for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities under the Security Exchange Act.

IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS—ARREST AUTHORITY OF POSTAL INSPECTOR—CHECKS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 2 heard testimony on several private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18100, amended, to empower postal inspectors to serve warrants and subpenas and to make arrests without warrants for certain offenses against the U.S.; and S. 1440, makes unlawful the interstate transportation of traveler's checks bearing a forged countersignature.

COASTWISE TRADE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18254, stevedore and container equipment bill.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bill. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

HEALTH BENEFITS—INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held a hearing on health benefits. Testimony was heard from Representative Joel Broyhill and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from Representative Matsunaga.

RULES

Committee on Rules: The following open rules were granted:

S. 3293, military procurement authorization; 2 hours of debate, making it in order to consider without the intervention of a point of order the amendment in the nature of a substitute.

H.R. 17685, supplemental air transportation; 1 hour of debate, making it in order to consider the committee substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment.

S. 2658, vehicle weight and width limitations in the Interstate System; 1 hour of debate.

PUBLIC WORKS—JURY TRIAL—WATERSHED—NAVIGATION—FLOOD CONTROL—HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 3710, amended, public works authorization; and H.R. 4846, amended, provides for jury trial on compensation in TVA condemnation cases; the committee also approved 10 watershed projects, 14 navigation survey resolutions, and 10 flood control resolutions.

The Subcommittee on Watershed Development met in executive session and approved for full committee action 10 watershed projects.

Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety design and operations. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

MUNICIPAL FINANCE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Progress continued its hearings on financing problems faced by municipal governments, receiving testimony from Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; William B. Camp, Comptroller of the Currency; and William W. Sherrill, Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

SHIP CONSTRUCTION FUNDS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce.

APPROPRIATIONS—INTERIOR

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20801–20879

Bills Introduced: 15 bills and 10 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3758–3772; S.J. Res. 189; and S. Res. 315–323. Pages 20820–20821, 20834

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, with amendments (S. Rept. 1378);

S. 3687, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to Ohio (S. Rept. 1379);

S. 3578, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to South Carolina, with amendment (S. Rept. 1380);

H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration, with amendments (S. Rept. 1381);

S. 3173, 3083, and H.R. 2756, private bills (S. Repts. 1382–1384);

H.R. 17324, to amend and extend Renegotiation Act of 1951, with amendments (S. Rept. 1385);

S. 3770, Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, with supplemental views (S. Rept. 1386);

S. 3769, omnibus Education Act of 1968, with supplemental views (S. Rept. 1387);

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Separation of Powers" (S. Rept. 1388);

S. 858, permitting recovery of attorney's fees in cases of recovery of damages sustained in transportation of property, with individual views (S. Rept. 1389);

H.R. 7481, increasing Federal payments to community nursing homes for veterans' care (S. Rept. 1390);

H.R. 14954, extending subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for veterans (S. Rept. 1391);

H.R. 16902, to increase Federal payments to the States for veterans' care (S. Rept. 1392);

H.R. 3593, providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii, with amendments (S. Rept. 1393); and

H.R. 16025, providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans, with amendments (S. Rept. 1394).

The following resolutions authorizing additional expenditures by Committee on the Judiciary for investigations by various of its subcommittees, as indicated, were in each instance reported without written report and referred to Committee on Rules and Administration:

S. Res. 317—$1,000—Revision and Codification;

S. Res. 318—$10,000—Constitutional Rights;

S. Res. 319—$5,000—Separation of Powers;

S. Res. 320—$15,000—Immigration and Naturalization;

S. Res. 321—$17,500—Antitrust and Monopoly;

S. Res. 322—$10,000—Constitutional Amendments; and

S. Res. 323—$10,000—Administrative Practice and Procedure. Pages 20819–20820, 20834

Grain: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain. Pages 20801–20803

Gas Pipeline Safety: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 1166, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety regulations for the transportation of natural gas by pipeline, asked for conference, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Pastore, Monroney, Hartke, Cotton, and Morton. Pages 20810–20813

FTC Injunctions: Senate passed S. 3065, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act by providing for preliminary injunctions for certain violations of that act, after adopting amendments thereto, as follows:

By 42 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cotton amendment No. 866 to eliminate language providing that upon proper showing a temporary injunction or restraining order shall be granted without bond but providing instead that only a preliminary injunction shall be so granted; and Hruska amendment providing that court may grant a preliminary injunction without bond as it shall deem just under the same conditions and principles as injunctive relief against conduct or threatened conduct that will cause loss or damage is granted by equity courts. The title of the bill was amended to reflect adoption of the Cotton amendment. Pages 20871–20876, 20989

Housing: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, Williams of New Jersey, Muskie, Bennett, Tower, and Percy. Page 20876

Home Improvement Industry: S.J. Res. 130, authorizing the FTC to investigate unfair or deceptive practices in the home improvements industry, was passed (motion to reconsider tabled) after adopting committee amendment and a Hruska amendment to eliminate language that upon proper showing a temporary injunction or restraining order shall be granted without bond and providing instead that court upon proper showing may grant a preliminary injunction without bond as it shall deem just under the same conditions and principles as injunctive relief against conduct or threatened conduct that will cause loss or damage is granted by equity courts. Pages 20898–20900

Interior Appropriations: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 17354, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, after adopting conference report thereon. Pages 20893–20898

Air Transportation: After debate thereof, Senator Cotton withdrew his motion to reconsider passage on July 9 of S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation." Pages 20912–20914

Mailing of Master Keys: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendments H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches, after adopting committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) as amended by adoption of Monroney amendments en bloc to make clear that postal inspectors may make arrests for postal crimes committed in their presence or when they have reasonable ground to believe a felony has been committed. Pages 20876, 20912–20915

Military Construction: H.R. 16703, fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Page 20912

Printing: Letter from Secretary of Army transmitting report, dated June 3, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of Army, on review of report on Mississippi River—Gulf Outlet Michoud Canal, Louisiana, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 97. Page 20820

Aircraft Noise: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 3400, to amend the Federal Aviation Act so as to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation, after rejecting, by 12 yeas to 55 nays, Case-Proxmire amendment No. 876 to ban operation of

nonmilitary aircraft over U.S. in such a way as to produce sonic booms and to provide for a 2-year study to determine what exposures to sonic booms are detrimental to health and welfare (incorporating provisions of S. 3399).

Motion to reconsider passage of bill was tabled.

Pages 20915–20931

Banks: Senate passed without amendment S. 356, relating to branch offices of the Michigan National Bank, Lansing. Page 20931

Public Lands: Senate took up S. 1385, directing that 25 percent of gross revenues from sale of timber on public lands shall be paid to the appropriate counties for use for public schools and roads. Pages 20931–20932

Senate Meeting Time: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate adjourns on Friday, July 12, it will be until 10 a.m. Monday, July 15. Page 20934

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: numerous Foreign Service; numerous Army in the rank of general; 21 postmasters; and one postmaster withdrawal. Pages 20934–20936

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL GUARD TECHNICIANS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee continued its executive consideration of proposed legislation dealing with retirement of National Guard technicians, but did not conclude action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

Committee ordered favorably reported 2,423 nominations in the Air Force.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

The nomination of Louis M. Thayer, of Florida, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board;

H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices (amended);

H.R. 17524, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act relative to construction differential subsidies;

H.R. 10923, authorizing conveyance to the Izaak Walton League of the Argos National Fish Hatchery in Indiana;

H.R. 25, authorizing cooperation with the States in protecting and developing estuarine areas of the counties which have sporting, scenic, or recreational value (amended); and

S. 3704, continuing authority to promote U.S. foreign commerce through the use of mobile trade fairs (amended).

Prior to this action, committee held open hearings on the nomination of Mr. Thayer, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its hearings on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff General Earle G. Wheeler; and Deputy Secretary of Defense Paul H. Nitze.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization continued hearings for an overall review of public and private health care facilities in the U.S., having as its witnesses Senator Magnuson; Dr. Ernest Sayward, the Permanente Clinic, Portland, Oreg., accompanied by Scott Fleming, Kaiser Foundation Health Plan, Oakland, Calif.; and Harold J. Gibbons, president, Labor Health Institute, St. Louis.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NATIONAL SECURITY PLANNING

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, in executive session, heard Administrator of the Agency for International Development William S. Gaud testify and answer questions with regard to planning, programing, and budgeting in the national security area.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings regarding the nominations of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice, and Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice, both of the U.S. Supreme Court, with testimony from Attorney General Ramsey Clark.

Hearings continue tomorrow when Senator Griffin will testify.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings on the subject of Federal employees labor-management relations, receiving testimony from Senator Brewster; Representative Blackburn; E. C. Hallbeck and Patrick J. Nilan, both of United Federation of Postal Clerks, AFL–CIO; and Jerome Keating, president, accompanied by James H. Rademacher, both of the National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL–CIO.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 18482–18504; 20 private bills, H.R. 18505–18524; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1404–1407 and H. Res. 1259–1261, were introduced. Pages 20799–20800

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 18203, regarding Gallaudet College (H. Rept. 1689);

Private measures, H.R. 1722, amended, H. Res. 1216, H.R. 7502, 8588, amended, H. Res. 743, H. Res. 954, H.R. 1756, 3472, amended, 9567, amended, 13374, amended, 14467, amended, 17109, S. 1470, and H.J. Res. 1034, amended (H. Repts. 1691–1703);

H.R. 18299, regarding International Coffee Agreement (H. Rept. 1704);

H. Res. 1259, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15067, to amend the Higher Education Act (H. Rept. 1705);

H. Res. 1260, providing for the consideration of H.R. 18249, to amend the Food Stamp Act (H. Rept. 1706);

H. Res. 1261, providing for the consideration of S. 945, to abolish the office of U.S. Commissioner and establish the office of U.S. Magistrate (H. Rept. 1707);

H.R. 17144, the American Hunger Commission Act, amended (H. Rept. 1708); and

S. 3710, regarding navigation and flood control (H. Rept. 1709). Page 20799

Agriculture Appropriations: Granted permission for the conferees to file a conference report by midnight, Friday, July 12, on H.R. 16913, the Agriculture appropriations bill. Page 20675

Interior Appropriations: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 17354, the Department of the Interior, and related agencies, appropriations, 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Receded and concurred in amendments Nos. 6, 7, 8, 11, and 36. Pages 20676–20683

Legislative Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18038, the legislative branch appropriation bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Andrews of Alabama, Steed, Kirwan, Yates, Casey, Mahon, Langen, Reifel, Andrews of North Dakota, Wyman, and Bow. Page 20676

Public Buildings—Handicapped: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 222, to insure that public buildings financed with Federal funds are so designed and constructed as to be accessible to the physically handicapped; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Gray, Jones of Alabama, Wright, Grover, and McEwen. Page 20683

Federal-Aid Highways: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3418, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1968; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Fallon, Kluczynski, Wright, Edmondson, Cramer, Harsha, and Don Clausen. Page 20684

Capitol Police Pay: Agreed to Senate amendments to H. Con. Res. 785, relating to the pay of the U.S. Capitol Police Force for duty performed in emergencies. Page 20684

International Claims: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 9063, the amendments to the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 20684–20687

Military Construction: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 16703, the military construction authorization for fiscal year 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 20687–20705

Defense Procurement: By a record vote of 362 yeas to 15 nays the House passed S. 3293, the defense procurement authorization, 1969.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services.

Adopted an amendment designed to reduce by $10 million the research, development, test, and evaluation funds for the Army, and the committee amendment.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Funds for helicopters;

Anti-ballistic-missile funds;

Contract procurement of commercial airlift utilizing piston-powered aircraft;

Military guns not to be sold to private citizens;

Reduction of total authorization by $295 million; and

Reserve strength in each State.

H. Res. 1258, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20705–20769

Referrals: Seven Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 20798

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved the following watershed projects:

Beaverdam Creek, S.C.;

California Lake, Fla;

Chicot Creek, Ark.;

Delaney Creek, Ind.;

Los Fresnos Resaca, Tex.;
Lower Salt Creek, Kans.;
Midland-Drayton, N. Dak.;
Suwanee Creek, Ga.;
Waubonsie Creek, Iowa;
Buttonwillow Water Management Project, Calif.;
Darrs Creek, Tex.;
Georgetown Creek, Idaho;
Head of Little Tennessee River (Supplement), N.C. and Ga.;
Hurley Creek, S. Dak.;
Willow Creek, Wis.

Prior to the full committee action the Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on the 15 watershed projects and then in executive session approved them for full committee action. Testimony was heard from Representatives Landrum, Reifel, and Vernon Thomson, and departmental witnesses.

ARMED FORCES

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved the following bills for full committee action:

H.R. 6729, amended, Reserve and National Guard quarters allowances;
H.R. 16254, Armed Forces medical services;
H.R. 13720, submarine staff incentive pay;
H.R. 17780, Armed Forces—prisoner's pay;
H.R. 18146, Navy Supply and Civil Engineer Corps.

The subcommittee tabled H.R. 17610, reenlistment bonus.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bills. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

VOLUNTEER POLICE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 held a hearing on H.R. 17502 and H.R. 16420, to utilize volunteers for active police duty. Testimony was heard from Public Safety Director Patrick Murphy; D.C. Chief of Police John B. Layton; and departmental witnesses.

ALASKA LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on H.R. 11213, to settle the land claims of Alaska natives; H.R. 15049, the Alaska Native Land Claims Settlement Act of 1968; and H.R. 17129, to provide for the settlement of aboriginal land claims of Alaska natives. Testimony was heard from Representative Pollock; Senator Gruening; Walter J. Hickel, Governor of Alaska; and public witnesses.

RAILROAD PASSENGERS—PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Full committee met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18212, amended, to authorize a study of essential railroad passenger service.

CLAIMS—NORTHWEST REGIONAL SERVICES CORPORATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on private claims bills.

Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on S. 1602, and related bills, to create Northwest Regional Services Corporation. Testimony was heard from Representative Olsen, and departmental witnesses.

COASTWISE TRADE—MOBILE TRADE FAIRS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18254, stevedore and container equipment bill; H.R. 18340, amended, to provide for the continuation of authority to develop American-flag carriers and promote the foreign commerce of the U.S. through the use of mobile trade fairs; and H.R. 12766, a private bill.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAY

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on the Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety design and operations. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted the following open rules:

S. 945, the Federal Magistrates Act, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Cahill, McClure, Poff, and Byron Rogers.

H.R. 15067, higher education amendments of 1968, 2 hours of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives Green, Perkins, and Quie.

H.R. 15757, Health Manpower Act of 1968, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Staggers.

H.R. 18249, 1969 food stamp authorization, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representatives May, Poage, and Sullivan.

The committee also ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1247, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cramer and Kluczynski.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued

hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES OF GASOLINE COMPANIES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on the use of games of chance in gasoline marketing and their impact on small business. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

MUNICIPAL FINANCE

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economic Progress concluded its current series of hearings on financing problems faced by municipal governments, after receiving testimony from Walter H. Tyler, president, Walter Tyler & Co., New York City; James F. Reilly, partner in charge of bond division, Goodbody & Co., New York City; and Bert A. Betts, Bert A. Betts & Associates, Sacramento.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, July 16.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 20964–20967

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 3773. Page 20968

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3042, 3043, 3051, 3075, 3076, 3081, 3082, 3085, 3152, and 3166, private bills (S. Repts. 1395–1404).

Pages 20967–20968

Private Bills: The following three private bills were passed as indicated:

H.R. 2756, without amendment and cleared for White House;

S. 3173, without amendment; and

S. 3083, with committee amendment. Page 20965

Public Lands: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 1385, directing that 25 percent of gross revenues from sale of timber on public lands shall be paid to the appropriate counties for use for public schools and roads. Page 20967

Higher Education: Senate took up S. 3769, proposed higher education amendments of 1968. Page 20993

Legislative Program: Majority leader announced that next week will be the crucial test in determining whether the goal of sine die adjournment by August 3 will be reached and it is therefore the intention of the leadership to convene early and stay late, if necessary, each day next week, and it is intended to meet next Saturday, if necessary, to take action on the following bills:

On Monday morning Senate will consider its unfinished business S. 3769, higher education, to be followed by S. 3770, vocational education, and H.R. 17023, independent offices appropriations, after which it is hoped, on Monday, or as soon thereafter as possible, to consider S. 3724, mutual funds.

Thereafter, it is hoped that H.R. 18188, Transportation Department appropriations, will be ready for floor consideration, to be followed by S. 3590, farm bill.

The latter part of the week Senate should be considering H.R. 17903, public works appropriations; H.R. 18027, Labor-HEW appropriations; and H.R. 17522, State-Justice-Commerce appropriations. Other matters on the calendar will be considered as time permits.

The leadership requested that all Members arrange their schedules to permit the fullest attendance.

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Treaty Received: Convention on Transit Trade of Land-locked States (Ex. I, 90th Cong., second sess.), signed on behalf of U.S. December 30, 1965, was received; referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 20968

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Louis M. Thayer, of Florida, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board; Thomas M. Healy, of Illinois, to be a member of Railroad Retirement Board; Howard Jenkins, Jr., of Colorado, to be a member of the NLRB; numerous Air Force; and numerous Public Health Service. Page 20994

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on fiscal 1969

budget estimates for the Defense Establishment, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective agencies from Lt. Gen. Harold C. Donnelly, Director, Defense Atomic Support Agency; Vice Adm. Vernon L. Lowrance, Deputy Director, Defense Intelligence Agency; and Marshall Carter, Director, National Security Agency.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 15, when public witnesses will be heard.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued hearings on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), having as its witnesses Glenn T. Seaborg, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; and Prof. Robert Strausz-Hupe, University of Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 17, when public witnesses will be heard.

ALASKA CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on S .1964, 2690, 2906, and 3586, legislation to settle the Alaska native land claims. Testimony was received from Representative Pollock; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; a panel of witnesses composed of Emil Notti, president, Don Wright, vice president, and Cliff Groh and Barry Jackson, legal counsel, all of the Alaska Federation of Natives; Willie Hensley, Governor's task force; John Borbridge, Tlinket-Haida Central Council; and other witnesses from Alaska.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings regarding the nominations of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice, and Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice, both of the U.S. Supreme Court. Witnesses heard were Senator Griffin; Mr. Thornberry; Charles Callas, editor of *Considered Comment;* Kent Courtney, editor of *Conservative Journal;* Marx Lewis, council against Communist aggression; and Benjamin Ginsburg, former staff member of the Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Hearings continue next week, Tuesday, on the nomination of Mr. Fortas, and Wednesday on Mr. Thornberry's nomination.

HEALTH

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Health held hearings on S. 3094, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs; S. 2989, to provide for specialized facilities for rehabilitation of alcoholics and narcotic addicts; and S. 1508, providing for a comprehensive program for the care and control of alcoholism. Testimony was received from Senator Moss; Dr. Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs, Dr. Robert Q. Marston, Administrator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration, Dr. Stanley F. Yolles, Director, National Institute of Mental Health, and Ralph Hewitt, Assistant Secretary for Legislation, all of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Dr. Faxon Payne, Hopkinsville, Ky.; Dr. Mark Johnson, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Sidney Rosen, Dr. Belding Scribner, of Seattle, and Dr. Ira Griefer, professor, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New York City, all of the National Kidney Foundation; George Demos, North American Association of Alcoholism Programs; Dr. Donald Hammersley, American Psychiatric Association; Harry Schnibbe, National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors; and Mike Gorman, National Council on Alcoholism.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee continued hearings on the subject of Federal employees labor-management relations, receiving testimony from John F. Griner, president, accompanied by Carl K. Sadler, both of the American Federation of Government Employees; David Silvergleid, National Postal Union; and Reed Larson, National Right-To-Work Committee.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 18525–18547; 11 private bills, H.R. 18548–18558; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1408 and 1409, H. Con. Res. 797, and H. Res. 1262–1264, were introduced. **Pages 21072–21073**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 12766, a private bill (H. Rept. 1710);

S. 510, providing for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities, amended (H. Rept. 1711);

H.R. 18254, to amend the Merchant Marine Act (H. Rept. 1712);

H.R. 18340, to amend the Merchant Marine Act, amended (H. Rept. 1713);

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1714);

H. Res. 1262, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15757, Health Manpower Act of 1968 (H. Rept. 1715); and

H. Res. 1247, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works (H. Rept. 1716).

Page 21072

Postal Badges: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 10773, permits the uniform or badge of the letter-carrier

branch of the postal service to be worn in theatrical, television, or motion picture productions when the portrayal does not tend to discredit the service, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Page 20994

Private Bill: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 3865, a private bill, and asked for a conference. The Speaker appointed as conferees on the part of the House Representatives Ashmore, Hungate, and Smith of New York. Page 20994

Mail Fraud: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 1411, revises the provisions of present law prohibiting the use of the mails for fraudulent and lottery matter. Pages 20994–20995

Agricultural and Trade Development: Agreed to the conference report on S. 2986, to extend for 2 years the Agricultural and Trade Development and Assistance Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 20995–20996

Rule: Adopted H. Res. 1217, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15651, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act. Page 20998

Private Bill: By unanimous consent agreed to pass over and not consider on the call of the Private Calendar on Tuesday, July 16, 1968, H.R. 16187. Page 20998

Public Health: By a record vote of 325 yeas to 1 nay, the House passed H.R. 15758, to amend the Public Health Service Act. Adopted the committee amendment.

H. Res. 1235, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20996, 21000–21011

Committee on Crime: By a record vote of 318 yeas to 12 nays, the House passed H.J. Res. 1, to create a Joint Committee To Investigate Crime, amended. Pages 20112–21032

LSD: By a record vote of 319 yeas to 2 nays, the House passed H.R. 14096, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs by unauthorized persons, amended.

H. Res. 1225, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20997–20998, 21032–21041

State Technical Services Act: By a record vote of 309 yeas to 2 nays, the House passed H.R. 16824, to extend for an additional year the authorization of the appropriations under the State Technical Services Act of 1965, amended.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3245 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

H. Res. 1246, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20999, 21041–21043

Ground Transportation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 16024, to extend for 1 year the act of September 30, 1965, relating to high-speed ground transportation, amended.

H. Res. 1245, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 20998–20999, 21043–21047

Gas Pipeline: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 1166, the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Macdonald of Massachusetts, Kornegay, Van Deerlin, Springer, Broyhill of North Carolina, and Harvey. Page 21048

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 21072

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of July 17, 1968. Page 21048

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:33 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PERFORMANCE BOND

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1532, amended, requires that contracts for the construction, alteration, or repair of any public building or public work of the District of Columbia be accompanied by a performance bond protecting the District of Columbia and by an additional bond for the protection of persons furnishing material and labor.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held a hearing on S. 282 and H.R. 3051, to provide for the termination of Federal supervision over the property of the Confederated Tribes of Colville Indians located in the State of Washington and the individual members thereof. Testimony was heard from Representative Foley and public witnesses.

SECURITIES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 510, amended, provides for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities under the Securities Exchange Act.

INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hear-

ings on S. 1035, invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from a public witness.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Monday, July 15, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 21166–21227

Bills Introduced: 62 bills and 51 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3774–3835; and S. Res. 324–374.

Pages 21167–21169, 21180–21185

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works, with amendments (S. Rept. 1405);

H.R. 2695, 3681, 4818, 4819, 4821, 5615, 8087, 8809, and 14323, private bills (S. Repts. 1406–1414). Page 21167

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 21259

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, was ordered to be placed on calendar.

Food for Freedom: S. 2986, to provide for a 2-year extension of Public Law 480 of the 83d Congress, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 21227–21228

Higher Education: By unanimous vote of 83 yeas, Senate passed with amendments S. 3769, proposed higher education amendments of 1968, after adopting the following three amendments:

Spong amendment to include population among factors to be considered in distributing graduate programs under the National Defense Education Act; Dirksen amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) to add new section to require enforcement of compulsory school attendance laws; and Dominick amendment to eliminate language of title XII—U.S. Foreign Service Corps.

Pages 21228–21272

Central Arizona Project: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the Central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Church, Gruening, Hayden, Kuchel, Allott, and Jordan of Idaho. Pages 21314–21319

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 15 bills, 10 of which were private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Veterans: H.R. 7481, increasing Federal payments to community nursing homes for veterans' care;

Veterans: H.R. 14954, extending subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for veterans; and

Veterans: H.R. 16902, to increase Federal payments to the States for veterans' care.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Veterans: H.R. 16025, providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans; and

Veterans: H.R. 3593, providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Nine private bills, S. 3042, 3166, 3085, 3082, 3081, 3076, 3075, 3051, and 3043.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: One private bill, S. 3152. Page 21303

Sea-Grant Colleges: H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration, was taken from calendar and referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare with instructions that it be reported back by close of business Wednesday, July 17. Page 21309

Senate Authorizations: The following authorizations were granted to be in effect during Senate adjournment until noon Wednesday, July 17: Secretary of Senate authorized to receive messages from House; Vice President authorized to sign enrolled bills; and committees authorized to file reports. Page 21313

Military Procurement: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, Symington, Jackson, Smith, and Thurmond.

Pages 21313–21314

Authority To Meet: Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, July 17. Page 21319

Vocational Education: Senate took from desk and considered H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968. Senator Morse offered motion to substitute for text of H.R. 18366 the language of S. 3770, companion bill, which was then amended by adoption of Dirksen amendment to add language to require enforcement of compulsory school attendance laws, and

Morse amendment to add language on residential vocational education schools.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that at conclusion of routine morning business on Wednesday, July 17, further debate will be limited as follows: 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); 1 hour, equally divided, on question of passage of bill; and vote to be taken on passage of bill not later than 4 p.m.

Pending at adjournment was Dominick-Murphy amendment (to language of S. 3770, as amended), to transfer Headstart program from Office of Economic Opportunity to Office of Education.

Pages 21272–21303, 21309–21313

South Asia Films: Senator Ellender on Friday, July 12, announced that he will present documentary films in color and sound dealing with South Asian nations on Tuesday, July 16, in the Senate auditorium, room G–308, New Senate Office Building. The showings will be from 1 to 2 p.m.; 4 to 5 p.m.; and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., and are open to Members of Congress and their staffs as well as to the general public. Page 20993

Treaty Received: Agreement on Rescue and Return of Astronauts, signed April 22, 1968, at Washington, London, and Moscow, on behalf of the U.S., United Kingdom, and Soviet Russia (Ex. J, 90th Cong., second sess.) was received and referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 21167

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Harold Francis Linder, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada; and 18 postmasters.

Pages 21322–21323

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works.

Prior to this action, subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and approved this bill for full committee consideration.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee continued hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the Defense establishment, receiving testimony from several public witnesses on various items.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee resumed hearings on H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, to receive testimony from Transportation Secretary Alan Boyd with regard to funds for urban mass transportation for fiscal year 1970.

The full committee will meet in executive session tomorrow for the purpose of marking up this bill.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor concluded hearings on S. 3149, permitting employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances, after receiving testimony from Charles Donahue, Solicitor, Department of Labor; John Buster, Painting & Decorating Contractors of America; John E. Healy II, Associated General Contractors of America; J. M. Graney and G. R. Collins, both for National Constructors Association; Gilbert G. Dorsett and Robert Wood, both for Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association; Larry P. Mutter and J. D. Mack, both of National Association of Plumbing, Heating, Cooling Contractors; Leon Kromer, Mechanical Contractors Association of America, Inc.; and Harry P. Taylor, General Builders Contractors Association.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 18559–18580; 31 private bills, H.R. 18581–18611; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1410 and H. Res. 1265, were introduced.

Pages 21508–21509

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 18038, the legislative appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1718); and

H.R. 16175, regarding headquarters site for the Organization of American States, amended (H. Rept. 1717).

Page 21508

Recessed: The House recessed from 10:09 a.m. to 11 a.m. out of respect at the death of Representative Pool, of Texas. Page 21324

Interparliamentary Union: Received and read a communication regarding U.S. Group of the Interparliamentary Union. Pages 21324–21325

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Great Lakes: S. 660, to grant the consent of Congress to a Great Lakes Basin compact.

Northwest Atlantic Fisheries: S. 1260, to amend the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Act.

Fishing: S. 1752, to amend the act prohibiting fishing

in the territorial waters of the United States and in certain other areas by vessels other than vessels of the United States and by persons in charge of such vessels.

Copyrights: S.J. Res. 172, to extend the duration of copyright protection in certain cases.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Choctaw Tribe: H.R. 16086, regarding affairs of the Choctaw Tribe of Oklahoma.

Adopted by the House:

Thomasite teachers: H. Res. 970, to extend the greetings of the U.S. House of Representatives to the Congress of the Philippines in commemoration of the arrival of the Thomasite teachers.

Eligible bill not considered:

Passed over without prejudice: S. 3143. Page 21327

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Vocational Education Act: H.R. 18366, to amend the Vocational Education Act of 1963 (by a record vote of 390 yeas). Pages 21334–21369

Navigation-Flood Control: S. 3710, to authorize the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors for navigation, and flood control (amended and returned to the Senate, by a record vote of 307 yeas to 85 nays). Pages 21369–21386

Redwood National Park: S. 2515, to authorize the establishment of the Redwood National Park in the State of California (by a record vote of 388 yeas to 15 nays, amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 21386–21414

Vessel Cargoes: H.R. 163, to prevent vessels built or rebuilt outside the United States or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the United States (amended, by a record vote of 370 yeas to 30 nays) . Pages 21414–21416

Mountain Park: H.R. 9362, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma (amended). Pages 21416–21420

Foreign Service Buildings Act: H.R. 18065, to amend the Foreign Service Buildings Act, to authorize additional appropriations. Page 21420

Passport Laws: S. 1418, to make several changes in the passport laws presently in force (amended, by a record vote of 324 yeas to 71 nays, and returned to Senate). Pages 21420–21423

Palmetto Bend Project: H.R. 5117, to construct, operate, and maintain stage 1 of the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas (amended, by a record vote of 294 yeas to 104 nays). Pages 21423–21426

Trail System: S. 827 (in lieu of H.R. 4865), to establish a nationwide system of trails (amended, by a record vote of 378 yeas to 18 nays, returned to the Senate). Pages 21426–21439

Dairy Farmers: S. 3638 (in lieu of H.R. 17752), to provide indemnity payments to dairy farmers (amended, returned to the Senate). Pages 21439–21440

Federal Power Act: S. 2445 (in lieu of H.R. 12698), to amend part I of the Federal Power Act (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 21440–21444

Nonregistered securities: S. 1299 (in lieu of H.R. 7696), to amend the Securities and Exchange Act (amended, returned to the Senate). Pages 21444–21445

Gallaudet College: H.R. 18203, to increase the size of the Board of Directors of Gallaudet College. Pages 21445–21446

Missouri River Basin project: S. 6, to construct, operate, and maintain the initial stage of the Oahe unit, James Division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota (by a record vote of 264 yeas to 128 nays, amended, returned to the Senate). Pages 21446–21450

Interstate Commerce Act: S. 752, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act (by a record vote of 271 yeas to 106 nays, cleared for the White House). Pages 21461–21467

Institutional investors: H.J. Res. 946, to amend the Securities Exchange Act (amended). Pages 21467–21470

Fish-Wildlife: H.R. 11026, regarding facilitating the conduct of the fish and wildlife conservation and rehabilitation program (amended). Pages 21471–21473

Hunger Commission: H.R. 17144, to establish a Commission on Hunger (amended). Pages 21473–21479

American-flag carriers: H.R. 18340, regarding American-flag carriers and promotion of the foreign commerce of the United States through the use of mobile trade fairs (amended). Pages 21479–21480

Merchant Marine Act: H.R. 18254, to amend further section 27 of the Merchant Marine Act. Pages 21480–21481

Securities Exchange Act: S. 510, providing for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (amended and returned to the Senate). Pages 21481–21484

Concentrated orange juice: S. 3143, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to make frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of such act (cleared for White House). Page 21484

Scenic Rivers System: By a voice vote the House refused to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 18260, to pro-

vide for a national scenic rivers system. (A two-thirds majority is required to suspend the rules and pass a bill.)

Pages 21450–21461

Condolence Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 1265, that the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Representative Pool, of Texas. Appointed the Texas delegation in the House as a committee to attend the funeral. Pages 21507–21508

Adjournment: Adjourned at 11:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on various watershed projects. Testimony was heard from Representatives Evans, Don Edwards, Joel Broyhill, Gathings, and Gubser and departmental witnesses.

OLDER AMERICANS—LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 17867, amendments to the Older Americans Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on H.R. 15990, directing the Secretary of Labor to investigate and report on seasonality in the construction industry and its effect on the national manpower policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EL SALVADOR SUMMIT CONFERENCE

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs received a briefing from Robert M. Sayre, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, on the recent summit conference in El Salvador.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

BOEING-TIE CONTRACT

Committee on Government Operations: Special Studies Subcommittee held a hearing on the Boeing-TIE contract. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

OIL IMPORT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining met in executive session, discussed and referred to the full committee the problem of mandatory oil import program as it relates to the domestic petroleum industry.

IMMIGRATION—CODIFICATION AMENDMENTS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action two bills relating to codification amendments, H.R. 17864, amended, and a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 14144.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation held a hearing on H.R. 7406, per diem allowance for Corps of Engineers engaged in floating plant operations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on the promotional practices of public utilities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

HOUSING

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—LEGISLATIVE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch.

Tuesday, July 16, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation. As approved by the committee the bill would appropriate a total of $1,788,341,000, an increase of $434,950,000 over the House-passed figure of $1,353,391,000.

CIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittees on CIA held an executive meeting to receive a briefing from Richard Helms, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Howard J. Samuels, of New York, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

Prior to this action, testimony in behalf of the nominee was received from Robert C. Moot, SBA Administrator. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

HIGH-SPEED GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation held hearings on S. 3237 and H.R. 16024, extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation, having as its witnesses Senator Pell; A. Scheffer Lang, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, accompanied by Robert E. Nelson, Director, Office of High-Speed Ground Transportation, both of the Department of Transportation; Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; Paul H. Reistrup, testifying on behalf of William Johnson, president, Illinois Central Railroad, and a member of the High-Speed Ground Transportation Advisory Committee; David Early, State of Florida Development Commission; and Robert W. Minor, Penn Central Railroad.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration with amendments H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968. Included proposed amendments to this bill would (1) increase Federal payment to a figure of $98 million, and (2) add the text of S. 3233, relating to requirements for certain applicants for D.C. liquor licenses.

The subcommittee also approved S. 3559, revising certain taxing authority of Virginia with respect to Washington National Airport, and H.R. 9606, exempting from taxation certain property of the Colonial Dames in the D.C.

It was announced that the full committee will meet at 3 p.m. on Thursday, July 18, to consider this proposed legislation.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 16027, making graduated increases in compensation for disabled veterans with wartime disability.

Also, committee agreed to amendments which (1) would suspend the application of the Antidumping Code, and (2) would provide for a 2-year extension of the Coffee Agreement, which amendments will be offered on the floor to the bill H.R. 17324, to amend and extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951, which is now pending on the Senate calendar. Committee also approved an amendment which would provide a 2-year suspension of duty on copper, which amendment will be offered to H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore, which bill is also pending on the Senate calendar.

Committee announced that it will hold hearings on the Canadian Auto Agreement, date of which hearings is as yet undetermined.

Committee also announced that it had canceled, until further notice, its hearings on H.R. 16241, to impose an excise tax on overseas air transportation tickets, and to reduce customs exemptions for residents returning from abroad.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following nominations: Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger; Carter L. Burgess, of New York, to be Ambassador to Argentina; G. Edward Clark, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali; Thomas W. McElhiney, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana; George W. Renchard, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Walter J. Stoessel, Jr., of California, to be Ambassador to Poland; and Harold F. Linder, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

S. 3182, to authorize the purchase, sale, exchange, mortgage, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community;

S. 3420, to authorize a per capita distribution of $550 from funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation;

H.R. 16402, to provide for disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians;

H.R. 14205, to provide for disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

H.R. 16211, to provide for disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

S. 3728, to authorize use of funds arising from a judg-

ment in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma;

S. 2401, to provide for loans to Indian tribes and tribal corporations;

S. 3209, pertaining to the affairs of the Choctaw Indians of Oklahoma with particular reference to lands; and

H.R. 11782 and H.R. 11552, private bills.

Testimony was received from Senator Harris, who directed his remarks to H.R. 16402, H.R. 14205, H.R. 16211, and S. 3209; Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, who testified with regard to all these bills; and Jerry Strauss, an attorney, who directed his remarks to S. 2401.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings on the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Fortas.

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session to consider S. 2864, to require safer and more healthful working conditions for workers in business affecting interstate commerce, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, July 18.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 18612–18633; 19 private bills, H.R. 18634–18652; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1411, and H. Con. Res. 798 and 799, were introduced. Pages 21538, 21599–21600

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 18612, regarding public printing and documents (H. Rept. 1719);

H.R. 17748, regarding safe and healthful working conditions, amended (H. Rept. 1720);

H.R. 17864, to improve the U.S. Code, amended (H. Rept. 1721);

S. 1224, regarding blind persons, amended (H. Rept. 1722);

H.R. 16775, regarding International Development Association (H. Rept. 1723); and

Conference report on H.R. 12120, the Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act (H. Rept. 1724). Pages 21598–21599

Cheyenne Indian Reservation: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 5704, to grant minerals, including oil, gas, and other natural deposits, on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Mont., to certain Indians, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 21538

Badlands National Monument: Disagreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument in the State of South Dakota, to authorize exchanges of land mutually beneficial to the Oglala Sioux Tribe and the United States.

Adopted H. Con. Res. 798, authorizing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make a change in the enrollment of H.R. 9098. Page 21538

Legislative Appropriations: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 18038, the legislative branch appropriations, 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 1 through 27, and Nos. 29, 31, 32, and 34. Receded and concurred with an amendment to Senate amendments Nos. 28 and 33. Pages 21538–21543

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 2654.

Recommitted: H.R. 1527, 1608, 4386, 4404, 6321, 10417, 12539, 12894, H. Res. 991, S. 155 and 321.

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Private Bills: Agreed to the Senate amendments to the following private bills: H.R. 4544, 4976, 11287, 13301, and S. 1808. Page 21545

Foreign Assistance Act: Completed general debate on H.R. 15263, to amend further the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and after reading the first section of the bill, the Committee arose. Pages 21545–21574

H. Res. 1240, the rule under which the legislation is being considered, was adopted earlier by a record vote of 282 yeas to 118 nays.

Referrals: 10 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 21597–21598

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECTS—PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit met in executive session and acted on several watershed projects. The full committee will consider these projects on Thursday.

Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice held a hearing on H.R. 18145, and related bills, to establish a marketing certificate program for peanuts. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Findley and Fountain.

REAL ESTATE—MILITARY ACADEMY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and acted on several real estate projects.

Subcommittee on Military Academy met in executive session and considered Army policy relating to the Military Academy. No announcements were made.

VOTING STOCK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 13884, to prohibit federally insured banks from voting their own stock and provides for cumulative voting in federally insured banks. Testimony was heard from Kenneth A. Randall, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and a departmental witness.

MEDICAL FACILITIES

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1228, amended, D.C. Medical Facilities Construction Act.

LABOR—HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 15990, directing the Secretary of Labor to investigate and report on seasonality in the construction industry and its effect on the national manpower policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 17829, and related bills, Handicapped Children's Early Education Assistance Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

LATIN AMERICA

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information met in executive session and approved a report on Latin America subject to agreed-upon staff amendments.

TRUST TERRITORY—GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and discussed trust territory status.

Prior to the executive session, the subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 16801, increases to $75 million (now $45 million) the fund for the rehabilitation of Guam, and extends the application period to June 30, 1978 (now June 30, 1973). Testimony was heard from Harry R. Anderson, Assistant Secretary of the Interior; Manuel F. L. Guerrero, Governor of Guam; and Juaquin C. Arriola, speaker of the Guam Legislature; and a public witness.

TV CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on FCC approvals of the acquisition and transfer of the five Overmyer UHF construction permits and related matters. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

ATTORNEYS' FEES—TRAVELERS CHECKS—PRIVATE BILL—CODIFICATION—POSTAL ARRESTS—IMMIGRATION—CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

S. 1073, amended, relating to attorney fees appearing before U.S. administrative agencies;

S. 1440, prohibits the transfer in interstate commerce of forged travelers checks;

H.R. 15540, amended, a private bill;

H.R. 17864, amended, to codify recent law and improve the code;

H.R. 18100, amended, to empower postal inspectors to serve warrants and subpenas and to make arrests without warrants in certain cases;

H.R. 18612, a clean bill, to codify the general and permanent laws relating to public printing and documents.

The committee also approved several private immigration and claims bills.

POSTAL RATES—INVASION OF PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional charges for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035 and H.R. 17760, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety, design, and operations. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered tariff and trade proposals. No announcements were made.

PROMOTIONAL PRACTICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on the promotional practices of public utilities. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

HOUSING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

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Bills Introduced: 20 bills and six resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3836–3855; S.J. Res. 190–191; and S. Res. 375–378. Pages 21660, 21663–21752

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, with amendments (S. Rept. 1415);

S. Res. 281, to establish a Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, with amendments (S. Rept. 1416);

S. 1599, to protect the consumer by enabling him, under certain conditions, to rescind the retail sale of goods which is entered into at a place other than the address of the seller, with amendments (S. Rept. 1417);

H.R. 10923, authorizing conveyance to the Izaak Walton League of the Argos National Fish Hatchery in Indiana (S. Rept. 1418);

H.R. 25, authorizing cooperation with the States in protecting and developing estuarine areas of the counties which have sporting, scenic, or recreational value, with amendment (S. Rept. 1419);

The following seven resolutions reported today by Committee on Rules and Administration authorizing certain printing and providing funds for operation of certain subcommittees of the Committee on the Judiciary (for complete titles see item in DAILY DIGEST today headed "Committee Business—Committee on Rules and Administration"): S. Res. 375, 317, 318, 319, 320, 323, and 324 (S. Repts. 1420–1426).

Also reported were:

S. Res. 314, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to approve acceptance of foreign decorations by Members and employees of the Senate (S. Rept. 1427);

S. 3848, to improve and expand programs to supply free meals to needy school children (S. Rept. 1428);

H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore, with amendments (S. Rept. 1429);

H.R. 5233, a private bill (S. Rept. 1430);

S. 2592, prohibiting enforcement of a security interest in real property in the D.C. except through court order, with amendments (S. Rept. 1431);

H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices, with amendments (S. Rept. 1432) (by unanimous consent referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare with instructions to report back by July 25);

H.R. 17524, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act relative to construction-differential subsidies, with individual views (S. Rept. 1433);

S. 1739, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the D.C. except as an incident to the practice of law (S. Rept. 1434);

H.R. 14330, proposed D.C. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Act (S. Rept. 1435);

S. Res. 308, providing additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia (no written report); and

S. Res. 376, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report).

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Bills Referred: 10 House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 21658–21659

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed six bills, of which five were private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Five private bills, H.R. 2695, 3681, 8087, 8809, and 14323.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands: S. 3578, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to South Carolina.

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Juvenile Delinquency: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 12120, proposed Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act. Pages 21674–21675

Authority To Report: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was granted until July 18 to file report on H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration. Pages 21675–21676

Redwood National Park: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 2515, authorizing establishment of Redwood National Park, Calif., asked for conference

with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Anderson, Bible, Kuchel, and Hansen.

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Vocational Education: By unanimous vote of 88 yeas, Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, after adopting Morse amendment to substitute for its text the amended language of S. 3770, companion bill. Prior to this action, the following additional actions were taken on amendments to S. 3770:

Adopted: By 60 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Dominick-Murphy amendment No. 886 to transfer Headstart program from Office of Economic Opportunity to Office of Education, and authorizing appropriations therefor of $375 million for fiscal year 1970; by unanimous vote of 85 yeas, Javits amendment authorizing for school lunch programs $50 million for each of fiscal years 1969 and 1970, after adoption by 57 yeas to 31 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), of Ellender amendment as a substitute for modified Javits amendment which would have authorized for school lunch programs $50 million for fiscal year 1969, $75 million for fiscal year 1970, and $100 million for fiscal year 1971; and Javits amendments en bloc of a technical, corrective nature; and

Rejected: By 20 yeas to 67 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Moss amendment to provide that Governors of States rather than State boards make appointments to State Advisory Councils on Vocational Education.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Morse, Yarborough, Clark, Randolph, Williams of New Jersey, Nelson, Prouty, Javits, Dominick, and Murphy. S. 3770, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

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Condolence Resolution: S. Res. 378, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Pool, of Texas, was adopted. Page 21752

Badlands National Monument: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 798, authorizing Clerk of the House to make change in enrollment of H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak.

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State Technical Services: S. 3245, extending authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 21752

Legislative Appropriations: H.R. 18038, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon, and concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments No. 28 (overtime pay for certain Capitol police), and No. 33 (basic annual pay raise for Capitol police). Pages 21752–21755

Stock Market: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 160, authorizing the SEC to investigate the impact of institutional investors on the stock market. This action cleared bill for White House.

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Stock Market: S. 1299, providing for SEC regulation of credit extended and maintained with respect to unregistered securities, was cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 21756

Gallaudet College: H.R. 18203, to increase size of the Board of Directors of Gallaudet College, was cleared for President when Senate took bill from desk and passed it without amendment. Page 21758

Passports: S. 1418, to amend in several regards laws relating to passports, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto.

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Independent Offices Appropriations: Senate took up and debated H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, which will be its unfinished business tomorrow. Pages 21752, 21758–21759

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Bertrand M. Harding, of Virginia, to be Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity; numerous Army; one Marine Corps; and eight judicial.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SCHOOL LUNCHES, AND POULTRY INSPECTION

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 16363, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. Committee also approved an original bill embodying amended versions of H.R. 17872 and H.R. 17873, to improve and expand programs to supply free meals to needy school children.

Committee also approved the following watershed projects: Larkin Creek, Ark.; Lower Llagas Creek, Calif.; New Jerusalem, Calif.; Canon, Colo.; Lower Red Rock Creek, Okla.; Pohick, Va.; and Kanawha Twomile Creek, W. Va.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance resumed hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of eastern Europe, with testimony from Robert V. Roosa, of New York City, a former Under Secretary of the Treasury; A. R. Fredriksen, Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing

Co.; Paul Zerby, an attorney of Minneapolis; and J. Wiley Perry, Jr., import study committee, Cast Iron Soil Pipe Institute;

Hearings continue on Wednesday, July 24.

HIGH-SPEED GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on S. 3237 and H.R. 16024, extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation, with testimony from Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers, Chicago; Frank M. Reinhold, chairman, Connecticut Transportation Authority; Prof. C. L. Miller, director, Urban Systems Laboratory, MIT; Rudy Breeder, chief engineer, Atchison, Topeka, & Santa Fe Railroad System; Don Beattie, Railway Labor Executives' Association; and Edward D. Heffernan, Illinois Department of Business and Economic Development.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee resumed hearings on the Treaty of Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.), receiving testimony from Representatives Holifield (vice chairman, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy), Hosmer, and Findley; Dr. Edward Teller, University of California, Livermore; William Huntington, director, Quaker Program at the United Nations; Prof. Mason Willrich, University of Virginia; Stanley M. Andrews, Liberty Lobby; and Arthur Larson, chairman, Educational Committee to Halt Atomic Weapons Spread, New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Committee met in executive session and agreed to report an original resolution to cite Jeff Fort for contempt of the Senate.

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territories and Insular Affairs approved for full committee consideration with amendments S. 3072, increasing authorizations for the rehabilitation of Guam; and without amendment S. 3642, to approve two acts of the Guam Legislature concerning the Guam Power Authority.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on these bills, with testimony from Harry R. Anderson, Assistant Secretary for Public Land Management, accompanied by Ruth Van Cleve, Director, Office of Territories, both of the Department of the Interior; Antonio B. Won Pat, Guam's Washington representative; Manuel F. Guerrero, Governor of Guam, accompanied by George Ingling, coordinator of Federal programs in Guam; and Joaquin C. Arriota, speaker of the Guam Legislature.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Fortas.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. Res. 308, providing additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia;

S. Res. 317, providing additional $1,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Revision and Codification of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 318, providing additional $10,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 319, providing additional $5,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 320, providing additional $15,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 323, providing additional $10,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 324, to print as a Senate document compilation in connection with the 10th anniversary of the establishment of the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences;

S. Res. 314, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to approve acceptance of foreign decorations by Members and employees of the Senate;

An original resolution (S. Res. 376) authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee; and

An original resolution (S. Res. 375) to print as a Senate document a revised edition of compilation entitled "Federal Corrupt Practices and Political Activities."

Also, committee discussed proposal to install a special telephone system providing dissemination of floor activity information.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 22 public bills, H.R. 18653–18674; 18 private bills, H.R. 18675–18692; and five resolutions,

H.J. Res. 1412, H. Con. Res. 800, and H. Res. 1266–1268, were introduced. Pages 21910–21911

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 18100, amended, to empower postal inspectors to serve warrants and subpenas and to make arrests without warrant for certain offenses against the U.S. (H. Rept. 1725); and

H.R. 15864, amended, to provide for the operation of the William Langer jewel plant at Rolla, N. Dak. (H. Rept. 1726). Page 21910

Late Report: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to have until midnight Friday, July 19, 1968, to file a report on the military construction appropriation bill. Page 21763

Late Report: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a late report by midnight Thursday, July 18, 1968, on the D.C. appropriations bill. Page 21763

Central Arizona Project: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 1004, to authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of the central Arizona project, and agreed to a conference. The Speaker appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Johnson, Edmondson, Udall, Saylor, Hosmer, and Burton of Utah. Page 21763

National Water Commission: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 20, to establish a National Water Commission to provide for a comprehensive review of national water resource problems and programs, and agreed to a conference. The Speaker appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Johnson, Haley, Saylor, and Reinecke. Page 21763

Master Motor Keys: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches. The Speaker appointed as conferees Representatives Dulski, Henderson, Olsen, Nix, Corbett, Gross, and Cunningham. Pages 21763–21764

Defense Appropriations: The Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to file a late report by midnight Thursday, July 18, 1968, on the Defense appropriations bill. Page 21765

Firearms Control: The House completed general debate on H.R. 17735, to provide for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms and after reading the first section of the bill the Committee arose.

H. Res. 1249, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 21765–21845

Military Procurement: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3293, the military procurement authorization; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Rivers, Philbin, Hébert, Price, Bates, Arends, and Bray. Page 21851

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice held a hearing on H.R. 18145, and related bills, to establish a marketing certificate program for peanuts. Testimony was heard from Representative Walter Jones and public witnesses.

ARMED SERVICES

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 6729, amended, Reserve and National Guard quarters allowances;

A clean bill in lieu of H.R. 13705, relating to CIA annuities;

H.R. 13720, incentive pay for submarine personnel;

H.R. 15268, loan defense equipment to Boy Scouts;

H.R. 15864, amended, relating to operation of William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant;

H.R. 16254, Health Services Career Incentives Act;

H.R. 17780, amended, directs special pay to Armed Forces captives in Korea;

H.R. 18146, to correct inequity affecting officers in Navy Supply and Civil Engineering Corps;

S. 3495, release restrictions on land to allow construction of Iowa Law Enforcement Academy.

The committee also approved a Navy reprograming action.

VOTING STOCK

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on H.R. 13884, to prohibit federally insured banks from voting their own stock and provides for cumulative voting in federally insured banks. Testimony was heard from Representative Whalen; Andrew F. Brimmer, Governor, Federal Reserve Board; and public witnesses.

PARKING

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17854, to provide for the construction of parking facilities in D.C.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on D.C. parking problems. Testimony was heard from public and departmental witnesses.

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN—LABOR

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 17829, and related bills, Handicapped Children's Early Education Assistance Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Select Subcommittee on Labor continued hearings on H.R. 15990, directing the Secretary of Labor to report on seasonality in the construction industry and its effect on the national manpower policy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 551, amended, Biscayne National Monument;

H.R. 10256, amended, land claims by the U.S.;

H.R. 16771, amended, Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge;

H.R. 13512, to designate the Mount Jefferson Wilderness and Mount Hood National Forests.

TV CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on FCC approvals of the acquisition and transfer of five Overmyer UHF construction permits and related matters. Testimony was heard from Rosel H. Hyde, Chairman, FCC, and departmental witnesses.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 839, provides for a payment of $527.31 to the village of Orleans, Vt., for repayment of money orders. The subcommittee also approved several private claims bills.

INVASION OF PRIVACY—POSTAL RATES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service continued hearings on S. 1035 and H.R. 17760, relating to invasion of privacy of Federal employees. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional postage charges for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

HIGHWAYS—WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Federal-aid highway program held a hearing on highway safety design and operations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Watershed Development held a hearing and acted on several watershed projects. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was was heard from public witnesses.

TARIFF AND TRADE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and continued consideration of tariff and trade proposals. Adjourned subject to the call of the Chairman.

Joint Committee Meetings

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Friday, July 19.

HOUSING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3856–3859; S.J. Res. 193; and S. Res. 379. Page 21940

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16024, extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation (S. Rept. 1436);

S. Res. 379, citing Jeff Fort for contempt of the Senate (S. Rept. 1437);

S. 2908, to correct a cloud on the title of a 62-acre tract of land near Fort Benning, Georgia (S. Rept. 1438);

H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration, with amendments (S. Rept. 1439);

H.R. 272, to extend period during which amounts transferred from Employment Security Administration account in the Unemployment Trust Fund to State accounts may be used by States to pay administration expenses (S. Rept. 1440);

H.R. 18340, continuing authority to promote U.S. foreign commerce through the use of mobile trade fairs (S. Rept. 1441); and

H.R. 3136, to authorize a study to determine the advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the

metric system in the U.S., with amendment (S. Rept. 1442). Pages 21937–21938

Corporate Stock Ownership: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 510, providing for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities under the Securities Exchange Act, clearing bill for White House. Pages 21953–21954

Rivers and Harbors—Flood Control: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Randolph, Young of Ohio, Muskie, Gruening, Jordan of North Carolina, Cooper, Fong, and Murphy.

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Water Resources: Senator Fannin was appointed as a conferee on S. 20, to establish a National Water Commission to review water resources problems and programs, replacing Senator Allott, excused. Page 22013

Independent Offices Appropriations: By unanimous vote of 74 yeas, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments (one with an amendment as described below); and two by record votes, as described below; and modified Sparkman amendment to increase by $8.662 million funds for urban planning grants, metropolitan development, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The committee amendment adopted with an amendment was amended by Senator Allott by reducing by $50 million funds for urban renewal programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The committee amendments adopted by record votes were to increase by $22.95 million funds for construction of facilities, NASA (adopted by 42 yeas to 33 nays); and another to provide $100,000 for Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries (adopted by 46 yeas to 41 nays, motion to reconsider tabled).

Rejected: By 34 yeas to 52 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware amendment to reduce by $300 million funds provided in committee amendment for research and development, NASA; by 27 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Young of Ohio amendments en bloc (to committee amendments) to reduce by $5.6 million funds for operation and maintenance, Civil Defense, and to reduce by $5 million funds for research, shelter survey, and marking, Civil Defense; and, by 21 yeas to 54 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Allott amendments (for himself and others to committee amendments) to reduce by $125 million funds for grants for urban renewal projects within approved city demonstration programs, and to reduce by $250 million funds for "urban renewal programs" for fiscal year 1969.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Ellender, Russell, Holland, Pastore, Anderson, Allott, Smith, and Hruska. Pages 22001–22030

Badlands National Monument: Senator Byrd (W. Va.) entered motion to reconsider vote by which Senate on Wednesday, July 17, agreed to H. Con. Res. 798, authorizing Clerk of the House to make changes in enrollment of H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak. Page 22031

Agriculture: Senate took up S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities. Pages 22031–22036

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices began hearings on S. 3711, to establish a new marketing program for peanuts, having as its witnesses Horace D. Godfrey, Department of Agriculture; R. G. Daniel, Georgia Farm Bureau Federation; Joe S. Sugg, North Carolina Peanut Growers Association; William V. Rawlings and Theo Beale, both of the Association of Virginia Peanut and Hog Growers; John N. Parker, Virginia Farm Bureau Federation; James T. Hintlian, Peanut Butter Manufacturers Association, who also represented the National Confectioners Association; and W. E. Stacy, Frio County Peanut Growers Association, Big Foot, Tex.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

An original bill dealing with retirement of National Guard technicians;

S. 2908, to correct a cloud on the title of a 62-acre tract of land near Fort Benning, Ga.;

The nomination of Robert C. Moot, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Defense (Comptroller); and

4,585 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee heard Mr. Moot testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported:

S. 927, to make unlawful certain discriminatory property tax assessments of common carrier property (amended);

S. 2687, making orders of the ICC reviewable by U.S. courts of appeals as are orders of other major Federal regulatory agencies (amended);

H.R. 16024, extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation;

H.R. 18254, relating to the coastwise transportation of cargo equipment and stevedoring gear;

H.R. 18340, continuing authority to promote U.S. foreign commerce through the use of mobile trade fairs; and

H.R. 163, preventing vessels built outside of the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S.

Committee announced it will hold hearings on Wednesday and Thursday, July 24 and 25, on S. 1175, extending time period for the notice of proposed discontinuance of service required of carriers by rail or ferry under the Interstate Commerce Act.

Also, committee announced that it had agreed to put over until the next Congress the consideration of S. 751, authorizing ICC to require establishment of through routes and joint rates between motor carriers and between motor carriers and other common carriers.

D.C. REVENUE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968. Included in the bill are provisions which would (1) increase the Federal payment to a figure of $98 million, (2) increase the general sales tax from 3 to 4 percent, including restaurant meals and beverage sales, and (3) authorize the city council to establish hours and days for the sale of alcoholic beverages. Committee agreed to strike from the bill Title IV, which relates to certain prohibitions on expenditures of D.C. funds.

The committee also approved H.R. 9606, exempting from taxation certain property of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the D.C.; S. 3556, to establish a basic property insurance placement plan in the D.C.; and H.R. 10213, liberalizing requirements with respect to financial advertising imposed on alien life insurance companies doing business in the D.C.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, where the nominee continued to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow with further testimony from Mr. Fortas.

HEALTH, AND SEA-GRANT COLLEGES

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs; H.R. 14096, to make it unlawful for unauthorized persons to possess LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs; and H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration.

Committee also considered, but did not conclude action on, S. 3063, to provide financial aid for employment programs for low-income persons in both urban and rural areas.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES LEAVE, AND POSTMASTER NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 13844, allowing leave without loss of pay for Federal employees to attend funerals of relatives who die while on duty with the Armed Forces; and 194 postmaster nominations.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held hearings on S. 3706, proposed Public Buildings Amendments of 1968, receiving testimony from Joe E. Moody, Deputy Administrator, accompanied by Robert B. Foster, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, both of the GSA; Elmer B. Staats, Comptroller General of the U.S.; Allan Dean, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Administration; William H. Point, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics; Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C.; and C. O. Henderson, National Federation of Professional Organizations.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

HEARING PROBLEMS OF THE AGED

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Consumer Interests of the Elderly held hearings on the subject of "hearing loss, hearing aids, and the older American," having as its witnesses Surgeon General William H. Stewart, accompanied by Dr. Eldon Eagles, Acting Director, National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness, and Dr. Joseph L. Stewart, Consultant, National Center for Chronic Disease Control, all of the Public Health Service; Miss Nanette Fabray, National Association of Hearing and Speech Agencies; W. Dixon Ward, professor of audiology, University of Minnesota; S. F. Lybarger and John J. Kojis, both of the Hearing Aid Industry Conference, Inc.; and Roy F. Sullivan, Division of Audiology, Long Island, New York, College Hospital.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 18693–18726, and 23 private bills, H.R. 18727–18749, were introduced.

Pages 22157–22158

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 3495, regarding Iowa Law Enforcement Academy (H. Rept. 1727);

S. 1440, regarding travelers checks (H. Rept. 1728);

H.R. 18706, D.C. appropriations (H. Rept. 1729);

Private bills, S. 2468, 2706, 2759, 2897, and 3024 (H. Repts. 1732–1734);

H.R. 18707, the Department of Defense appropriations (H. Rept. 1735);

S. 1532, regarding performance bonds for construction of buildings in D.C. (H. Rept. 1736); and

S. 3456, regarding prosecution for certain offenses in D.C. (H. Rept. 1737). Page 22157

Redwood Forest: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 2515, regarding Redwood National Park; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Taylor, Johnson of California, Saylor, and Kupferman.

Juvenile Delinquency: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 12120, the Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act of 1968, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 22040, 22048–22050

Foreign Aid: By a record vote of 228 yeas to 184 nays, the House passed H.R. 15263, to amend further the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961.

By a record vote of 267 yeas to 150 nays the House adopted a motion to recommit with instructions to cut approximately $165 million from the authorization.

Adopted amendments (including the amount in the recommittal motion) designed to cut approximately $370.8 million.

H. Res. 1240, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 22050–22122

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 22156

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS—WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved the following watershed projects:

Canon, Colo.;

Lower Llagas Creek, Calif.;

Pohick Creek, Va.;

Larkin Creek, Ark.;

Lower Red Rock Creek, Okla.; and

Upper Big Swamp, Ala.

Subcommittee on Oilseeds and Rice met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 18145, to establish a marketing certificate program for peanuts.

DEFENSE AND D.C. APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the Defense appropriation bill and the D.C. appropriation bill.

INTERESTS—MEDALS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 16092, extends for 1 year the authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest or dividends, higher reserve requirements, and open market operations in agency issues under the Federal Reserve Act; H.R. 17361, strike medal honoring 150th anniversary of Memphis; and S. 3671, strike medal honoring 200th anniversary of Dartmouth College.

D.C. AFFAIRS—RIOTS

Committee District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 15678, amended, salary increases for D.C. judges;

S. 1224, to establish a register of blind persons;

S. 1532, bonding requirements for D.C. government contracts;

S. 3456, disorderly conduct prosecutions in D.C.; and

S. 1228, amended, hospital construction.

Special Investigating Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 18541, and similar bills, regarding insurance to cover losses in riot torn areas of D.C. Testimony was heard from John Hechinger, Chairman, D.C. Council and departmental and public witnesses.

LABOR—CONSTRUCTION—OLDER AMERICANS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 15990, amended, directing the Secretary of Labor to report on the seasonality in the construction industry and its effect on the national manpower policy; and H.R. 2567, amended, construction safety bill.

Select Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 17867, amendments to Older Americans Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings on military supply systems. Testimony was heard from Thomas Morris, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Installations and Logistics.

PACIFIC ISLANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs held a hearing on on H.R. 18205 and S. 3207, providing for the continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Testimony was heard from Harry An-

derson, Assistant Secretary of Interior; and William R. Norwood, High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on private claims bills.

FISH PROTEIN CONCENTRATE

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 3030, amended, development of fish protein concentrate.

Prior to the full committee action the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation in executive session approved the bill for full committee action.

POSTAL FIELD SERVICE—POSTMASTERS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18663, to provide for certain code revisions relating to the postal field service and to insure the employment of sufficient personnel in the postal field service; and H.R. 16524, removes postmaster appointments from politics. The committee also directed the chairman to offer a committee amendment to H.R. 17682, a bill previously reported to the House.

WATERSHED PROJECTS—HIGHWAYS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and approved 12 watershed projects.

Special Subcommittee on Federal-Aid Highway Program continued hearings on highway safety design and operations. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Science, Research, and Development continued hearings on H.R. 875, institutional grants. Testimony was heard from Representative Mize and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOOD IRRADIATION PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation held hearings to review progress of the food irradiation program, having as its witnesses James T. Ramey, Commissioner, Atomic Energy Commission; and Dr. K. C. Emerson, Office of Assistant Secretary for Research and Development, and Dr. Edward Josephson, Associate Director for Food Radiation, Natick Laboratories, Massachusetts, both of the Department of the Army.

Hearings will continue sometime next week.

WATER RESOURCES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 20, to establish a National Water Commission to review water resources problems and programs.

HOUSING

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22299–22351

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows S. 3860–3863; and S.J. Res. 193. Pages 22300–22301

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13844, allowing leave without loss of pay for Federal employees to attend funerals of relatives who die while on duty with the Armed Forces, with amendments (S. Rept. 1443); and

H.R. 18065, authorizing $13.5 million and $14.3 million, respectively, for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 operating expenses for the Foreign Service buildings program (S. Rept. 1444). Page 22300

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 22300

High-Speed Transit: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 16024, extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation. Pages 22303–22304

FPC: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 2445, to establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 22305–22306

Military Procurement: Senator Cannon was appointed to serve as an additional conferee on S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969. Page 22299

Contempt of Senate: S. Res. 379, citing Jeff Fort for contempt of the Senate, was adopted by unanimous vote of 80 yeas. Pages 22351–22362

Lister Hill Center: S.J. Res. 193, to designate the National Center for Biomedical Communications as the Lister Hill National Center for Biomedical Communications was introduced, taken up, and passed without amendment. Page 22362

Appointments by Vice President: Vice President made the following appointments:

Senators Sparkman, Proxmire, and Brooke to National Commission on Consumer Finance;

Senator Murphy to replace Senator Kuchel on Golden Spike Centennial Celebration Commission; and

Senators Yarborough, Hart, Byrd of West Virginia, Young of Ohio, Cannon, Allott, Thurmond, Baker, Fong, and Miller to attend Interparliamentary Union meeting to be held at Lima, Peru, on September 5–13.

Page 22300

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 17 measures, of which one was private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Izaak Walton League: H.R. 10923, authorizing conveyance to the Izaak Walton League of the Argos National Fish Hatchery in Indiana;

D.C.: H.R. 14330, proposed D.C. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Act; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 5815.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Estuaries: H.R. 25, authorizing cooperation with the States in protecting and developing estuarine areas of the counties which have sporting, scenic, or recreational value.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands—Ohio: S. 3687, authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to Ohio; and

D.C.: S. 1739, prohibiting the business of debt adjusting in the D.C. except as an incident to the practice of law.

With amendment and cleared for House:

D.C.: S. 2592, prohibiting enforcement of a security interest in real property in the D.C. except through court order.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 375, to print as a Senate document a revised edition of compilation entitled "Federal Corrupt Practices and Political Activities";

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 308, providing additional $5,000 for expenses of the Committee on the District of Columbia;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 317, providing additional $1,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Revision and Codification of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 318, providing additional $10,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 319, providing additional $5,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Separation of Powers of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 320, providing additional $15,000 for expenses of Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 323, providing additional $10,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Printing: S. Res. 324, to print as a Senate document compilation in connection with the 10th anniversary of the establishment of the Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences;

Foreign decorations: S. Res. 314, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to approve acceptance of foreign decorations by Members and employees of the Senate; and

Gratuity: S. Res. 376, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

Pages 22304, 22309–22321

Agriculture: Senate considered S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Morton amendment authorizing increase in cost of wheat certificates sold to processors above the present 75 cents per bushel; Lausche-Dirksen amendment to include Ohio and Illinois among States whose apple production is eligible to be included in marketing agreements and orders; and

Rejected: By a tie vote of 40 yeas to 40 nays, Aiken amendment to provide for 3-year extension of the farm programs, which the bill would extend for 4 years, after rejecting two amendments offered as a substitute therefor (1) by 33 yeas to 45 nays, Miller amendment to provide for 1-year extension of the farm programs in the bill, and (2), by 36 yeas to 46 nays, Pearson amendment to provide for 2-year extension of the farm programs in the bill.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit further debate as follows: 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), except that on Saturday, July 20, the time between 10 and 10:30 a.m. will be equally divided on consideration of pending modified Williams of Delaware-Brewster amendment (described below), with vote to be taken thereon at 10:30 a.m. It was also agreed that debate on question of passage of bill be limited to 1 hour, equally divided.

Pending at recess was modified Williams of Delaware-Brewster amendment to limit to $25,000 total amount of payments (except under the Sugar Act) which may be made to any single recipient for any one year as (1) incentive payments, (2) diversion payments, (3) price support payments, (4) wheat certificate payments, (5) cotton equalization payments; and (6) cropland adjustment payments. The yeas and nays have been ordered on this amendment. Pages 22362–22374, 22377–22395

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Saturday, July 20. Page 22374

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Howard J. Samuels, of New York, to be Administrator of the Small Business Administration; Victor Frenkil, of Maryland, to be a member of the Advisory Board of the Post Office Department; Robert C. Moot, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense; numerous Army, Navy, and Air Force; and numerous postmasters. Pages 22395–22397

Nomination: Nomination of Irving H. Sprague, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, was received. Page 22395

Recess: Recessed at 6:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices continued hearings on S. 3711, to establish a new marketing program for peanuts, receiving testimony from Jack Hall, representing the Virginia Farmers Union and National Farmers Union; Barton Scott, Southwestern Peanut Growers Association; Clinton Williams, Oklahoma Peanut Commission; Bill Lanier, Georgia Farm Bureau Federation; J. E. Turner, North Carolina Peanut Growers Association; and W. J. McKemie, Jr., Georgia Farm Bureau Federation.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

CANADIAN AUTOMOBILE AGREEMENT

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings to receive testimony regarding the operation of the Canadian Automobile Agreement, having as its witnesses Julius L. Katz, Assistant Secretary of State for International Resources and Food Policy, who was accompanied by other officials of his department and the Department of Commerce; Henry M. Welch, General Motors Corp.; Brian T. O'Keefe, Chrysler Corp.; Rodney W. Markley, Jr., Ford Motor Co.; and William C. McCamant, Automotive Service Industry Association.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FOREIGN SERVICE BUILDINGS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 18065, authorizing $13.5 million and $14.3 million, respectively, for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 operating expenses for the Foreign Service buildings program.

Committee also approved for reporting the nominations of Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger; Carter L. Burgess, of New York, to be Ambassador to Argentina; G. Edward Clark, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali; Thomas W. McElhiney, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana; George W. Renchard, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Walter J. Stoessel, Jr., of California, to be Ambassador to Poland; and Harold F. Linder, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada.

Prior to approval of H.R. 18065, committee received testimony thereon from Earnest J. Warlow, Director of Foreign Buildings, Department of State.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee heard further testimony from Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, in behalf of his nomination to be Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Hearings continue tomorrow on the nomination of Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed its hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Robert Y. Bell, California Rural Legal Assistance, Santa Rosa; and Bernard Webb, Insurance Department, Georgia State College, Atlanta.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 22.

LOG EXPORTS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices, resumed its hearings on the impact of increasing log exports on the economy of the Pacific Northwest, receiving testimony from Gov. Don Samuelson of Idaho; Norman B. Livermore and James G. Stearns, both representing the State of California; David Holliday, Administrative Assistant to the Governor of Montana; Gov. Tom McCall of Oregon; and numerous other witnesses from the Pacific Northwest.

HEARING PROBLEMS OF THE AGED

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Consumer Interests of the Elderly continued hearings on

the subject of "hearing loss, hearing aids, and the older American," having as its witnesses Colston Warne, president, accompanied by Morris Kaplan, both of the Consumers Union; Kenneth Johnson, American Speech and Hearing Association; Tom Coleman, National Association of Hearing and Speech Agencies; Dr. Aram Glorig, Committee on Hearing Conservation of the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology; Mary E. Switzer, Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW; and Raymond Z. Rich, president, accompanied by Anthony Di Rocco, both of the National Hearing Aid Society.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 18750–18768; 16 private bills, H.R. 18769–18784; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1413, and H. Res. 1269 and 1270, were introduced. Pages 22298–22299

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 7957, amended, 14389, amended, 15060, 15061, 17022, 18274, 18316, amended, and H.J. Res. 1287 (H. Repts. 1738–1745);

H.R. 6729, to amend the Dependents Assistance Act, amended (H. Rept. 1746);

H.R. 13720, regarding incentive pay for members of submarine operational command staffs serving on submarines during underway operations (H. Rept. 1747);

H.R. 15268, regarding Boy Scouts of America (H. Rept. 1748);

H.R. 16254, relating to the authorized strengths and grades for certain medical, dental, veterinary, medical service, and biomedical sciences officers of the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 1749);

H.R. 17780, regarding special pay for captives of uniformed services being held in North Korea, amended (H. Rept. 1750);

H.R. 18146, regarding officers of the Supply Corps and Civil Engineer Corps of the Navy (H. Rept. 1751);

H.R. 15678, salary increase for certain D.C. judges, amended (H. Rept. 1752);

S. 1228, regarding hospitals and other facilities in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1753);

Supplemental report on H.R. 18248, relating to common carrier operations in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1646—Pt. 2); and

H.R. 18785, the Department of Defense appropriations (H. Rept. 1754). Page 22298

Navigation—Flood Control: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3710, to authorize the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors for navigation and flood control; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Blatnik, Jones of Alabama, Wright, Edmondson, Johnson of California, Cramer, Harsha, and Don H. Clausen. Page 22223

Firearms: Continued consideration of H.R. 17735, to provide for a better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, and tentatively adopted in the Committee of the Whole the committee amendments with several perfecting amendments and the Poff substitute to the Casey amendment regarding penalties for use of a gun to commit crime.

Rejected amendments regarding registration of handguns, rifles, and shotguns.

The House will continue consideration of the bill on Monday, July 22. Pages 22223–22274

Adjournment: The majority leader announced the intention of the House to adjourn from August 2-September 4, 1968. Pages 22282–22284

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of July 24. Page 22284

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the military construction appropriation bill.

FOOD

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 held a hearing on S. 2012, to amend the D.C. Public School Food Services Act. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

ELECTION CONTESTS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Elections met in executive session and considered H.R. 18104, revises the law governing election contests of House Members. No announcements were made.

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 17829, assist handicapped children.

TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 16801, amended, to increase and extend the Guam rehabilitation fund; the subcommittee also considered but did not take final action on H.R. 18205, continue civil government in the Pacific Islands.

PER DIEM ALLOWANCES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation held a hearing on H.R. 12881 and H.R. 17954, per diem allowances. Testimony was heard from Representatives Pettis and Wilson of California, and departmental and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVES

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held hearings on S. 3782 and H.R. 18448, enlarging the authority of the AEC to make peaceful nuclear explosive services available to domestic and foreign users. Witnesses heard were Dr. Gerald F. Tape, member, Atomic Energy Commission; and Adrian S. Fisher, Deputy Director, Arms Control and Disarmament Agency of the U.S.

Committee also held hearings on S. 3851 and H.R. 18667, to amend "practical value" sections of the Atomic Energy Act (dealing mainly with nuclear reactors), with testimony from Dr. James T. Ramey, member, and Joseph F. Hennessey, General Counsel, both of the AEC.

HOUSING

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, July 22.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurment for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, July 22.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22475–22496

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 2938, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act, with amendments (S. Rept. 1445). Page 22475

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Rules and Administration was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 94, to create a Joint Committee To Investigate Crime, and the resolution was then referred again to Committee on the Judiciary. Page 22437

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed five bills, of which one was private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Social Security: H.R. 272, to extend period during which amounts transferred from Employment Security Administration account in the Unemployment Trust Fund to State accounts may be used by States to pay administration expenses; and

Merchant Marine: H.R. 18340, continuing authority to promote U.S. foreign commerce through the use of mobile trade fairs.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Sea-grant colleges: H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 5233.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands—Georgia: S. 2908, to correct a cloud on the title of a 62-acre tract of land near Fort Benning, Ga.

Pages 22433–22437

Agriculture: By 58 yeas to 18 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed S. 3590, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities, after rejecting additional amendments thereto as follows:

By 25 yeas to 47 nays, modified Williams of Delaware-Brewster amendment No. 894 to limit to $25,000 total amount of payments (except under the Sugar Act) which may be made to any single recipient for any one year as (1) incentive payments, (2) diversion payments, (3) price support payments, (4) wheat certificate payments, (5) cotton equalization payments, and (6) cropland adjustment payments; by 30 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Williams of Delaware-Brewster-Lausche amendment to limit to $75,000 total amount of payments (except under the Sugar Act and Wool Act) which may be made to any single recipient for any one year as (1) incentive payments, (2) diversion payments, (3) price support payments, (4) wheat certificate payments, (5) cotton equalization payments, and (6) cropland adjustment payments; and by 28 yeas to 48 nays Monroney amendment (for himself and others) No. 822 (as modified in several respects) to add a new title on emergency agricultural reserve stock program, after rejecting Miller amendment thereto to provide that authority of CCC to establish reserve level for certain commodities shall not be exercised when Secre-

tary of Agriculture determines that carryover will exceed certain stated amounts. Pages 22433, 22437–22457

Public Works Appropriations: By 67 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments (en bloc with the exception of one which would have deleted language to limit expenditures under the bill to $4.4 billion, which was adopted by 51 yeas to 22 nays—motion to reconsider tabled); Pastore amendment to increase by $100,000 funds for construction, general, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; and Bayh amendment to increase by $60,000 funds for construction, general, Corps of Engineers; and

Rejected: Proxmire amendment No. 893 to reduce by $2 million funds for construction, general, Corps of Engineers; and by 28 yeas to 43 nays, modified Cooper amendment to reduce by $3.75 million the appropriation for payment to TVA fund.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Russell, McClellan, Hill, Magnuson, Holland, Stennis, Bible, Pastore, Randolph, Kuchel, Hruska, Young of North Dakota, Mundt, and Smith.

Pages 22457–22475

Transportation Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation. Page 22496

Government Employees: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 13844, allowing leave without loss of pay for Federal employees to attend funerals of relatives who die while on duty with the Armed Forces.

Pages 22496–22497

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Monday, July 22. Page 22495

Confirmations: The following eight nominations to be Ambassadors were confirmed: Samuel C. Adams, Jr., of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger; Carter L. Burgess, of New York, to be Ambassador to Argentina; G. Edward Clark, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mali; Thomas W. McElhiney, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana; George W. Renchard, of the D.C., to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi; Robert M. Sayre, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Uruguay; Walter J. Stoessel, Jr., of California, to be Ambassador to Poland; and Harold F. Linder, of New York, to be Ambassador to Canada. Page 22497

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to mark up H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for foreign aid program, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, July 22.

Committee did not conclude markup of these bills and will continue thereon, in executive session, on Monday, July 22, at 10 a.m.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, where the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Hearings will continue at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 22, in room 318, Old Senate Office Building.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22526–22555

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3864–3867; and S. Res. 380.

Pages 22529, 22531

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3865, to clarify the status of National Guard technicians (S. Rept. 1446); and

S. 3201, extending for 1 year the provisions for research and assistance for State and interstate planning for solid waste disposal, with amendment (S. Rept. 1447).

Subsequent to Senate adjournment today and pursuant to prior authorization, H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, which had been recommitted to Committee on Appropriations

earlier in the day, was again reported with amendments (no written report). Pages 22528, 22579

Bill Referred: H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, was referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. Page 22528

Foreign Service Buildings: H.R. 18065, authorizing $13.5 million and $14.3 million, respectively, for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 operating expenses for the Foreign Service buildings program, was passed without amendment. This action cleared bill for White House.

Pages 22522–22523

Transportation Appropriations: Senate considered H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, but the bill was recommitted to Committee on Appropriations when Chair sustained Williams of Delaware point of order against the bill because of legislation therein.

Prior to recommittal of the bill, committee amendments had been adopted en bloc with the understanding that they would be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment, with no points of order waived. Pages 22555–22581

Missouri River Basin: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 6, authorizing construction of the first stage of the Oahe unit, James division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 22581

Cotton: H.R. 10915, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment, was passed after Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was discharged from its further consideration and after it had been amended by substituting for its text the language of S. 1975, companion bill, as amended. Prior to these actions Senate had considered S. 1975, adopting committee amendments thereto and a Montoya amendment of a technical nature.

S. 1975 was indefinitely postponed. Pages 22581–22598

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session Tuesday, July 23. Page 22598

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Lewis E. Evans, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and two Army in the rank of general. Page 22598

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee held and concluded hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for military construction, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective departments from Brig. Gen. J. C. Dalrymple, Director of Installations, Army; Col. Maurice R. Reilly, Deputy Director of Civil Engineering, Air Force; and Rear Adm. A. C. Husband, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, all of whom were accompanied and assisted by their associates.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued its hearings on the nomination of Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, with further testimony from the nominee on his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow, when officials of the Department of Justice will testify and answer questions with regard to a memorandum concerning the pending Supreme Court nominations submitted by their department last week.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, receiving testimony from Representative Cahill; and Dr. Alfred E. Hofflander, graduate school of business administration, UCLA.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

EMPLOYMENT CEILING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee held hearings to hear Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson testify and answer questions with regard to proposed exemption from the employment ceiling of the Post Office Department.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 24 public bills, H.R. 18786–18809; 16 private bills, H.R. 18810–18825; and one resolution, H.J. Res. 1414, were introduced. Pages 22697–22698

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Private bills, H.R. 11085, amended, 11253, amended, 12860, 14016, 15174, S. 772, 1069, amended, 1327, 1354, 2371, and 2477 (H. Repts. 1755–1765);

H.R. 18786, to amend the Central Intelligency Agency Retirement Act (H. Rept. 1766);

Private bills, H.R. 15210, 15476, amended, 15634, 15969, 16238, and 18174 (H. Repts. 1767–1772); and

S. 1073, regarding attorneys' fees, amended (H. Rept. 1773). Page 22697

Watershed—Flood Prevention: Received and read a communication from the chairman of the Agriculture Committee regarding work plans under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 22599

D.C. Legislation: The consideration of legislation pertaining to the District of Columbia was in order and the following bills were called up, considered, and passed:

D.C. bonding requirements: S. 1532, bonding requirements of District of Columbia Government contracts (by a voice vote, cleared for the President); Pages 22600–22601

Disorderly conduct: S. 3456, regarding disorderly conduct prosecutions in the District of Columbia (by a voice vote, cleared for the President); Page 22601

Blind persons: S. 1224, to establish a register of blind persons in the District of Columbia (by a voice vote, amended and returned to the Senate); Pages 22601–22602

D.C. judges' salaries: H.R. 15678, to increase the salaries of certain judges of the District of Columbia (by a record vote of 338 yeas to 44 nays, amended); Pages 22602–22608

D.C. hospitals: S. 1228, to authorize project grants for construction and modernization of hospitals and other medical facilities in the District of Columbia (passed by a voice vote, rejected the motion to recommit by a record vote of 109 yeas to 288 nays, amended and returned to the Senate); Pages 22608–22620

Common carriers: H.R. 18248, relating to certain common carrier operations in the District of Columbia (transportation of schoolchildren) (by a record vote of 205 yeas to 84 nays, amended). Pages 22620–22630

Grain Standards Act: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15794, the U.S. Grain Standards Act; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Purcell, Foley, Stubblefield, Belcher, and Teague of California. Page 22630

Stockyards: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 10673, to alter the definition of "stockyards" under the Packers and Stockyards Act, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Pages 22630–22632

National Science Foundation: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 13781, to authorize appropriations for the National Science Foundation; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Lennon, Rogers of Florida, Downing, Mosher, and Pelly. Page 22632

Estuarine Areas: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 25, to preserve, protect, develop, restore, and make accessible estuarine areas of the Nation, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Page 22632

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 22688

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FUTURE OF U.S. DIPLOMACY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements held a hearing on the future of U.S. public diplomacy. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

WEATHER MODIFICATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation held a review of progress in the weather modification program. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

BLUE CRAB SHELTERS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife held a hearing on shelters of blue crab in the Chesapeake Bay. Testimony was heard from Representatives Downing, Fallon, Friedel, and Martin; Senators Brewster and Tydings; and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

GAS PIPELINE SAFETY

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1166, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety regulations for the transportation of natural gas by pipeline, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22835–22868

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3868–3873; and S.J. Res. 194.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968, with amendment (S. Rept. 1448);

S. 2932, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S., with minority views (S. Rept. 1449). Page 22836

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to Committee on the District of Columbia. Page 22835

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 15678, to increase salaries of judges of D.C. court of general sessions and D.C. Court of Appeals, was ordered to be placed on calendar.

Page 22835

Cotton: Senate tabled motion to reconsider vote by which Senate on Monday, July 22, passed with amendment H.R. 10915, excluding from import quota extra-long-staple cotton received from countries which have severed diplomatic relations with the U.S. during the year prior to enactment. Page 22835

D.C.: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1941, to create a District of Columbia Air Pollution Control Board. This action cleared bill for White House.

Pages 22869–22871

Grain Standards: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Jordan of North Carolina, Montoya, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs. Page 22880

Transportation Appropriations: By 82 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, after adopting committee amendments en bloc which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; and two amendments from the floor, as follows:

By 78 yeas to 8 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Stennis amendment to exempt certain FAA positions from restrictions of P.L. 90–364, Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968, the amendment having been made eligible for consideration by adoption of 71 yeas to 13 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) of Stennis motion to suspend the rules for purpose of proposing the amendment inasmuch as Williams of Delaware point of order against the amendment on the grounds of legislation and appropriation bill had been sustained by the Chair. Also adopted was Magnuson amendment to increase by $70,000 funds for Operations, FAA (toward conversion to civilian use of Payne Air Force Base, Washington) (motion to reconsider tabled).

Prior to Senate's consideration of the bill Senator Mansfield's motion to take up the bill had been adopted following overruling by Chair of Williams of Delaware points of order against the bill under the "3-day rule" and because it was unaccompanied by a report. On appeals from the decisions of the Chair the rulings were sustained.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Stennis, McClellan, Magnuson, Pastore, Monroney, Cotton, Mundt, Smith, and Hruska. Pages 22871–22893

Interest on Deposits: Senate considered S. 3133, extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest, reaching unanimous consent agreement to limit further debate as follows:

Effective at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, July 24, at conclusion of routine morning business, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, with the proviso that no nongermane amendment will be received; that on question of final passage debate will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, and that vote on the pending Sparkman amendment No. 896 will be not later than 1:15 p.m. July 24.

The yeas and nays have been ordered on the pending Sparkman amendment No. 896 (to committee amendment) to limit purchase of Government obligations by all Federal Reserve banks in any one year to $2 billion. The yeas and nays have also been ordered on Bennett amendment No. 897 (to committee amendment) to strike out language that would authorize Federal Reserve banks to purchase obligations directly from Federal agencies as well as in the open market and would also express sense of Congress that such authority be used to promote a reasonable flow of funds to mortgage markets during periods of monetary stringency.

Pages 22897–22909

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Joseph W. Bartlett, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; and of Francis A. O'Neill, Jr., of New York, to be a member of the NLRB. Page 22910

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LOANS TO CO-OPS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification, in ex-

ecutive session, voted to pass over S. 1971, authorizing loans to cooperatives serving farmers and rural residents.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, AND COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and certain related agencies.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Irvine H. Sprague, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, with favoring testimony from Representative McFall; and Joseph W. Barr, Under Secretary of the Treasury. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported without amendment the following measures:

H.R. 159, to establish a Federal Maritime Administration as an independent agency;

S. Con. Res. 72, expressing congressional approval of U.S. participation in an International Decade of Ocean Exploration during the 1970's;

H.R. 11026, to assist in development and improvement of recreational opportunities and fish and wildlife programs at reservations; and

S. 3866, to extend for 3 years the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued executive consideration of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, and related legislation, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Deputy Attorney General Warren Christopher regarding the memorandum submitted to the committee by his department concerning the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Committee announced that it will hold an executive meeting tomorrow at 10:30 a.m.

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses Armand Rupelli, Farmers Insurance Exchange, Long Beach, Calif.; and Robert E. Early, Farmers Insurance Group, Los Angeles.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMISSION ON NEGRO HISTORY

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Arts and Humanities held hearings on S. 2979, to establish a Commission on Negro History and Culture, having as its witnesses Senator Scott; Representative Scheuer; Dr. Nicholas Onyewu, professor of political science, University of Maryland; Prof. William Katz, consultant on American Negro history, State departments of education, New York and North Carolina; Julius Hobson, Washington, D.C.; and Ron Bailey, a student at Michigan State University.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

EMPLOYMENT CEILING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Committee in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15387, providing for disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties. One amendment to the bill would exempt from the employment ceiling postal field service employees and research and engineering employees, with certain exceptions. Committee also approved 33 postmaster nominations.

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on the matter of exempting certain employees from the employment ceiling, after receiving testimony from Charles J. Zwick, Director, Bureau of the Budget; Jerome Keating, National Association of Letter Carriers; E. C. Hallbeck, United Federation of Postal Clerks; and David Silvergleid, National Postal Union.

BIG BUSINESS

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittees on Monopoly and Retailing, Distribution, and Marketing Practices resumed joint hearings to receive testimony on the question "are planning and regulation replacing competition in the American economy?" Today's witness was Ralph Nader, an attorney, who testified further with regard to domination by three companies of the automobile manufacturing industry.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

MODEL CITIES PROGRAM

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to receive testimony as to the usefulness of the model cities program to elderly Americans, with testimony from H. Ralph Taylor, Assistant Secretary, and Marie C. McGuire, Assistant for Problems of the Elderly and the Handicapped, both of the Department of HUD; William Beechill, Commissioner, Administration on Aging, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Margaret Bush Wilson, St. Louis Model City Agency; Naomi Gordon, Ecumenical Center of Roxbury, N.Y.; Roy T. Batchelor, Chattanooga-Hamilton County Com-

munity Action Agency, Tennessee; Mary Nenno, National Association of Housing and Rehabilitation Officials; David Joyce, Division of Community Services, Providence, R.I.; Mark Yessian, a research analyst in urban planning, Baltimore; and Geneva Mathiasen, National Council on the Aging.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 18826-18848; 30 private bills, H.R. 18849-18878; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1415-1416, H. Con. Res. 801, and H. Res. 1271-1274, were introduced. Pages 22833-22834

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1271, a resolution providing for the consideration of H.R. 15045, extend Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 (H. Rept. 1774);

H. Res. 1272, providing for the consideration of H.R. 18209, to amend the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act of 1961 (H. Rept. 1775);

H. Res. 1273, a resolution waiving points of order against H.R. 18707, Defense appropriations bill (H. Rept. 1776);

H.R. 18663, to permit acceptance by postal employees of checks and money orders and curtail mailing of hazardous items (H. Rept. 1777);

H.R. 1596, 3193, 9566, and 11255, private bills (H. Repts. 1778-1781);

S. 3030, relating to development of fish protein concentrate (H. Rept. 1782);

H.R. 17361, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Memphis (H. Rept. 1783);

S. 3671, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Dartmouth College (H. Rept. 1784); and

Conference report on S. 3497, Housing and Urban Development Act (H. Rept. 1785). Page 22833

Public Works Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17903, public works appropriation bill; and the Speaker appointed as conferees: Representatives Kirwan, Evins of Tennessee, Boland, Whitten, Morris of New Mexico, Mahon, Rhodes of Arizona, Davis of Wisconsin, Robison, and Bow. Page 22744

Boy Scouts: Passed by a voice vote H.R. 15268, authorizes the Secretary of Defense to lend certain Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment and provides certain services to the Boy Scouts of America for use in the 1969 National Jamboree. Page 22745

Firearms: Continued consideration of H.R. 17735, to provide for a better control of interstate traffic in firearms, and tentatively adopted in the Committee of the Whole amendments relating to:

Exemption of collectors and licensed collectors;

Applicability in relation to discharge from Armed Forces;

Purpose and intent of bill;

Repair or customizing of firearms;

Exclusion of rifle, shotgun, and .22 caliber rim fire ammunition;

Restriction on importation of surplus military firearms;

Exclusion of those who handload, reload, and customload firearms;

Exemption of people, institutions, and organizations engaged in competition and military training; and

Retroactiveness of bill.

Rejected amendments relating to:

Requirement that States license all gunowners;

Limits definition of ammunition to ammunition for a destructive device;

Exclusion of use of guns for sporting purposes;

Makes unlawful interstate purchase of firearms if in violation of State law;

Punishment for use of firearms in the commission of a felony; and

Exemption of transactions between licensed dealers and individuals residing within the same State. Pages 22745-22795

Special Pay: Passed H.R. 17780, amended, providing for pay to certain members of the uniformed services held captive in North Korea. Page 22795

Quarters Allowance: Passed H.R. 6729, amended, making members of the Reserve and National Guard ordered to active duty for training for periods of 30 days or more eligible for quarters allowances. Page 22796

Officers: Passed H.R. 18146, to correct an inequity affecting officers of the Supply Corps and Civil Engineer Corps of the Navy. Page 22797

Health Services: Passed H.R. 16254, Health Services Career Incentives Act. Pages 22797-22798

Land Transfer: Passed and cleared for the White House S. 2908, authorizes the Secretary of the Army to quitclaim certain real property in Muscogee County, Ga. Page 22798

Land Restrictions: Passed and cleared for the White House S. 3495, authorizes the release of certain use restrictions on land in Iowa to permit the construction of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy. Pages 22798-22799

Health: Passed H.J. Res. 1404, amended, provides for the designation of the week of November 17-23, 1968, as "National Family Health Week." Page 22799

Professional Photography Week: Passed S.J. Res. 181, amended, to authorize the President to designate the week of August 4 through August 10, 1968, as "Professional Photography Week." Pages 22799–22800

National Hispanic Heritage Week: Passed H.J. Res. 1299, amended, authorizing the President to proclaim the week including September 15 and 16 as "National Hispanic Heritage Week." Page 22800

Late Reports: Granted permission to the Committee on Rules to file several reports by midnight tonight; and to the Committee on Banking and Currency to file a conference report on S. 3497, Housing and Urban Development Act, by midnight tonight. Page 22800

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAND CONVEYANCE—NATIONAL FORESTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18207, amended, to permit an exchange of land by the South Carolina State Commission on Forestry; H.R. 18033, conveyance of certain lands to the State of Ohio; and H.R. 774, amended, provides for payment of 10 cents per acre in lieu of taxes on lands in national forests.

Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a public hearing on H.R. 18207 and H.R. 18033. Testimony was heard from Representative Miller of Ohio and departmental and public witnesses.

PROMOTION POLICY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Enlisted Promotion Policy concluded hearings on DOD and service action on subcommittee recommendations. Testimony was heard from Alfred Fitt, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve and departmental witnesses.

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa received a briefing from Joseph Palmer II, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, on his recent visit to Africa.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization met in executive session and approved for full committee action a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 16718, amended, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act.

IRRIGATION AND RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation referred to the full committee for final disposition and held hearings on H.R. 15731 and S. 3058, to amend the Water Resources Planning Act; and H.R. 7804 and S. 224, Eklutna project, Alaska. Testimony was heard from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of Interior, and a public witness. Statements for the record were submitted by Representative Pollock and Senators Bartlett and Gruening.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

VESSELS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Navigation held a hearing on H.R. 17815, to authorize the State of Alaska to operate a foreign-registered vessel between certain ports, and H.R. 17814, to document temporarily a foreign-built ferry for limited operation in domestic trade. Testimony was heard from Alaska Governor, Walter Hickel, and a departmental witness.

FIREFIGHTERS—MAIL PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits held a hearing on S. 1507, to include firefighters within hazardous occupation retirement provisions. Testimony was heard from Senator Hollings and departmental and public witnesses.

Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on privacy in the mails. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

RULES

Committee on Rules, granted the following rules:

H.R. 18707, defense appropriations; rule granted waiving points of order; testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Lipscomb, Whitten, and Laird.

H.R. 18209, Consolidated Farmers Home Administration amendments; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Poage.

H.R. 15045, Manpower Development and Training extension; open rule, 1 hour of debate; testimony was heard from Representative Perkins.

IUPCT—TARIFFS—DISTILLED SPIRITS—CUPROPHANE CELLOPHANE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S. 1578, International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs; H.R. 6909, provides that the rate of duty on parts of stethoscopes shall be the same as the rate on stethoscopes; H.R. 11394, amended, adjusts taxes on distilled spirits; and H.R. 13419, amended, permits the free entry into the U.S. of cuprophane cellophane membrane.

Joint Committee Meetings

GAS PIPELINE SAFETY

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1166, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety regulations for the transportation of natural gas by pipeline.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, July 24, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 22979–23027

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3874–3878. Page 22981

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3416, to authorize GSA to render direct assistance to and perform special services for the Inaugural Committee (S. Rept. 1450);

S. 3640, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein (S. Rept. 1451);

H.R. 9606, exempting from taxation certain property of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the D.C. (S. Rept. 1452);

H.R. 10213, liberalizing requirements with respect to financial advertising imposed on alien life insurance companies doing business in the D.C. (S. Rept. 1453);

H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs, with amendment (S. Rept. 1454);

H.R. 15387, to provide for disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties, with amendments (S. Rept. 1455); and

S. 698, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, with amendments (S. Rept. 1456).

Pages 22980–22981

Bills Referred: Eight House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 22980

Authority To Report: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was given an extension of time until August 1 to file report on H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices. Page 23040

Interest on Deposits: Senate passed with amendments S. 3133, extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 46 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Bennett amendment No. 897 (to committee amendment) to strike out language that would authorize Federal Reserve banks to purchase obligations directly from Federal agencies as well as in the open market and would also express sense of Congress that such authority be used to promote a reasonable flow of funds to mortgage markets during periods of monetary stringency; two Sparkman amendments (to committee amendment) that were part of the language adopted by the Senate in the passage of S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, prior to conference thereon (one on liquidity of all members of the Federal Home Loan Bank System, and one on premium prepayments of insured institutions); and Proxmire amendment respecting use as security of obligations which were eligible for rediscount or for purchase; and committee amendment, as amended; and

Rejected: By tie vote of 44 yeas to 44 nays, Sparkman amendment No. 896 (to committee amendment) to limit purchase of Government obligations by all Federal Reserve banks in any one year to $2 billion; and the amendment to the title of the bill. Pages 23027–23040

Bills Cleared for White House: The following bills were cleared for President's signature by concurrence in House amendments thereto:

D.C.: S. 1224, to establish a register of blind persons in the D.C.; and

D.C.: S. 1228, to authorize grants for construction and modernization of medical facilities in the D.C.

Pages 23040–23042

Guam: Senate concurred with an amendment to House amendment to S. 449, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam. Pages 23044–23047

Virgin Islands: Senate concurred with an amendment to House amendment to S. 450, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands.

Pages 23047–23050

Authority To Meet: All committees except Committee on Labor and Public Welfare were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, July 25.

Page 23050

Mutual Funds: Senate began consideration of, but did not complete action on, S. 3724, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1968.

Pages 23042, 23050–23058

Maritime Authorizations: Conference report on H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce was taken up and by unanimous consent it was agreed to limit debate thereon on Thursday, July 25, to 30 minutes, equally divided, following 30 minutes of routine morning business, with vote to be taken on its adoption at 1 p.m. Page 23062

Nominations: The following nominations were received: 14 civilian nominations, including 12 Foreign Service officers for promotion to career minister; numerous Coast Guard; and three Navy in the rank of admiral.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance resumed hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of Eastern Europe, having as its witnesses Edwin O. Reischauer, professor and director, Institute of Far Eastern Studies, Harvard University; John Davis Lodge, chairman, the Committee To End Aid to the Soviet Union; Roy F. Hendrickson, National Federation of Grain Cooperatives; and Dr. Phillip D. Grub, chairman, Department of Business Administration, George Washington University.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on S. 3861, to authorize a study of essential railroad passenger service by the Secretary of Transportation, having as its witnesses Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; A. Scheffer Lang, Administrator, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation; and Donald S. Beattie, Railway Labor Executives' Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FISH AND WILDLIFE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on S. 2984 and H.R. 11618, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the U.S. Testimony was received from Senator Yarborough; Dr. Stanley A. Cain, Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife and Parks; Dr. Lee M. Talbot, Field Representative for International Affairs in Ecology and Conservation, and John Perry, National Zoological Park, both of the Smithsonian Institution; Louis S. Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; Dr. Alfred Etter, Defenders of Wildlife; C. W. Gutermuth, Wildlife Management Institute; Russell E. Train, African Wildlife Leadership Foundation, the Conservation Foundation, and the World Wildlife Fund; Robert C. Boardman, National Audubon Society; Jo V. Morgan, Jr., American Humane Association; Robert G. Hudson, American Humane Association, and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; and Robert W. Grant, American Pheasant & Waterfowl Society.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Edward C. Sylvester, Jr., of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of HEW.

Committee also considered several House-passed bills, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued its executive consideration of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, and related legislation, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation held hearings on S. 26, to revise the boundaries of Canyonlands National Park, Utah; S. 27, to establish Glen Canyon National Recreation Area in Arizona and Utah; and S. 547, increasing funds for completion of the International Peace Garden in North Carolina. Witnesses heard were Harthon L. Bill, Deputy Director, National Park Service, who directed his remarks to all three bills; and George Alderson, representing the Sierra Club, who testified with regard to S. 26 and S. 27.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

GUN CONTROL

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments

S. 3633, to provide for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms. It was announced that the committee has until August 10 to file report on this bill.

Committee also approved for reporting S. 1704, to authorize the Court of Claims to implement its judgments for compensation; H.R. 9391, allowing U.S. judges to elect to provide annuities for their widows within 6 months after marriage; S. 3269, granting congressional consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact; two private claims bills (H.R. 8391 and H.R. 10321); and one private immigration bill (an original concurrent resolution providing for suspension of certain deportation proceedings).

AUTO INSURANCE

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee continued its hearings into various aspects of the auto insurance industry, having as its witnesses William E. Oriol, who spoke in behalf of Senator Williams of New Jersey; and George Kline, representing Allstate Insurance Co., Northbrook, Ill.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

OLDER WORKERS EMPLOYMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes and Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services conducted hearings jointly to receive testimony as to the adequacy of services for older workers. Witnesses heard were W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor; Allen R. Dodd, contributing editor, Marketing Communications, New York City; Louis Levine, professor of economics, Institute for Research on Human Resources, Pennsylvania State University; Oscar J. Kaplan, professor of psychology, San Diego State College; and Harry Grace, professor of management, University of Southern California.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 18879–18903; 31 private bills, H.R. 18904–18934; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1417–1418, were introduced. Pages 23174–23175

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report from Committee on Government Operations, "Investigation of Wheat Exports Financed Under Government Program," (H. Rept. 1786);

Conference report on S. 222, to insure that public buildings financed with Federal funds are so designed and constructed as to be accessible to the physically handicapped (H. Rept. 1787); and

Conference report on H.R. 17903, public works appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1788). Page 23174

Continuing Appropriations: House agreed to make it in order on Friday, July 26, 1968, or any day thereafter, to consider a joint resolution making continuing appropriations. Pages 23066–23067

Transportation Appropriation: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18188, Transportation appropriation bill, and agreed to a conference. The Speaker appointed the following conferees: Representatives Boland, McFall, Yates, Mahon, Minshall, Jonas, and Bow. Pages 23067–23068

Lister Hill: The House passed and cleared for the White House S.J. Res. 193, designate Lister Hill National Center for Biomedical Communications. Pages 23068–23069

Firearms: By a record vote of 305 yeas to 118 nays, the House passed H.R. 17735, to provide for a better control of interstate traffic in firearms.

Upon demand for a separate vote agreed to the following amendments:

By a record vote of 218 yeas to 205 nays, excludes rifle, shotgun, and .22 caliber rim fire ammunition;

By a voice vote, an amendment which permits those engaged in interstate hunting or competition, if weapons are lost, stolen, or become inoperable, to purchase a gun in a State other than the State of his residence, under certain conditions;

By a record vote of 412 yeas to 11 nays, the Poff substitute to the Casey amendment regarding penalties for use of a gun to commit a felony; and

By a record vote of 225 yeas to 198 nays, an amendment to exempt people, organizations, and institutions engaged in competition and military training under certain conditions.

While in the Committee of the Whole, in addition to the second amendment listed above, amendments relating to the following were adopted:

Making certain of the provisions of the bill applicable to local law or any published ordinance;

Reducing licensing fees for manufacturers and importers of nondestructive ammunition and firearms from $500 to $50;

Technical amendments to exclusion of collectors adopted yesterday;

Permits transportation on a public carrier of firearms in interstate commerce if left in custody of operator of public carrier;

Provides, for purpose of bill, residence of members of the Armed Forces is place of duty station.

Rejected amendments relating to the following:

Exempts from age requirements of bill members of the Armed Forces, Reserve, and National Guard on active duty and any veteran not dishonorably discharged;

Exempts members of Armed Forces on active duty from age requirements;

Provides for a class of people called "Licensed Transferees" and exempts this class from provisions of bill;

Limits recordkeeping to interstate or foreign commerce trafficking of firearms or ammunition;

Redefines antique firearms so as to include weapons manufactured prior to 1898;

Strike out age requirements;

Provides licensing fees go to Federal Aid to Wildlife Restoration Fund;

Pertaining to recordkeeping;

Allows States to reject bill provisions;

Exclude from provisions of bill temporary bailment of firearms;

Makes provisions of bill applicable to violations of local laws if local ordinance is published in the Federal Register.

Defeated by a voice vote a motion that the Committee rise and to strike enacting clause. Pages 23069–23096

Immigration: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15147, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act, and requested a conference; the Speaker appointed the following conferees: Representatives Feighan, Rodino, Donohue, Dowdy, Moore, Cahill, and MacGregor. Page 23096

Higher Education: The House completed debate on H.R. 15067, higher education amendments, and began to read for amendments; whereupon the Committee rose.

H. Res. 1259, the resolution under which H.R. 15067 was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 23097–23142

Committee Resignation: On Tuesday, July 23, the Speaker read a letter of resignation from Representative Herlong, resigning from the Committee on Ways and Means. It was further announced that there will be a Democratic caucus at 10 a.m. on Friday, July 26, for the purpose of filling the vacancy that exists on the Committee on Ways and Means.

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. POLICE COMMISSIONER

Committee on the District of Columbia: Held a hearing on H.R. 14430 and H.R. 14448, to establish a Commissioner of Police for D.C. Testimony was heard from Representative Broyhill of Virginia, and public witnesses.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY—LABOR—WELFARE AND PENSION—HANDICAPPED CHILDREN—AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 2567, Construction Safety Act;

H.R. 15990, to investigate seasonality in the construction industry and its effect on the national manpower policy;

H.R. 6498, amended, Welfare and Pension Plan Protection Act;

H.R. 18763, authorize preschool and early education programs for handicapped children;

H.J. Res. 1371, to establish a White House Conference on Aging.

INAUGURAL COMMITTEE—PROPERTY—REPORT

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18040, amended, to assist the Inaugural Committee; and S. 2060, extends Federal Property and Administrative Services Act authorization; the committee approved a report entitled "Investment of Wheat Exports Financed Under Government Programs."

GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 16801, amended, Guam rehabilitation extension.

IMMIGRATION—PENDING BUSINESS—MARINE CONSERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18482 to authorize the waiving of the requirement of performance and payment bonds in connection with certain contracts entered into by the Secretary of Commerce.

Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands held a hearing on H.R. 17369, marine resources conservation and development fund. Testimony was heard from Dr. Jacques Piccard, explorer and oceanographer, and John H. Clotworthy, president, National Oceanography Association.

BOAT SAFETY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 15223, to provide for a coordinated national safety program to reduce boating accidents, and deaths and injuries resulting therefrom. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. Paul E. Trimble, Assistant Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard.

PENDING BUSINESS—MAIL PRIVACY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Subcommittee on Postal Operations continued investigative hearings on privacy in the mails. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

TARIFFS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18373, for

implementing Conventions for Free Admission of Professional Equipment and Containers, and for ATA, ECS, and TIR Carnets; H.R. 16552, amended, relating to the tariff classification of invert or high-test molasses; and H.R. 15003, amended, relating to the payment of multiple customs duties by U.S. owners of racehorses purchased outside the U.S.

Joint Committee Meetings

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 222, to insure that all public buildings shall be constructed so as to be reasonably accessible to the physically handicapped.

HIGHWAYS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971.

APPROPRIATIONS—PUBLIC WORKS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, July 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23240–23278

Bills Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3879–3884; S. Con. Res. 78; and S. Res. 181. Page 23242

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3866, to extend for 3 years the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act (S. Rept. 1457);

H.R. 11026, to assist in development and improvement of recreational opportunities and fish and wildlife programs at reservations (S. Rept. 1458);

H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1459);

S. 3269, granting congressional consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact (S. Rept. 1460);

S. Con. Res. 78, H.R. 8391, and 10321, private bills (S. Repts. 1461–1463);

H.R. 9391, allowing U.S. judges to elect to provide annuities for their widows within 6 months after marriage (S. Rept. 1464);

S. 1704, to authorize the Court of Claims to implement its judgments for compensation, with amendment (S. Rept. 1465);

S. 908, H.R. 1648, 2281, 6195, 6655, 10327, 11381, 12119, and 14167, private bills (S. Repts. 1466–1474); and

S. 2886, to provide for operation of William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant at Rolla, N. Dak., with amendment (S. Rept. 1475). Pages 23241–23242

Milk Indemnities: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Jordan of North Carolina, Montoya, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs. Page 23246

National Guard: Senate passed without amendment S. 3865, to clarify the status of National Guard technicians. Pages 23251–23257

Maritime Authorizations: Conference report was adopted on H.R. 15189, authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce. Pages 23279–23282

Housing: Senate adopted conference report on S. 3497, proposed Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. Pages 23284–23293

Authority To Meet: All committees except Committee on Labor and Public Welfare were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Friday, July 26. Page 23294

State, Justice, and Commerce Appropriations: Senator McClellan submitted six notices of intention to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments No. 902–907 to H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies. Pages 23242–23243

Photography: Senate concurred in House amendment to S.J. Res. 181, to designate week of August 4–10, 1968,

as "Professional Photography Week." This action cleared resolution for White House Page 23314

Sea-Grant Colleges: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Magnuson, Pell, and Javits. Page 23314

Inaugural Plans: Senate passed without amendment S. 3416, to authorize GSA to render direct assistance to and perform special services for the Inaugural Committee. Page 23314

D.C.: H.R. 9606, exempting from taxation certain property of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the D.C., was passed without amendment, clearing bill for White House. Pages 23315–23316

D.C.: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 10213, liberalizing requirements with respect to financial advertising imposed on alien life insurance companies doing business in the D.C. Pages 23315–23316

Mutual Funds: Senate continued consideration of S. 3724, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1968, with pending question at adjournment Bennett motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Banking and Currency, with instructions to report it back after SEC report of current investigation of mutual fund fees has been made public (report is due not later than September 1, 1969).

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that vote will be taken at noon, Friday, July 26, on Bennett motion to recommit the bill with instructions, the time for debate between 10 a.m. and noon to be equally divided. During further consideration of the bill, debate will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table), and 1 hour, equally divided, on question of passage of bill. Pages 23282, 23293–23313

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Edward C. Sylvester, Jr., of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; 10 judicial; and numerous postmasters. Pages 23320–23321

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Kenneth H. Tuggle, of Kentucky, and Wallace R. Burke, of Connecticut, each to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; numerous other civilian nominations; and numerous Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps nominations. Pages 23316–23320

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, AND COMMERCE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

VETERANS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 1093, providing reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act to certain former servicemen; and H.R. 12323, to liberalize the law relative to election of benefits under the retired servicemen's family protection plan. Committee also approved 97 nominations in the Army and Marine Corps.

Prior to this action, in open session, committee received testimony from Hugh W. Bradley, Director, Office of Veterans Reemployment Rights, Department of Labor, who directed his remarks to H.R. 1093; and Maj. Gen. William W. Berg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower and Reserve Affairs); Col. John P. Carlton, Reserve Officers Association; Col. James F. Chapman, Retired Officers Association; and Robert A. Nolan, Fleet Reserve Association, all of whom directed their remarks to H.R. 12323.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on International Finance continued hearings on S.J. Res. 169, to promote an increase in trade in peaceful goods between the United States and nations of Eastern Europe, having as its witnesses Lawrence C. McQuade, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Domestic and International Business; Roy T. Englert, Deputy General Counsel, and Margaret Schwartz, Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, both of the Department of the Treasury; and J. Patrick Kittler, Kittler and Hedelson, Minneapolis.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued hearings on S. 3861, to authorize a study of essential railroad passenger service by the Secretary of Transportation, having as its witnesses Senator Metcalf; W. Ashley Gray, Jr., representing General Steel Industries, Inc., and the Railway Progress Institute; Prof. George W. Hilton, department of economics, UCLA; Anthony Haswell, National Association of Railroad Passengers; and Thomas M. Goodfellow, Association of American Railroads.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 29.

AUTO RETAIL INDUSTRY

Committee on Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Automobile Marketing Practices held hearings to receive testimony regarding complaints received from auto dealers concerning marketing practices which are claimed to be detrimental to the automobile retail indus-

try. Witnesses heard were Sam H. White, Sam White Oldsmobile Co., Houston, Lyman W. Slack, Lyman Slack Motors, Portland, Oreg., and Judson Bryan, Bryan Motor Co., Inc., Stillwater, Okla., all of whom are affiliated with the National Automobile Dealers Association; Charles R. Winterowd, Vandenberg Motors, Sacramento, Calif.; Henry Fette, Fette Ford, Clifton, N.J.; and Raphael Cohen, Metropolitan Independent Dodge-Chrysler Dealers Association, Inc., Ridgewood, N.J.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings; and H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts. Amendments adopted to these bills were numerous, some involving the addition of texts of other pending bills, the details of which may be obtained from a press release available in the office of the Committee on Finance.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program. The following table gives a breakdown of the committee's action compared to fiscal 1968 figures, fiscal 1969 requests, and House-passed figures:

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AUTHORIZATIONS

[In thousands of dollars]

	Approved, fiscal year 1968	Requested, fiscal year 1969	House bill	Senate Foreign Relations Committee
Development Loan Fund	450,000	765,000	350,000	350,000
Technical cooperation	210,000	235,000	200,000	200,000
American schools abroad	14,000	15,100	13,000	14,600
Local currency	2,986	3,100	5,100	5,100
Survey of investment opportunities	2,100	1,500	1,250	.....
Alliance for Progress	578,000	625,000	420,000	420,000
Loans	(478,000)	(515,000)	(330,000)	(330,000)
Grants	(100,000)	(110,000)	(90,000)	(90,000)
Partners of the Alliance	714	.....	500	200
International organizations	141,000	143,000	131,000	131,000
Supporting assistance	660,000	595,000	420,000	400,000
Contingency fund	50,000	100,000	10,000	10,000
Administrative expenses: AID	55,814	58,775	53,000	50,000
Total economic	2,164,614	2,541,475	1,603,850	1,580,900
Military	510,000	420,000	390,000	365,000
Total economic and military	2,674,614	2,961,475	1,993,850	1,945,900

COURT ADMINISTRATORS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery held hearings on S. 3062, providing for appointment of an administrator of the courts for each judicial circuit, receiving testimony from Ernest C. Friesen, Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and Edward Gallas, director of personnel, Port of New York Authority, both of whom are authors in the area of judicial administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Orma R. Smith, to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Mississippi; Lewis R. Morgan, of Georgia, to be U.S. circuit judge, fifth circuit; Alexander A. Lawrence, to be U.S. district judge for the southern district of Georgia; and Hugh H. Bownes, to be U.S. district judge for the district of New Hampshire.

Prior to approval of these nominations subcommittee held hearings thereon where Senator Eastland appeared in behalf of Mr. Smith; Senator Russell spoke in behalf of Messrs. Morgan and Lawrence; and Senator McIntyre appeared in support of Mr. Bownes.

WELFARE AND PENSION PLANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor held hearings on S. 1024, S. 3421, and other bills designed to provide for welfare and pension plan protection, receiving testimony from Senators Hartke and Javits; Thomas R. Donahue, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Labor-Management Services; and Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Stanley Surrey.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

OLDER WORKERS EMPLOYMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes and Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Communtiy Services continued hearings jointly to receive testimony as to the adequacy of services for older workers. Witnesses heard were Eleanor Fait, supervisor, Older Worker Program, State of California; Mrs. James H. Baxter, Over-60 Counsel-

ing and Employment Service, Montgomery County, Md.; Joseph Vilimas, John F. Kennedy Family Service Center, Charlestown, Mass.; and the following panel of witnesses representing the Department of Labor: Richard Mendenhall, Manpower Administration; Sol Swerdloff, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Clarence Lundquist, Wage and Hour and Public Contract Divisions; Charles E. Odell, U.S. Employment Service; and Louis H. Ravin, Special Assistant for Older Workers.

Hearings continue on Monday, July 29.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 18935–18952; 23 private bills, H.R. 18953–18975, and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1419 and H. Con. Res. 802, were introduced.

Pages 23453–23454

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 551, regarding Biscayne National Monument in Florida, amended (H. Rept. 1789);

H.R. 4530, regarding conveyance of the mineral estate, amended (H. Rept. 1790);

H.R. 13797, to authorize the sale of certain public lands, amended (H. Rept. 1791);

H.J. Res. 1371, regarding a White House Conference on Aging to be held in 1971, amended (H. Rept. 1792);

H.R. 18763, regarding education of handicapped children (H. Rept. 1793);

Conference report on H.R. 16913, the Department of Agriculture appropriations (H. Rept. 1794);

Conference report on S. 1166, the gas pipeline safety bill (H. Rept. 1795);

H.R. 18040, regarding Inaugural Committee, amended (H. Rept. 1796);

S. 2060, regarding history of the United States (H. Rept. 1797);

Report of the Eighth Conference of the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group (H. Rept. 1798); and

Conference report on S. 3418, to authorize appropriations for the construction of certain highways (H. Rept. 1799). Page 26453

Langer Jewel Bearing Plant: The House passed H.R. 15864, to provide for the operation of the William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant at Rolla, N. Dak., amended.

Pages 23338–23329

Central Intelligence Agency: The House passed H.R. 18786, to amend the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement Act. Pages 23329–23330

Higher Education: By a record vote of 389 yeas to 15 nays, the House passed H.R. 15067, the Higher Education Amendments of 1968.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3769, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Prior to adoption of the committee amendment the following amendments were adopted regarding:

Qualification of colleges under the Library Assistance Act;

Upward bound program;

Elimination of average hours of employment limitation during nonregular enrollment periods;

Reduction of appropriation for cooperative education programs;

Annual interest grants;

Extending of health care to students;

Striking of section regarding authority to establish advisory committee;

Striking of title XIII, Amendments to International Education Act;

Striking of title XIV, Universal Educational Opportunity Commission;

Denial of funds under the bill to students involved in the commission of certain crimes (by a record vote of 259 yeas to 147 nays); and

Antiguidelines.

Rejected amendments regarding:

Cooperative education programs; networks for knowledge; education for the public service; student loan program; and eligibility for student assistance.

The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3769; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Green of Oregon, Brademas, Gibbons, Carey, Hathaway, Burton of California, Ayres, Quie, Reed of New York, Erlenborn, and Esch. Pages 23331–23387

Joint Industry Promotion: By a record vote of 201 yeas to 169 nays the House passed H.R. 15198, to permit employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances or a joint committee or joint board empowered to interpret provisions of collective bargaining agreements.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Education and Labor by a voice vote.

Adopted an amendment designed to renew funds used to resolve collective bargaining agreements by a record vote of 190 yeas to 177 nays.

Rejected two amendments regarding equal contributions of funds (one by a record vote of 156 yeas to 217 nays).

A point of order against an amendment was sustained.

H. Res. 1234, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted by a record vote of 290 yeas to 100 nays. Pages 23387–23406

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 23453

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAND CONVEYANCE

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18033, conveyance of certain lands to the State of Ohio; and H.R. 18207, amended, to release certain conditions in a deed conveying land to the South Carolina State Commission on Forestry.

YOUTH CAMP SAFETY

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education held a hearing on H.R. 17131, and related bills, to provide Federal leadership and grants to the States for developing and implementing State programs for youth camp safety standards. Testimony was heard from Representatives Irwin and Rosenthal; Senator Ribicoff; and a public witness.

PARKING LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 17854, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to administer a program to provide for the construction of parking facilities in the District of Columbia for Government employees and visitors to the District of Columbia.

OCEAN RESOURCES

Committee on Foreign Affairs and Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Joint meeting of Subcommittees on Oceanography and International Organizations and Movements in executive session considered recent developments relating to the issue of control over ocean resources. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Contracts met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation approved for full committee action H.R. 14735, Gulf Island National Seashore, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, and Mississippi; and H.R. 18333, amended, Upper Mississippi Valley National Recreation Area; and H.R. 17781, amended, Padre Island National Seashore.

The subcommittee held hearings on H.R. 14413, Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.; H.R. 8970, and related bills, North Cascades National Park and Ross Lake National Recreation Area; H.R. 14735, H.R. 17787, and H.R. 18333. Testimony was heard from Representatives Colmer, Sikes, Meeds, May, and Davis of Georgia, and departmental witnesses.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

MARINE CONSERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands continued hearings on H.R. 17369, marine resources conservation and development fund. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wydler, Wolff, and public witnesses.

BLUE CRAB

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife continued hearings on the blue crab shortages in the Chesapeake Bay. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POST OFFICE

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Operations held a hearing on H.R. 18624, to readjust the compensation of the advisory board for the Post Office Department; H.R. 18625, to exempt medical officers and nurses in the postal field service from certain provisions of the U.S. Code; H.R. 18626, to permit postal employees to accept checks or money orders; H.R. 18623, to provide that the qualification of municipalities for city delivery service be expressed in terms of revenue units rather than cash receipts; and H.R. 18622, to curtail mailing of hazardous items through the mail. Testimony was heard from Timothy May, General Counsel, Post Office Department.

INVESTIGATION

Committee on Public Works: Special Subcommittee on Economic Development Programs continued the investigation of the administration of section 702 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

ADVANCED NUCLEAR SUB

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee held executive hearings to receive testimony on Department of Defense plans for design and construction of an advanced high-performance nuclear submarine. Testimony was received from Adm. Thomas H. Moorer, Chief of Naval Operations; Dr. Robert A. Frosch, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research and Development; and Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, Deputy Commander, Naval Ship Systems Command.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGRICULTURE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies.

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, July 30.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23490–23515

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3885–3895; and S.J. Res. 195. Page 23490

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Con. Res. 72, expressing congressional approval of U.S. participation in an International Decade of Ocean Exploration during the 1970's (S. Rept. 1476);

H.R. 1093, providing reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act to certain former servicemen, with amendment (S. Rept. 1477);

H.R. 16027, making graduated increases in compensation for disabled veterans with wartime disability, with amendment (S. Rept. 1478);

H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, with amendment and with individual views (S. Rept. 1479);

H.R. 12323, to liberalize the law relative to election of benefits under the retired servicemen's family protection plan, with amendment (S. Rept. 1480); and

H.R. 17324, to amend and extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951, with additional amendments (pt. 2 of S. Rept. 1385). Page 23489

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 23534

Bill Placed on Calendar: H.R. 15864, to provide for operation of William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant at Rolla, N. Dak., was ordered to be placed on calendar. Page 23534

Authority [illegible]et: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, July 30. Page 23531

Mutual Funds: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendment S. 3724, proposed Investment Company Amendments Act of 1968, after rejecting, by 29 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Bennett motion to recommit the bill to Committee on Banking and Currency, with instructions to report it back after SEC report of current investigation of mutual fund fees has been made public (report is due not later than September 1, 1969).

Amendments adopted were Bennett amendment No. 899 providing that no advisory fees or management compensation shall be found to be unreasonable if certain stated conditions are met, as amended by modified Case-Javits amendment as a substitute for the Bennett amendment; Monroney amendment (for himself and others) respecting persons whose business consists of owning or holding oil, gas, or other mineral royalties or leases; and McIntyre amendment of a technical nature. Pages 23515, 23519–23552

D.C. Revenue: Senate passed with committee amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968, insisting on its amendments thereto, asking for conference with House, and appointing as conferees Senators Spong, Morse, and Morton. Pages 23515–23519

Renegotiation: Senate considered H.R. 17324, to amend and extend Renegotiation Act of 1951, but prior to action thereon, by unanimous consent, the bill was recommitted to Committee on Finance with instructions to report it back forthwith with additional amendments No. 889 (to prevent dumping) and No. 890 (to implement International Coffee Agreement). The bill was then reported back with supplementary report. Page 23558

Agriculture Appropriations: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 16913, fiscal 1969 appropriations

for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies, with Senate agreeing to House amendments to Senate amendments No. 14 (watershed protection, Soil Conservation Service), No. 19 (consumer protective marketing, and regulatory programs), No. 24 (food stamp program), No. 25 (section 32 funds), and No. 40 (rural housing direct loan account). These actions cleared bill for White House. Pages 23558–23566

Continuing Appropriations: H.J. Res. 1420, making continuing appropriations through September 30, 1968, was passed without amendment, clearing bill for White House. Pages 23567–23569

Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report dated July 9, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on review of reports on Port Aransas-Corpus Christi Waterway, Tex., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 99. Page 23490

Postal Employees: By 47 yeas to 8 nays, Senate passed H.R. 15387, to provide disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties, after adopting committee amendments. The committee amendment exempting certain postal employees from personnel limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Act, was adopted by 46 yeas to 17 nays (motion to reconsider tabled).

Senate adopted, by 34 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled by 33 yeas to 25 nays), Monroney motion to table Williams of Delaware amendment No. 900 providing for Civil Service appointment of postmasters.

Senate rejected, by 22 yeas to 34 nays, Miller amendment providing that personnel limitations in Revenue and Expenditure Control Act shall be retained except for those exempted by committee amendment adopted today. Pages 23553–23558, 23566–23567, 23569–23591

Poultry Inspection: Senate took up S. 2932, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. Pages 23592–23598

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Raul H. Castro, of Arizona, to be Ambassador to Bolivia, and of Edson O. Sessions, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Ecuador. Page 23598

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Monday, July 29.

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House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 18976–18993; 23 private bills, H.R. 18994–19016; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1420–1421, H. Con. Res. 803–804, and H. Res. 1275, were introduced. Pages 23748–23749

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 1420, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1969 (H. Rept. 1800);

H. Con. Res. 213, to authorize the printing of certain letters of Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover, amended (H. Rept. 1801);

H. Con. Res. 781, to print publication "The Present-Day Ku Klux Klan Movement" (H. Rept. 1802);

H. Con. Res. 784, to authorize printing as a House document "The American's Creed," amended (H. Rept. 1803);

H. Res. 1088, providing for the printing of the proceedings of the Committee on Agriculture incident to the presentation of a portrait of the Honorable W. R. Poage, amended (H. Rept. 1804);

H. Res. 1161, to print report entitled "Civilian Advisory Panel on Military Manpower Procurement" (H. Rept. 1805);

H. Res. 1166, to print eulogy proceedings on former Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr. (H. Rept. 1806);

H. Res. 1183, to print committee proceedings honoring the start of the 40th year in Congress of Hon. Wright Patman, amended (H. Rept. 1807);

H. Res. 1189, to print publication entitled "Conduct of Espionage Within the United States by Agents of Foreign Communist Governments" (H. Rept. 1808);

H. Res. 1190, to print additional copies of H. Rept. 1351, 90th Congress, second session (H. Rept. 1809);

H. Res. 1195, to print the dedication ceremony of the portrait of the Honorable L. Mendel Rivers, chairman, Committee on Armed Services, amended (H. Rept. 1810);

S. Con. Res. 168, to print additional hearings on amendments to the Federal Firearms Act (H. Rept. 1811);

S. Con. Res. 77, to authorize printing of hearings on "Status and Future of Small Business" (H. Rept. 1812);

H.R. 16771, to designate certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J., amended (H. Rept. 1813);

H.R. 16092, regarding maximum rates of interest or dividends, amended (H. Rept. 1814); and

H.R. 6909, regarding duty on parts of stethoscopes, amended (H. Rept. 1815). Pages 23748–23749

Cotton: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 10915, regarding extra-long-staple cotton quota reduction, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Page 23598

Dairy Farmers: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3638, to provide indemnity payments to dairy farmers; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Poage, Gathings, McMillan, Belcher, and Teague of California.

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Printing Resolutions: The following printing resolutions were called up, considered, and adopted by voice votes: H. Con. Res. 213, H. Con. Res. 781, H. Con. Res. 784, amended, H. Res. 1088, amended, H. Res. 1161, H. Res. 1166, H. Res. 1183, amended, H. Res. 1189, H. Res. 1190, H. Res. 1195, amended, S. Con. Res. 68, and S. Con. Res. 77 (for titles see Bills Reported in this issue of the DIGEST). Pages 23599–23600

Public Works Appropriations: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on H.R. 17903, the public works for water and power resources development and Atomic Energy Commission appropriation bill, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 3. Pages 23601–23610

Continuing Appropriations: By a voice vote passed H.J. Res. 1420, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1969. Pages 23611–23613

Agriculture Appropriations: The House adopted by a voice vote the conference report on H.R. 16913, the appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and related agencies, 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 13; and receded and concurred with amendments in Senate amendments Nos. 14, 19, 24, 25, and 40. Pages 23613–23622

Rule: Adopted H. Res. 1273, providing for the waiving of points of order against the bill (H.R. 18707) making appropriations for the Department of Defense.

Pages 23622–23628

D.C. Appropriation: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 18706, the District of Columbia Appropriation Act. Pages 23628–23636

Housing: Adopted, by a record vote of 226 yeas to 135 nays, the conference report on S. 3497, the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 23636–23692

Governor of Virgin Islands: Agreed to Senate amendment to a House amendment to S. 450, to provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands, thus clearing the legislation for the White House.

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Federal-Aid Highway Act: By a voice vote the House adopted the conference report on S. 3418, the Federal-Aid Highway Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

By a record vote of 166 yeas to 167 nays rejected a motion to recommit the bill to committee of conference.

Pages 23692–23713

Maritime Authorization: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 15189, the maritime authorization, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 23713–23715

Gas Pipeline Safety Act: Adopted the conference report on S. 1166, the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 23715–23720

Federal Buildings—Handicapped: Adopted the conference report on S. 222, to insure that public buildings financed with Federal funds are so designed and constructed as to be accessible to the physically handicapped, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Pages 23720–23722

Rules: Adopted H. Res. 1250, providing for consideration of H.R. 12843, regarding National Eye Institute; and H. Res. 1262, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15757, to amend the Public Health Service Act.

Pages 23722–23724

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of July 31. Pages 23728–23729

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 23747

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation referred to the full committee for appropriate disposition H.R. 14413 and H.R. 14414, bills regarding Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.; and H.R. 15245 and S. 444, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Wyoming.

Heard testimony from Representative Harrison and Departmental witnesses on H.R. 15245, and heard testimony on H.R. 8970, to establish the North Cascades National Park and the Ross Lake National Recreation Area, to designate the Pasayten Wilderness and to modify the Glacier Peak Wilderness, in the State of Washington, from Stewart L. Udall, the Secretary of the Interior, and other departmental witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

RIVERS AND HARBORS—FLOOD CONTROL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors flood control. As agreed upon by the conferees the bill would authorize $1,706,994,000.

GRAIN STANDARDS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain.

LAND CONVEYANCE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 10864, a private bill relating to a land conveyance in Arkansas.

MILK INDEMNITIES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, July 30.

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Saturday, July 27, 1986

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23798–23835

Resolution submitted: One resolution was submitted, as follows: S. Res. 382. Pages 23825–23826

Measures Referred: One House-passed bill and three House-adopted concurrent resolutions were referred to appropriate committees. Page 23825

Health: Senate passed H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs, after adopting committee amendment and a Mansfield amendment to provide 1-year extension of solid waste disposal authorization (the substance of S. 3201, S. Rept. 1447). Motion to reconsider passage was tabled and S. 3201 was indefinitely postponed. Pages 23798–23805

Government Reorganization: S. 3640, establishing a commission to study Government organization and recommend necessary improvements therein, was passed. without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 23805–23808

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, 14 measures, of which 12 were private, were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Judiciary: H.R. 9391, allowing U.S. judges to elect to provide annuities for their widows within 6 months after marriage; and

Private bills: 10 private bills, H.R. 8391, 10321, 1648, 2281, 6195, 6655, 10327, 11381, 12119, and 14167.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

School compact: S. 3269, granting congressional consent to the New Hampshire-Vermont interstate school compact.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bill: One private bill, S. 908.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

Private resolution: One private immigration resolution, S. Con. Res. 78. Pages 23808–23821

Badlands: Senate receded from its amendment to H.R. 9098, to revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak., thus clearing the bill for the White House. By unanimous consent, motion entered by Senator Byrd (West Virginia) on July 18 to reconsider vote by which Senate had agreed to H. Con. Res. 798, authorizing Clerk of House to make changes in enrollment of H.R. 9098, was withdrawn. Pages 23821–23823

Langer Bearing Plant: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 15864, to provide for operation of William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant at Rolla, N. Dak. S. 2886, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Page 23823

Higher Education: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Yarborough, Clark, Randolph, Williams (New Jersey), Nelson, Prouty, Javits, Dominick, and Murphy. Pages 23854–23867

Poultry Inspection: Senate considered S. 2932, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S., agreeing to limit further debate thereon as follows: After approval of the Journal on Monday, July 29, debate will be limited to 30 minutes, equally divided, on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table); no nongermane amendment will be received; and no vote will be taken on any amendment prior to 12:30 p.m. Monday.

Pending at adjournment was Montoya amendment No. 911 (for himself and others) to strike language that would bar distribution in commerce of poultry and meat products processed under State inspection not equal to that prescribed in the bill.

Pages 23835–23854, 23867–23870

Confirmations: Numerous Army nominations and one Marine Corps nomination were confirmed. Page 23870

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee concluded its hearings on fiscal 1969 budget estimates for the District of Columbia, having as its witnesses John B. Layton, Chief of Metropolitan Police; Dr. Murray Grant, Director of Public Health, D.C.; and Thomas W. Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner of the D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, July 29, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 23991–24021

Bills Introduced: 45 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3896–3938; S. Res. 383–384.

Pages 23992, 23994–23995

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 16086, pertaining to the affairs of the Choctaw Indians of Oklahoma with particular reference to lands (S. Rept. 1481);

S. 1534, to authorize D.C. Commissioners to close all or part of a street, road, highway, or alley, in accordance with an approved redevelopment or urban renewal plan, without regard to notice provisions, with amendment (S. Rept. 1482); and

S. 927, to prohibit discriminatory assessment of transportation property of common carriers, with individual views (S. Rept. 1483). Page 23992

Bill Referred: H.R. 18785, military construction appropriations for fiscal year 1969, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 24038

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, six measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Recreation: H.R. 11026, to assist in development and improvement of recreational opportunities and fish and wildlife programs at reservations.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

UMT: H.R. 1093, providing reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act to certain former servicemen; and

Armed Forces: H.R. 12323, to liberalize the law relative to election of benefits under the retired servicemen's family protection plan.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Fisheries: S. 3866, to extend for 3 years the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Court of Claims: S. 1704, to authorize the Court of Claims to implement its judgments for compensation.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

Oceanography: S. Con. Res. 72, expressing congressional approval of U.S. participation in an International Decade of Ocean Exploration during the 1970's.

Pages 24013–24021

Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report of Chief of Engineers, dated June 3, 1968, on favorable report on Martin County, Fla., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 101. Page 23992

Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report of Chief of Engineers, dated July 23, 1968, on favorable report on mouth of the Colorado River, Texas, was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 102.

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Public Buildings: Conference report was adopted on S. 222, to insure that all public buildings shall be constructed so as to be reasonably accessible to the physically handicapped, thus clearing bill for President's signature. Page 24038

Poultry Inspection: By unanimous vote of 73 yeas (motion to reconsider tabled) Senate passed with amendment H.R. 16363, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. Prior to these actions Committee on Agriculture and Forestry had been discharged from further consideration of H.R. 16363, and that bill was amended by adoption of amended text of S. 2932, companion bill, consisting of committee substitute for that bill as amended. The committee substitute had been amended as follows:

Montoya amendment No. 910 (for himself and other Senators) to substitute for certain language in the committee substitute the authorization to exempt operations which process less than the equivalent of 4,000 turkeys per year, but only to the extent that interstate consumers will not be subject to adulterated or misbranded products; modified Talmadge amendment as a substitute for reported language of congressional intent respecting condemnation of certain poultry (motion to reconsider tabled); and by 52 yeas to 19 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Montoya amendment No. 911 (for himself and other Senators) to eliminate language of committee sub-

stitute that would allow distribution in interstate commerce of poultry and meat products processed under State inspection that meets Federal standards.

Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 16363, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Talmadge, Montoya, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs.

S. 2932, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 23980–23991

Highway Aid: By 66 yeas to 6 nays, Senate adopted conference report on S. 3418, authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

Pages 24023–24038

State-Justice-Commerce Appropriations: Senate passed H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies, after adopting amendments as follows:

All committee amendments en bloc (with the exception of one described below which was adopted by record vote), which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; the following five McClellan amendments en bloc—No. 902, respecting existing appointments and assignments to the Foreign Service Reserve in the State Department, No. 903, respecting purchase of aircraft for Environmental Services Administration, No. 905, respecting police-type motor vehicles for FBI, No. 906, respecting research and development, Maritime Administration, and No. 907, respecting construction-differential subsidy for ship construction, Maritime Commission; by 62 yeas to 10 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), McClellan amendment No. 904 to exempt FBI from personnel limitations of Revenue Expenditure and Control Act (P.L. 90–364), as amended by adoption of Bayh amendment to include in the exemptions of McClellan amendment authorized positions in the offices of U.S. attorneys; and by 51 yeas to 22 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), committee amendment to strike out language that would have limited expenditures under the bill to $1,989,640,000.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators McClellan, Ellender, Holland, Pastore, McGee, Fulbright, Smith, Hruska, and Cotton.

Pages 23996, 24021–24022, 24038–24048

Intergovernmental Cooperation: Senate passed S. 698, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc.

Pages 24049–24057

Foreign Aid: Senate began consideration of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program. Pages 24057–24061

Confirmation: One judicial nomination was confirmed.

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Nominations: Senate received nominations of Frederick Simpich, of D.C., to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce, and of Charles Robert Perrin, of Michigan, to be Deputy Director of Office of Economic Opportunity. Page 24061

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued in executive session to consider H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Committee on Commerce: Committee concluded hearings on S. 3861, to authorize a study of essential railroad passenger service by the Secretary of Transportation, after receiving testimony from William M. Moloney, Association of American Railroads.

D.C. MATTERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs held hearings on the following bills:

S. 761 (H.R. 14098), authorizing D.C. Commissioner to provide for inspection of motor vehicles not regisistered in the D.C., with testimony from Robert F. Kneipp, Assistant Corporation Counsel, D.C., accompanied by William D. Heath, D.C. Department of Motor Vehicles; and Edward W. Tindall, Washington, D.C. Trucking Association;

S. 3883, authorizing the D.C. government to convey to Prince William County, Va., certain D.C.-owned land in that county, with testimony from N.C. Sharp, executive secretary, Prince William County; and Robert F. Kneipp, accompanied by Norman Jackson, D.C. Department of Sanitary Engineering; and

S. 3762 (H.R. 18248), requiring the D.C. government to pay to bus companies the difference between reduced school fare and the lowest adult fare, with testimony from O. Roy Chalk, president, D.C. Transit Company; Robert F. Kneipp; Russell W. Cunningham, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission; and Alfred S. Trask, representing the Federation of Citizens Associations of the D.C.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 16086, pertaining to the affairs of the Choctaw Indians of Oklahoma with particular reference to lands.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee approved for reporting the nomination of Ruggero J. Aldisert, of

Pennsylvania, to be U.S. circuit judge, third circuit, prior to which action subcommittee held hearings thereon, with testimony from Senator Clark and Representative Fulton of Pennsylvania. Written statements were submitted for the record by Senator Scott and Representative Schweiker.

AIR QUALITY CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution held hearings on the subject of air quality criteria: their basis and use in setting air quality standards. Testimony was received from Dr. John R. Goldsmith, Environmental Hazards Evaluation Unit, California Department of Public Health, Berkeley; Dr. Roger S. Mitchell, Webb-Waring Institute for Medical Research, University of Colorado Medical Center; Dr. Stephen M. Ayres, Cardio-Pulmonary Laboratory, St. Vincent Hospital, New York City; and Professor Hoyt G. Whipple, School of Public Health, University of Michigan.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

OLDER WORKERS EMPLOYMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Subcommittee on Employment and Retirement Incomes and Subcommittee on Federal, State, and Community Services continued hearings jointly to receive testimony as to the adequacy of services for older workers. Witnesses heard were Representative Scheuer; Solomon Barkin, professor of economics, University of Massachusetts; Edward Jakubauskas, Director, Industrial Relations Center, University of Iowa; Mrs. Elsa Porter, Office of Personnel Training, Department of HEW; Frank Riessman, professor of educational sociology, New York University; Dr. Harold Sheppard, Upjohn Institute for Employment Research; and Dr. William Usdane, Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW. Testimony was also received by way of a round table discussion from numerous other witnesses who are experts on the subject under discussion.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 20 public bills, H.R. 19017–19036; 28 private bills, H.R. 19037–19064; and seven resolutions, H.J. Res. 1422–1428, were introduced. Pages 23979–23980

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 15450, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act, amended (H. Rept. 1816);

H.R. 13419, regarding cellophane membrane, amended (H. Rept. 1817);

S. 1578, regarding International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs (H. Rept. 1818); and

Conference report on S. 3710, authorizing construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors for navigation, and flood control (H. Rept. 1819). Page 23979

Military Construction: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 18785, the Military Construction Appropriation Act, 1969.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations by a record vote of 32 yeas to 349 nays.

Rejected an amendment designed to cut the funds to be used for the anti-ballistic-missile system.

Pages 23909–23934

Postal Field Service: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15387, to provide for disciplinary action against employees in the postal field service who assault other employees in such service in the performance of official duties; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Dulski, Henderson, Olsen, Corbett, and Gross. Pages 23935–23944

Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Evins of Tennessee regarding his resignation from the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct on August 1, 1968. Page 23944

D.C. Revenue: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16361, the District of Columbia Revenue Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives McMillan, Whitener, Dowdy, Fuqua, Nelsen, Broyhill of Virginia, and Harsha. Page 23944

Food Stamp Act: Completed general debate on H.R. 18249, to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1965, and after reading the first section of the bill the Committee arose. Pages 23944–23954

Referrals: Five Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 23978

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. POLICE COMMISSIONER

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on H.R. 14430 and H.R. 14448, to establish the position of D.C. Police Commissioner. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held a hearing on H.R. 6616, to establish in the State of Michigan the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore; and H.R. 13124, to provide for the establishment of the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore in the State of Wisconsin. Testimony was heard from Representatives O'Hara of Michigan, O'Konski, Kastenmeier, Vander Jagt;

Senators Hart and Nelson; Secretary of the Interior, Stewart Udall; and Harold Jordall, Federal Co-Chairman of the Upper Great Lakes Regional Development Commission.

OCEAN EXPLORATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography held a hearing on S. Con. Res. 72, exploration of the oceans. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

OVERTIME AND STANDBY PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation held a hearing on H.R. 18630, to provide for payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

UFO

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Held a panel discussion on unidentified flying objects. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

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Tuesday, July 30, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24131–24160

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 3939–3947. Page 24132

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1484);

H.R. 18254, relating to the coastwise transportation of cargo equipment and stevedoring gear (S. Rept. 1485);

H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction, with amendments, and with minority views (S. Rept. 1486);

H.R. 18706, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia, with amendments (S. Rept. 1487);

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Senator Robert F. Kennedy: Numerous Senators spoke in tribute to the life, character, and services of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy of New York.

Pages 24109–24131

Postal Field Service: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 15387, to provide disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Monroney, Yarborough, Randolph, Fong, and Boggs.

Subsequently, conference report on this bill was adopted. Pages 24160, 24200

Committee on Nutrition: Senate adopted S. Res. 281, to establish a Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs after adopting the following amendments: All committee amendments en bloc; Clark amendment providing that the committee's activities shall terminate not later than June 30, 1969; and Fannin (for Dirksen) amendment providing for report by the committee to appropriate Senate committees, such report to outline certain lines of inquiry covered by the study. Pages 24160–24162

Grain: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 15794, to amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain. Page 24163

Public Lands—Arkansas: Conference report on H.R. 10864, a private bill relating to land conveyance in Arkansas, was adopted. Pages 24162–24163

Public Works Appropriations: Conference report on H.R. 17903, fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works was adopted. This action cleared bill for White House.

Pages 24165–24175

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senator Hill submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendment to H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

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Student Assistance: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 16729, extending programs for assistance to students in institutions of higher learning, and the bill was passed after being amended by substituting for its text the language of Morse amendment for extension of student loan insurance programs. Pages 24200–24202

Foreign Aid: Senate considered H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, adopting, by 43 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment providing that prohibition in bill against furnishing aid to Communist countries shall not be waived in any case until crew of U.S.S. *Pueblo* has been released by North Korea. Amendments offered are to the committee substitute for the bill.

Pending at adjournment was Mondale amendment to increase by $200 million authorization for Development Loan Fund for fiscal year 1969 and earmarking this increase for purchase by recipient countries of goods used directly in agriculture development.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to limit further debate as follows: Effective Wednesday, July 31, at conclusion of routine morning business, debate on any amendment (except a Miller amendment to which 10

minutes is allotted), motion (except motion to table), or appeal, will be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; that no nongermane amendment will be received; and 4 hours of debate, equally divided, on question of final passage of bill.

Pages 24160, 24176–24195, 24200, 24202–24212

Metric System: H.R. 3136, to authorize a study to determine the advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the metric system in the U.S., was passed after rejection of committee amendment that would have authorized use of up to $500,000 from funds available to the Department of Commerce to carry out purposes of the legislation for the first year of the program.

Pages 24210–24211

D.C. Appropriations: Senate considered and passed (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 18706, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Byrd of West Virginia, Proxmire, Yarborough, Spong, Hruska, and Javits. Pages 24212–24214

Confirmation: By 53 yeas to 20 nays, Senate confirmed nomination of Irvine H. Sprague, of California, to be a member of the Board of Directors of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Page 24214

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies. As approved by the committee the bill would appropriate a total of $18,488,800,000, an increase of $1,255,929,000 over the House-passed figure of $17,232,871,000.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Committee on Appropriations. Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18706, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 3305 and S. 3306, providing for Federal jurisdiction and a body of uniform Federal law for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, having as its witnesses Donald Trautman, professor, Harvard Law School; and Charles McErlean, United Airlines.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AIR QUALITY CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on air quality criteria: their basis and use in setting air quality standards. Witnesses heard today were Dr. Seymour Calvert, director, Air Pollution Research Center, University of California, Riverside; Dr. Samuel S. Epstein, Children's Cancer Research Foundation, Boston; Dr. E. Cuyler Hammond, American Cancer Society; Professor Eric J. Cassell, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York City; and Dr. Louis C. McCabe, Hazelton Laboratories, Inc., Reston, Va.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 19065–19074; 29 private bills, H.R. 19075–19103; and nine resolutions, H.J. Res. 1429–1430, H. Con. Res. 805–809, and H. Res. 1276–1277, were introduced.

Pages 24220, 24221, 24312–24313

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1820);

Conference report on H.R. 10932, a private bill (H. Rept. 1821); and

Conference report on H.R. 15387, regarding employees in the postal field service (H. Rept. 1822).

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Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Burleson regarding his resignation from the Committees on House Administration and Foreign Affairs, and the Joint Committees on Printing and Library. Page 24215

State, Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary Appropriations: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17522, State, Justice, Commerce, and judiciary appropriation bill, and agreed to a conference with the Senate. The Speaker appointed as conferees: Representatives Rooney of New York, Sikes, Slack, Smith of Iowa, Flynt, Joelson, Mahon, Bow, Lipscomb, Cederberg, and Andrews of North Dakota. Page 24215

Late Report: Permission was granted the Committee on Appropriations to file a conference report by midnight Wednesday, July 31, 1968, on H.R. 17522, State, Justice, Commerce, and judiciary appropriations bill.

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Aging: The House passed by a voice vote H.J. Res. 1371, to establish a White House Conference on the Aging, amended. Pages 24216–24220

Ways and Means: The House passed by a voice vote H. Res. 1276, appointing Representative Burleson to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page 24220

House Administration: The House passed by a voice vote H. Res. 1277, appointing Representative Friedel chairman of the Committee on House Administration. Page 24220

Technical Amendments: The House passed by a voice vote S. 3679, provides for technical changes of the act of June 19, 1968, Public Law 351, 90th Congress. Page 24221

Adjournment: The House passed by a voice vote H. Con. Res. 805, providing that when the House adjourns on Friday, August 2, 1968, it stand adjourned until noon Wednesday, September 4, 1968. Page 24221

Permission To Receive and Sign: Passed by a voice vote H. Con. Res. 806, authorizes the Speaker and President of the Senate to sign any enrolled bills and joint resolutions duly passed by the two Houses and found truly enrolled notwithstanding the adjournment; the House granted permission to the Clerk to receive messages from the Senate during adjournment. Page 24221

Poultry Products Inspection: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 16363, Wholesome Poultry Products Inspection Act, and agreed to a conference with the Senate. The Speaker appointed as conferees: Representatives Purcell, Stubblefield, Foley, Belcher, and May. Page 24222

Veterans' Employment: The House agreed to Senate amendments to H. Con. Res. 705, to assist veterans in obtaining employment, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Page 24222

Food Stamp Plan: By a record vote of 315 yeas to 83 nays, the House passed H.R. 18249, amends and extends the Food Stamp Act.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3068, after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

By a record vote of 227 yeas to 172 nays the House agreed to an amendment which removed the limitation on the authorization and provided for a 4-year authorization.

Agreed to an amendment which makes ineligible for the food stamp program college students, those engaged in a strike, labor disputes, or voluntary work stoppage, unless those so engaged were eligible prior to the above activities.

Rejected an amendment to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to provide food to eliminate starvation; and a preferential motion that the committee rise and strike all after the enacting clause. Pages 24222–24244

Food-Agriculture Act: The House consumed 1 hour and 30 minutes of general debate of H.R. 17126, Extension of Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

H. Res. 1218, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a record vote of 316 yeas to 73 nays.

A point of order against the rule was overruled. Pages 24245–24266

Referrals: Three Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 24312

Democratic Caucus: The majority leader announced that there will be a Democratic caucus at 10 a.m. on Thursday, August 1. Page 24269

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL GUARD TECHNICIANS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 3865, to clarify the status of National Guard Technicians.

INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and received a briefing by Covey T. Oliver, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, on his recent visit to Latin America.

OIL IMPORT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Full committee considered a report from the Subcommittee on Mines and Mining regarding the mandatory oil import program.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

MARINE RESOURCES

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands continued hearings on H.R. 17369, and related bills, regarding marine resources conservation and development fund. Testimony was heard from Representative Reinecke and public witnesses.

SMALL BOAT SAFETY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Continued hearings on H.R. 15223, small boat safety. Testimony was heard from Vice Adm. Paul E. Trimble, Assistant Commandant of the Coast Guard and public witnesses.

NONSTANDARD MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates continued hearings on H.R. 14029, to fix additional postage charges for certain nonstandard mail. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOOD IRRADIATION PROGRAM

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Subcommittee on Research, Development, and Radiation resumed hearings to review progress of the food irradiation program, having as its witnesses J. Kenneth Kirk, Associate Commissioner for Compliance, and Daniel Banes, Associate Commissioner for Science, both of the Food and Drug Administration.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government began a 3-day series of hearings on the application by Federal agencies of economic criteria and discounting procedures in evaluating alternative public expenditures. Testimony was received from Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior (Water and Power), who read the statement of Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall; Henry P. Caulfield, Jr., Water Resources Council; and Fred S. Hoffman, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. REVENUE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968. As agreed to by the conferees the bill would (1) provide a $90 million Federal payment, (2) retain Senate language authorizing the City Council to establish hours and days for the sale of alcoholic beverages, and (3) retain, with modifications, House language prohibiting the use of D.C. funds for the transportation of schoolchildren within and outside of the D.C.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees met in afternoon and evening executive sessions to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again in September.

Wednesday, July 31, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24452–24500

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3948–3954; and S.J. Res. 196.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S.J. Res. 191, authorizing the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the D.C. (S. Rept. 1488);

S. Res. 321, authorizing an additional $17,500 for expenses of the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 1489);

S. Res. 322, authorizing an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of the Committee on the Judiciary (S. Rept. 1490);

S. Res. 381, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Safety for Motor Vehicles in Use" (S. Rept. 1491);

S. Res. 306, to terminate on July 31, 1968, the Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress, with amendment (S. Rept. 1492);

H. Con. Res. 781, to print as a House document the publication "The Present-Day Ku Klux Klan Movement" (S. Rept. 1493); and

H. Con. Res. 213, to print as a House document letters of Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover relating to distinguished Americans in whose honor Polaris nuclear submarines were named (S. Rept. 1494).

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Authority To Report: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was granted authority until September 20 to file report on H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices. Committee on Commerce was authorized to file reports during congressional recess.

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Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senator Magnuson filed notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose

of proposing amendment to H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

Pages 24462–24464

Pipeline Safety: S. 1166, authorizing Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety regulations for the transportation of natural gas by pipeline, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 24544–24546

Foreign Aid: By 46 yeas to 28 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, with committee amendment as amended (in the nature of a substitute for the bill). Prior to adoption of committee amendment the following actions were taken on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: Miller amendment to provide that advanced jet aircraft shall not be furnished from funds for military assistance in the absence of Presidential determination respecting national security of U.S.; Javits amendment to add to bill "Part V—Reappraisal of Foreign Assistance Programs"; Morse amendment to eliminate language that would divert to Latin-American countries $10 million for military aid; by 42 yeas to 33 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dominick amendment No. 923 providing for demand on all countries 90 days in arrears on debt to the U.S. and providing that when any such country presents dollars for redemption in gold to U.S. the dollars shall instead be credited against amount of debt in arrears to U.S.; by 37 yeas to 36 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Fannin-Murphy amendment respecting funding of aid to education in impacted areas in U.S. through certain uncommitted foreign aid funds; and Monroney amendment to transfer $5 million from military aid to U.N. Development Fund.

Rejected: By 16 yeas to 61 nays, modified Moss amendment (for himself and others) to increase by $50 million authorization for Development Loan Fund and earmarking this increase for purchase by recipient countries of goods used directly in agricultural development (in lieu of withdrawn Mondale amendment to increase by $200 million authorization for this purpose); by 12 yeas to 65 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Javits amendment No. 921 to authorize $1.25 million for surveys of investment opportunities; by 31 yeas to 43 nays, modified Morse amendment to reduce authorization for Alliance for Progress grant funds by $20 million; and by 13 yeas to 62 nays, Clark amendment to restore House committee figures on economic aid (other than supporting assistance) and to restore AID administrative expenses (amouting to approximately $317 million in the aggregate).

Senate adopted by 61 yeas to 13 nays Morse motion to table Miller amendment (to Monroney amendment respecting transfer of $5 million from military aid to U.N. Development Fund) to provide $5 million additional for U.N. Development Fund rather than by transfer.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Sparkman, Mansfield, Morse, Hickenlooper, and Aiken.

Pages 24452, 24501–24507, 24508–24532, 24537–24544, 24546–24552

Military Construction Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction, adopting all committee amendments en bloc, which were then considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Pages 24552–24553, 24558–24561

Veterans: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) with amendments H.R. 16027, making graduated increases in compensation for disabled veterans with wartime disability, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Committee amendment, as amended by adoption of Metcalf amendment to delete language thereof that would have exempted from Service Contract Act of 1965 contracts between U.S. and any institution for hospital services or extended care or nursing care services, and Ribicoff amendment, as amended by adoption of Long (Louisiana) amendment as substitute therefore, providing incentive benefits to veterans serving as teachers, policemen, and firemen (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 24554–24557

Indians: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 16086, pertaining to the affairs of the Choctaw Indians of Oklahoma with particular reference to lands. Page 24557

D.C.: S. 1534, to authorize D.C. Commissioners to close all or part of a street, road, highway, or alley, in accordance with an approved redevelopment or urban renewal plan, without regard to notice provisions.

Pages 24557–24558

Confirmations: Numerous civilian nominations were confirmed. Page 24561

Nomination: Senate received nomination of John A. Carver, Jr., of Idaho, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission. Page 24561

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3945, authorizing documentation of the vessel *West Wind* as a vessel of the U.S. with coast-wise privileges.

Committee also approved for reporting nominations of Joseph W. Bartlett, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of Commerce; Wallace R. Burke, of Connecticut, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; John

H. Crooker, Jr., of the D.C., to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; Frederick Simpich, of the D.C., to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce; and Kenneth H. Tuggle, of Kentucky, to be an Interstate Commerce Commissioner; and sundry nominations in the Environmental Science Services Administration and the U.S. Coast Guard.

Committee voted to reconsider its action of July 18 when it approved for reporting H.R. 163, preventing vessels built outside of the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S. Committee agreed to hold hearings on this bill, the date of which is as yet undetermined.

Prior to approval of the above nominations, committee held hearings on the nomination of Mr. Burke, with testimony from Senators Ribicoff and Dodd; and Representatives Monagan and Meskill. Testimony in behalf of Mr. Simpich was received from Secretary of Commerce C. R. Smith.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nominations of Miss Barbara M. Watson, of New York, to be Administrator, Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State; Edson O. Sessions, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Ecuador; Raul H. Castro, of Arizona, to be Ambassador to Bolivia; a list of Career Ministers, dated July 24, 1968; and a Foreign Service list of July 11, 1968.

Prior to this action, in open session, Miss Watson and Messrs. Sessions and Castro were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

AIR QUALITY CONTROL

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Air and Water Pollution continued hearings on air quality criteria: their basis and use in setting air quality standards. Witnesses heard today were Dr. James H. Sterner, acting dean, School of Public Health, University of Texas; Dr. James L. Whittenberger, professor of public health, Harvard University; Dr. David V. Bates, chairman, Department of Physiology, McGill University, Montreal; and Dr. Frederick Sargent II, dean, College of Environmental Sciences, University of Wisconsin.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S.J. Res. 191, authorizing the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the D.C.; H. Con. Res. 213, to print as a House document letters of Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover relating to distinguished Americans in whose honor Polaris nuclear submarines were named; H. Con. Res. 781, to print as a House document the publication "The Present-Day Ku Klux Klan Movement"; S. Res. 381, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Safety for Motor Vehicles in Use"; S. Res. 321, authorizing an additional $17,500 for expenses of the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary; S. Res. 322, authorizing an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of the Committee on the Judiciary; and S. Res. 306, to terminate on July 31, 1968, the Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress (amended).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 33 public bills, H.R. 19104–19136; 45 private bills, H.R. 19137–19181; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1431–1432, and H. Res. 1278, were introduced. **Pages 24450–24452**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 3865, re National Guard technicians (H. Rept. 1823);

H.R. 2567, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry, amended (H. Rept. 1824);

H.R. 15003, to amend Tariff Schedules of the U.S., amended (H. Rept. 1825);

Conference report on H.R. 10864, to authorize conveyance of certain lands in Saline County, Ark., to the Dierks Forests, Inc. (H. Rept. 1826);

Conference report on H.R. 15794, to provide for U.S. grain standards and a national inspection system for grains (H. Rept. 1827);

Conference report on S. 3638, to extend dairy farmer indemnity payments (H. Rept. 1828);

Conference report on H.R. 16361, to provide additional revenue for D.C. (H. Rept. 1829);

H.R. 16552, regarding tariff classification of invert or high-test molasses, amended (H. Rept. 1831);

H.R. 18985, to provide for an employment pool of 14,000, amended (H. Rept. 1832);

Conference report on H.R. 17522, State, Justice, Commerce, and Judiciary appropriations bill (H. Rept. 1830); and

Conference report on H.R. 18188, Transportation appropriation bill (H. Rept. 1833). **Page 24450**

Committee Appointment: The House adopted H. Res. 1278, appointing Representative Friedel to the Joint Committees on Printing and on Library. **Page 24368**

Higher Education Assistance: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 16729, extends for 2 years certain programs which provide assistance to students at institutions of higher education, thus clearing the bill for the White House. **Pages 24368–24371**

Inaugural Committee: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 18040, amended, to authorize GSA to assist the Inaugural Committee.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3416 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language. Page 24371

U.S. History: The House passed S. 2060, extending for 10 years the authorization to collect and publish U.S. historical documentation, thus clearing the bill for White House. Page 24372

Reemployment Rights: The House concurred in a Senate amendment and amended the Senate amendment to H.R. 1093, to provide certain reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act. Page 24373

Food—Agriculture Act: By a record vote of 215 yeas to 176 nays the House passed H.R. 17126, to amend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3590 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted a motion to recommit the bill with instructions regarding $20,000 limitation on payments on farm subsidies by a record vote of 230 yeas to 160 nays.

Adopted an amendment regarding milk marketing orders.

Rejected the Smith substitute bill to provide a 4-year extension of the farm program; several amendments regarding payment limitations; and an amendment regarding milk marketing orders. Pages 24373–24413

Committee To Sit: Granted permission to the Committee on Armed Services to sit during general debate on Thursday, August 1. Page 24414

Alcoholic-Narcotic Addiction: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15758, the alcoholic and narcotic addict rehabilitation amendments; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Rogers of Florida, Satterfield, Kyros, and Springer. Page 24414

Fishing Vessels: The House passed S. 2269, regarding commercial fishing vessels, amended. Pages 24372–24373, 24423–24425

River Basins: Agreed to the conference report on S. 3710, the River Basin Monetary Authorization Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 24424–24428

Committee Resignation: Received and read communications regarding the resignation of Representatives King of California and Rhodes of Pennsylvania. Page 24428

State of Israel: Received and read a communication from the President of Israel. Page 24429

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 24450

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE—NATIONAL GUARD—REEMPLOYMENT—FAMILY PROTECTION

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and heard testimony on Army real estate acquisitions No. 132 and 137;

Returned to the Senate with a perfecting amendment H.R. 1093, reemployment rights;

Agreed to accept Senate amendment to H.R. 12323, to amend the retired serviceman's family protection plan; and

Ordered reported to the House S. 3865, National Guard technicians.

MANAGEMENT—FOOD—PROPERTY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 5 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 2012, amended, D.C. Central Management and Department of Food Services authorization; and H.R. 18980, amended, to authorize D.C. to convey certain property interests to Prince William County, Va.

GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES—REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18826, amended, to achieve governmental cooperation.

The committee also approved the following reports:

Operation of Office of Education (conflict of interest; proposed grant for computerized classroom);

U.S. aid operation in Latin America under the Alliance for Progress;

Privacy and national data bank concept;

Criteria for support cost comparisons; and

Government use of satellite communications—1968.

NATIONAL PARKS—OIL IMPORT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Approved the report from the Subcommittee on Mines and Mining regarding the mandatory oil import program; ordered reported to the House H.R. 17787, amended, Padre Island National Seashore, Tex.; H.R. 18333, amended, study Upper Mississippi Valley National Recreation Area between Wood River, Ill., and Minneapolis, Minn.; S. 224, rehabilitation of the Eklutna project, Alaska; H.J. Res. 1384, amended, administration of national park system. The committee postponed until September 4 consideration of H.R. 8970, establishes the North Cascades National Park. The committee passed over S. 3058 and H.R. 15731, to revise the Water Resources Planning Act authorization.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the FCC approvals of the acquisition and transfer of the five Overmyer UHF construction permits and related matters. Testimony was heard from members of the FCC staff.

MARINE RESOURCES

Committee on the Judiciary: Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands continued hearings on H.R. 17369, and related bills, marine resources conservation and development fund. Testimony was heard from Representative Edwards of Louisiana, and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Boggs.

BLUE CRAB

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation continued hearings on the blue crab shortages in the Chesapeake Bay; and H.R. 18808, S. 3866, and identical bills, extend the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act of 1964. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

ALLOWANCES—COMPENSATION

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 7406, amended, Corps of Engineers per diem allowances; H.R. 12881, amended, commuting allowances; H.R. 17954, amended, validates overpayment of compensation; and H.R. 18630, amended, overtime and standby pay for certain employees of the Department of Transportation.

EMPLOYEE LIMITATIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18985, to provide a pool of 14,000 additional appointments which may be made without regard to the employee ceilings.

Joint Committee Meetings

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the application by Federal agencies of economic criteria and discounting procedures in evaluating alternative public expenditures, receiving testimony from Otto Eckstein, professor of economics, Harvard University; and Arnold Harberger, professor of economics, University of Chicago.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE, JUSTICE, AND COMMERCE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and related agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 12 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3955–3966; and S.J. Res. 197.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 159, to establish a Federal Maritime Administration as an independent agency, with individual views (S. Rept. 1495);

H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings, with amendments (S. Rept. 1496);

H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, with amendments (S. Rept. 1497); and

S. 3945, authorizing documentation of the vessel *West Wind* as a vessel of the U.S. with coastwise privileges (S. Rept. 1498). Page 24620

Calendar Call: On call of calendar eight measures were passed as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Merchant marine: H.R. 18254, relating to the coastwise transportation of cargo equipment and stevedoring gear.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Juarez statue: S.J. Res. 191, authorizing the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the D.C.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 321, authorizing an additional $17,500 for expenses of the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Committee expenditures: S. Res. 322, authorizing an additional $10,000 for expenses of the Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of the Committee on the Judiciary;

Printing: S. Res. 381, to print as a Senate document report entitled "Safety for Motor Vehicles in Use";

Printing: H. Con. Res. 781, to print as a House document the publication "The Present-Day Ku Klux Klan Movement"; and

Printing: H. Con. Res. 213, to print as a House document letters of Vice Adm. Hyman G. Rickover relating to distinguished Americans in whose honor Polaris nuclear submarines were named.

Resolution adopted with amendment:

Organization of Congress: S. Res. 306, to terminate on July 31, 1968, the Special Committee on the Organization of the Congress. Pages 24615–24616

Sea-Grant Colleges: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration. Page 24705

Military Construction Appropriations: By 71 yeas to 3 nays, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction, after rejecting, by 27 yeas to 46 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Nelson amendment to reduce by $227,300,000 funds for military construction, Army.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Bible, Russell, Ellender, Mansfield, Proxmire, Yarborough, Hayden, Symington, Young of North Dakota, and Kuchel. Pages 24646–24665, 24667–24682

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senator Spong filed notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments to H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies. Page 24628

Health: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Pell, Kennedy, Javits, Murphy, and Dominick. Page 24682

Private Bills: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 10932, private bill.

Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 3865, private bill, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hart, McClellan, and Fong. Page 24683

Bills Cleared for White House: The following bills were cleared for White House in the manner indicated:

Transportation appropriations: H.R. 18188, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies (Senate adopted conference report (motion to reconsider tabled), concurring in House amendments to Senate amendments No. 11 (urban mass transportation grants) and No. 20 (technical));

Rivers and harbors—flood control: S. 3710, omnibus rivers and harbors—flood control bill (adopted conference report);

State, Justice, Commerce appropriations: H.R. 17522, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies (adopted conference report, agreeing to House amendments to Senate amendments No. 12 (salaries and expenses, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration) and No. 13 (exemption of certain positions in FBI from limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Control Act)); and

D.C. revenue: H.R. 16361, proposed D.C. Revenue Act of 1968 (adopted conference report).

Pages 24683–24685, 24687–24698, 24705–24706

Agriculture: Senate took up H.R. 17126, to amend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, and passed the bill after adopting amendment to substitute for its text the language of S. 3590, as it passed the Senate on July 20.

Senate insisted on its amendment, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Talmadge, Jordan of North Carolina, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs.

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Food Stamps: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Ellender, Holland, Talmadge, Jordan of North Carolina, Aiken, Young of North Dakota, and Boggs. Page 24687

VA-Guaranteed Home Loans: S.J. Res. 197, to correct certain references in Public Law 90-301 (H.R. 10477, increasing maximum amount of guarantee on VA-guaranteed home loans, and increasing interest rates on FHA loans) was introduced and passed without amendment. Page 24690

Trails System: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for

recreation purposes, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Moss, Nelson, Kuchel, and Allott. Pages 24698–24700

Immigration—Armed Forces: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 15147, providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Eastland, McClellan, and Dirksen. Page 24704

Treaty Received: Protocol relating to status of refugees was received (Ex. K, 90th Cong., second sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of James L. Latchum, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Delaware, prior to which action subcommittee held hearings thereon, with testimony from Senator Boggs.

Subcommittee also held hearings on the nomination of Shirley M. Hufstedler, of California, to be U.S. circuit judge, ninth circuit, with testimony from Senators Kuchel and Tydings.

COMMISSION ON HUNGER

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower, and Poverty met in executive session to consider H.R. 17144, to create a Commission on Hunger, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

JOINT INDUSTRY PROMOTION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Labor, in executive session, unanimously approved for full committee consideration S. 3149, permitting employer contributions for joint industry promotion of products in certain instances.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 19182–19210; 101 private bills, H.R. 19211–19311; and eight resolutions, H.J. Res. 1433–1436 and H. Res. 1279–1281, were introduced. Pages 24713, 24846–24848

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Operation of Office of Education (Conflict of Interest, Proposed Grant for Computerized Classroom)" (33d report by the committee) (H. Rept. 1834);

H.R. 18673, to prescribe health-care cost-sharing arrangements for certain surviving dependents (H. Rept. 1835);

Report entitled "Government Use of Satellite Communications—1968" (34th report by the committee) (H. Rept. 1836);

Conference report on H.R. 13781, to amend title II of the Marine Resources and Engineering Development Act of 1966 (H. Rept. 1837);

H.R. 13512, regarding Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, amended (H. Rept. 1838);

Conference report on H.R. 16363, to clarify and otherwise amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act (H. Rept. 1839);

H.R. 4846, to amend the Tennessee Valley Authority Act, amended (H. Rept. 1840); and

Conference report on H.R. 18706, the D.C. appropriations (H. Rept. 1841). Page 24846

D.C. Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18706, the District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 1969; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Natcher, Giaimo, Patten, Pryor, Mahon, Davis of Wisconsin, McDade, Riegle, and Jones. Page 24707

National Guard Technicians: Passed S. 3865, to clarify the status of National Guard technicians.

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Committee Resignations: Received communications regarding the resignation of Representative Green of Pennsylvania from the Post Office and Civil Service Committee and Representative Corman from the Committee on the Judiciary. Page 24710

Retired Servicemen: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 12323, regarding the retired servicemen's family protection plan, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 24710–24712

Committee Appointments: Adopted H. Res. 1279, providing for appointment to the Ways and Means Committee of Representatives Corman and Green of Pennsylvania. Page 24712

Wiretapping: The Speaker appointed, as members of the National Commission for the Review of Federal and State Laws Relating to Wiretapping and Electronic Surveillances, Representatives St. Onge, Tenzer, McCulloch, and Poff. Page 24713

Foreign Assistance: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15263, the Foreign Assistance Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Morgan, Zablocki, Kelly, Hays, Adair, Mailliard, and Broomfield. Page 24713

Postal Field Service: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 15387, regarding postal assaults and personnel ceiling, by a record vote of 345 yeas to 24 nays, thus clearing the bill for Presidential action. Pages 24713–24727

Transportation: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 18188, the Department of Transportation Appropriation Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 24727–24736

State-Justice Appropriations: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 17522, the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriation Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 24736–24741

National Eye Institute: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 12843, to authorize the establishment of a National Eye Institute, amended. Pages 24741–24759

D.C. Revenue: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 16361, the District of Columbia Revenue Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 24759–24762

Dairy Farmers: Adopted the conference report on S. 3638, regarding indemnity payments to dairy farmers for milk required to be withheld from commercial markets because it contains residues of chemicals registered and approved for use by the Federal Government, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 24762–24763

Grain Standards Act: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 15794, the U.S. Grain Standards Act, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Page 24763

Private Bill: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 10864, a private bill, thus clearing the bill for the White House. Pages 24763–24765

Health Care: Passed H.R. 18673, to prescribe health-care cost-sharing arrangements for certain surviving dependents. Page 24765

Fish—Wildlife: The House passed H.R. 11618, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife, amended. Pages 24765–24770

Campaign Expenditures: Adopted H. Res. 1239, to authorize a special committee to investigate and report on campaign expenditures of candidates for the House of Representatives, amended. Pages 24770–24771

Health Manpower Act: The House, by a record vote of 350 yeas, passed H.R. 15757, the Health Manpower Act, amended.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3095 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language. Pages 24771–24801

Presidential Message—Steel: Received and read a communication from the President regarding steel prices. Page 24802

Committee on Public Works: Adopted, by a record vote of 218 yeas to 107 nays, H. Res. 1247, to grant additional travel authority to the Committee on Public Works. Pages 24802–24806

Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 24845

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS—HEALTH BENEFITS

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18673, health-care benefits for certain surviving dependents, and approved Army real estate acquisition No. 132, and deferred action on Army real estate acquisition No. 137.

CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigating Subcommittee held a hearing on crime in the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

NEAR EAST

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Near East met in executive session and received a briefing on the Near East.

AIR TRAFFIC CONGESTION—CONSUMER PROBLEMS OF THE POOR

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities held a hearing on air traffic congestion. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

The full committee met in executive session and approved the Special Studies Subcommittee report concerning the consumer problems of the poor—supermarket operations in low-income areas and the Federal response.

NATIONAL PARKS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 14413, amended, acquisition and disposal of certain lands at Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.; and H.R. 15245, amended, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Wyoming.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Special Subcommittee on Investigations continued hearings on the FCC approval of the acquisition and transfer of the five Overmyer UHF construction permits and related matters. Testimony was heard from members of the FCC.

ESSA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Held a hearing on H.R. 17993 and S. 2960, to provide for the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of commissioned officers of the Environmental Science Services Administration. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

COMPENSATION—TAXES

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7567, amended, defines "compensation" regarding nonresident aliens;

H.R. 11408, amended, regarding Federal Government withholding Virginia and Maryland income taxes;

H.R. 15023, amended, increases to 20 or more years (now 10 or more) the period of time for the disposition of assets in the case of regulated investment companies furnishing capital for development;

H.R. 18101, amended, regarding recognition of gains and losses by collapsible corporations;

H.R. 18253, makes January 1, 1968, effective date of definition of "earned income" for self-employed individuals;

H.R. 18486, amended, regarding IRS treatment of income from the operation of a communications satellite system;

H.R. 14095, amended, liberalizes the requirements for wine production, and cellar treatment of natural wine, and the amelioration and sweetening limitations for natural grape wine under the Internal Revenue Code;

H.R. 17332, regarding taxes on gasoline and oils used for agricultural purposes;

H.R. 18942, relating to the income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations.

Joint Committee Meetings

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Economy in Government continued its series of hearings on the application by Federal agencies of economic criteria and discounting procedures in evaluating alternative public expenditures, having as its witnesses Alain C. Enthoven, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Systems Analysis; Laurence E. Lynn, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Systems Analysis; M. Cecil Mackey, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Policy Development; and Robert A. Levine, Assistant Director for Research, Plans, Programs, and Evaluation, Office of Economic Opportunity.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

POULTRY INSPECTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 16363, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S.

SEA-GRANT COLLEGES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 13781, authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration.

APPROPRIATIONS—D.C.

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18706, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia.

CENTRAL ARIZONA PROJECT

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico.

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Conferees met, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2515, authorizing establishment of Redwood National Park, Calif., but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Wednesday, September 4.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurment for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

FOREIGN AID

Conferees met, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through July 31, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	128	112	..
Time in session	689 hrs., 24′	560 hrs., 08′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	9,926	7,970	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	7,202
Public bills enacted into law	87	109	196
Private bills enacted into law	51	52	103
Bills in conference	9	19	..
Bills through conference	10	21	..
Measures passed, total	550	557	..
Senate bills	184	108	..
House bills	200	246	..
Senate joint resolutions	21	16	..
House joint resolutions	13	24	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	10	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	15	19	..
Simple resolutions	107	139	246
Measures reported, total	*633	*710	..
Senate bills	205	132	..
House bills	216	388	..
Senate joint resolutions	24	8	..
House joint resolutions	10	13	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	10	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	15	12	..
Simple resolutions	153	152	305
Special reports	23	37	..
Conference reports	..	37	..
Reported measures not acted on	41	184	..
Measures introduced, total	1,402	5,520	6,922
Bills	1,132	4,588	5,720
Joint resolutions	65	461	526
Concurrent resolutions	26	204	230
Simple resolutions	179	267	446
Quorum calls	**39	133	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**220	167	..
Bills vetoed	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 558 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 784 has been filed in the House.

**These figures do not include one quorum call which did not develop a quorum, and one yea-and-nay vote which was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through July 31, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 5,416, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,380
Unconfirmed	36
Air Force nominations, totaling 13,467, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	12,566
Unconfirmed	901
Navy nominations, totaling 9,329, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,232
Unconfirmed	97
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,094, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,079
Unconfirmed	15
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 2,454, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,132
Unconfirmed	322
Postmaster nominations, totaling 895, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	693
Unconfirmed	195
Withdrawn	7

Summary

Total nominations received	34,655
Total confirmed	33,082
Total unconfirmed	1,566
Total withdrawn	7

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 24892–24975

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3967–3985; and S.J. Res. 198–199. Pages 24915–24916

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2687, making orders of the ICC reviewable by U.S. courts of appeals as are orders of other major Federal regulatory agencies, with amendments (S. Rept. 1499); and

S. 3738, to amend the definition of "felony" as used in title VII of the omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (P.L. 90–351) (S. Rept. 1500). Page 24915

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 24914–24915

Gun Control: H.R. 17735, to provide for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, was ordered to be placed on calendar, and order was entered that when S. 3633, companion bill, is reported by Committee on the Judiciary during Senate adjournment, it be immediately referred to Committee on Commerce. Page 24893

Aging: H.J. Res. 1371, providing for White House Conference on Aging, was ordered to lie on the table. Page 24895

Merchant Marine: Senate passed without amendment S. 3945, authorizing documentation of the vessel *West Wind* as a vessel of the U.S. with coastwise privileges. Page 24897

Status of Nominations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that paragraph 6 of rule 38 of Senate Rules relating to procedure on nominations be suspended with regard to nominations not acted upon before August adjournment, and their status shall not be affected by such adjournment. Page 24893

Senate Authorization: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that during adjournment of Senate until Wednesday, September 4, all committees may file reports with any individual, minority, or supplemental views; that Vice President, President pro tempore, or acting President pro tempore may sign enrolled bills; and that the Secretary of the Senate may receive messages from the President and from the House. Page 24893

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, but did not act thereon, and the bill will be Senate's unfinished business when it returns from adjournment on September 4. Page 24893

Bills Cleared for President: The following bills were cleared for President's signature in manner indicated:

Milk indemnities: S. 3638, extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues (conference report adopted);

D.C. appropriations: H.R. 18706, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia (conference report adopted, Senate concurring in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3);

Fishing industry: S. 2269, regarding unlawful seizure of U.S. fishing vessels by foreign countries (concurrence in House amendment);

Eye Institute: H.R. 12843, to establish National Eye Institute (taken from desk and passed without amendment—motion to reconsider tabled);

Health: S. 3095, proposed Health Manpower Act of 1968 (concurrence in House amendment—motion to reconsider tabled);

Foreign Service: S. 633, to establish a Foreign Service Information Officer Corps (concurrence in House amendments);

Stockpiling: H.R. 14367, authorizing disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile (Senate receding from its amendment);

Agriculture: S. 1504, to facilitate financing of rural community centers and other facilities under the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act (concurrence in House amendment);

UMT: H.R. 1093, providing reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act to certain former servicemen (concurrence in House amendment);

Poultry: H.R. 16363, to authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S. (conference report adopted); and

Veterans: H.R. 16027, making graduated increases in compensation for disabled veterans with wartime disability (Senate receding from amendment No. 3).

Pages 24918, 24975–24982, 24985–24986, 24997–25000, 25004-25005, 25007–25008

Appointments to Commissions and Boards: The following appointments were announced on behalf of the Vice President:

Select Committee To Study the Unmet Basic Needs Among the People of the U.S.—Senators Ellender, McGovern, Talmadge, Yarborough, Clark, Nelson, Hart, Mondale, Javits, Prouty, Boggs, and Hatfield;

Board of Visitors to Naval Academy—Senators Pastore, Yarborough, Brewster, and Baker;

Meeting of 23d Session of U.N. General Assembly at New York, September 17 to mid-December—Senators Symington and Cooper;

Interparliamentary Union meeting to be held at Lima, Peru, September 5–13—Senator Jordan. Page 24915

August Adjournment of Congress: Senate concurred in H. Con. Res. 805, providing that when the House adjourns on Friday, August 2, 1968, it stand adjourned until noon Wednesday, September 4, 1968 (with an amendment to make this adjournment applicable to both Houses of Congress).

Senate also concurred in H. Con. Res. 806, authorizing the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions notwithstanding the adjournment. Page 25001

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Numerous civilian, including those of Joseph W. Bartlett, of Massachusetts, and Frederick Simpich, of the D.C., to be Under Secretary and General Counsel, respectively, of the Department of Commerce; John H. Crooker, Jr., of the D.C., to be a member of the Civil Aeronautics Board; Kenneth H. Tuggle, of Kentucky, and Wallace R. Burke, of Connecticut, to be Interstate Commerce Commissioners; John A. Carver, Jr., of Idaho, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; Francis A. O'Neill, Jr., of New York, to be a member of the National Mediation Board; one judicial, three Army, and numerous Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. Pages 25022–25023

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Clarence F. Pautzke, of Washington, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; Raymond H. Lapin, of California, to be President of Federal National Mortgage Association; and numerous judicial. Page 25022

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ARAPAHOE INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on S. 2645, authorizing distribution of certain funds on deposit in the U.S. Treasury to the credit of the Arapahoe Tribe of the Wind River Reservation, with testimony from Robert L. Bennett, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 19312–19332; 78 private bills, H.R. 19333–19410; and nine resolutions H.J. Res. 1437–1440, and H. Res. 1282–1286, were introduced. Pages 25027, 25109–25111

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report entitled "Privacy and the National Data Bank Concept" (H. Rept. 1842);

H.R. 11394, re distilled spirits, amended (H. Rept. 1843);

H.R. 7567, to amend the Internal Revenue Code, amended (H. Rept. 1844);

H.R. 18826, to achieve government coordination and cooperation (H. Rept. 1845);

H.R. 15990, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, amended (H. Rept. 1846);

H.R. 18033, release of condition in conveyance to the State of Ohio (H. Rept. 1847); and

H.R. 18207, release of condition in conveyance to South Carolina State Commission of Forestry, amended (H. Rept. 1848). Page 25109

D.C. Appropriations: The House by a voice vote agreed to the conference report on H.R. 18706, the D.C. appropriation bill. The House receded and concurred in Senate amendments, amended, Nos. 1, 2, and 3. Pages 25024–25029

Committee Appointment: Adopted H. Res. 1282, appointing Representative Tiernan to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Page 25027

Disability Compensation: The House agreed to Senate amendments Nos. 1 and 2, and disagreed to Senate

amendment No. 3, to H.R. 16027, makes graduated increases in the rates of disabled veterans for wartime disability compensation. Pages 25028–25030

National Science Foundation: The House by a voice vote adopted the conference report on H.R. 13781, sea-grant college authorization, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Page 25030

Private Bill: The House by a voice vote adopted the conference report on H.R. 10932, a private bill. Page 25030

Consolidated Farmers Home Administration: The House by a voice vote passed H.R. 18209, to amend the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act of 1961, amended.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 1504 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

H. Res. 1272, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 25031–25033

Foreign Service: The House passed by a voice vote S. 633, Foreign Service Information Officer Corps, amended.

H. Res. 1255, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 25034–25037

Poultry Products Inspection: The House by a voice vote adopted the conference report on H.R. 16363, Wholesome Poultry Products Inspection Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Page 25037

Rule—Senate Office Building: The House by a voice vote adopted H. Res. 1226, provides for the consideration of S. 2484, extension of New Senate Office Building site. Pages 25045–25050

Private Bills: The House passed by a voice vote two private bills: S. 2468 and S. 2488, thus clearing the bills for the White House. Page 25051

Supplemental Air Transportation: The House passed by a voice vote H.R. 17685, supplemental air transportation.

Rejected a motion to recommit to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3566 in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted the committee amendment with an amendment regarding charter trips.

H. Res. 1254, the rule under which the legislation was considered was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 25051–25064

Campaign Expenses: Speaker appointed to the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures Representatives O'Neill of Massachusetts, Smith of Iowa, Davis of Georgia, Devine, and Kyl. Page 25064

Private Bill: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 5233, a private bill. Page 25064

Campaign Expenditures: Adopted H. Res. 1281, authorizing expenditures incurred by the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures to be paid from the contingent fund of the House. Page 25064

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of September 4. Page 25065

Adjournment: Adopted the Senate amendment to H. Con. Res. 805, providing for adjournment of the House from Friday, August 2, 1968, until 12 o'clock meridian, Wednesday, September 4, 1968. (Amendment—Strike out (House) and insert: Congress). Pages 25065–25066

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 25107

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:23 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AFRICA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa met in executive session and received a briefing from Joseph Palmer II, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

WATER RESOURCES PLANNING ACT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House S. 3058, amended, to extend the authorization for the Water Resources and Planning Act.

PAY

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 7406, Corps of Engineers allowance; H.R. 17954, amended, Government employees payment inequities correction; H.R. 19136, payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation.

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session and considered pending business. No announcements were made.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOREIGN AID

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Thursday, September 5.

MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

Wednesday, September 4, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, page 25576–25649

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3986–3998; S.J. Res. 200; and S. Res. 385–386. Pages 25582, 25584

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate resumed its consideration of H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments en bloc, same to be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Morse amendment respecting grant and loan funds to carry out the provisions of the D.C. Medical Facilities Construction Act of 1968 (P.L. 90–457); nine Hill amendments, en bloc, providing that certain sums in the bill shall be available only after enactment into law of H.R. 15067, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, and H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs; and modified Morse amendment to increase by $2 million funds for salaries and expenses, Office of Education.

Pending at adjournment was modified Spong amendment (for himself and others) to make available until October 30, 1968, the $90,965,000 provided for "School assistance in federally affected areas" in the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act of 1968.

Senators Mundt and Ribicoff each filed a notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to the bill. Pages 25584, 25659–25668

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Numerous civilian, including those of Paul L. Sitton, of Georgia, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator; three to be Ambassadors as follows: William G. Bowdler, of Florida, to El Salvador, Leo J. Sheridan, of Illinois, to Ireland, and Arthur W. Hummel, Jr., of Maryland, to the Union of Burma; numerous postmasters; and numerous Army. Pages 25681–25701

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Senate committees met.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 19411–19425; 30 private bills, H.R. 19426–19565; and six resolutions, H. Con. Res. 810–812, and H. Res. 1287–1289, were introduced. Pages 25508, 25571–25574

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

U.S. Aid Operations in Latin America under the Alliance for Progress, filed August 2, 1968 (H. Rept. 1849);

Criteria for Support Service Cost Comparisons, filed August 2, 1968 (H. Rept. 1850);

Consumer Problems of the Poor: Supermarket Operations in Low-Income Areas and the Federal Response, filed August 7, 1968 (H. Rept. 1851);

S. 224, to provide for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna project, Alaska (H. Rept. 1852);

S. 3058, to amend the Water Resources Planning Act, amended (H. Rept. 1853);

H.R. 15245, to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area, amended (H. Rept. 1854);

H.R. 16801, regarding Guam, amended (H. Rept. 1855);

H.R. 17787, regarding Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas, amended (H. Rept. 1856);

H.R. 18333, regarding Upper Mississippi Valley National Recreation Area, amended (H. Rept. 1857);

H.J. Res. 1384, regarding the national parks system, amended (H. Rept. 1858);

H.R. 10256, regarding land claims, amended (H. Rept. 1859);

H.R. 14413, regarding Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., amended (H. Rept. 1860);

Conference report on S. 1004, regarding Central Arizona project (H. Rept. 1861);

Conference report on S. 20, regarding water resources problems (H. Rept. 1862);

H.R. 17954, regarding overpayments of compensation to Government employees, amended (H. Rept. 1863);

H.R. 19136, regarding overtime payments for certain Department of Transportation employees (H. Rept. 1864); and

H.R. 7406, regarding Corps of Engineers employees engaged in floating plant operations, amended (H. Rept. 1865). Page 25571

Member Sworn: Hon. James M. Collins appeared in the well of the House and took the oath of office. Page 25508

Trails: The House insisted on its amendment to S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreational purposes both in the highly scenic and unspoiled areas and in metropolitan areas of the Nation; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Taylor, Johnson of California, Saylor, and Skubitz. Page 25509

Educational Scholarships: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 14314, regarding trust funds for educational scholarships and child care centers, amended.

H. Res. 1251, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 25510–25515

Manpower Development and Training Act: Completed general debate on H.R. 15045, to extend certain expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, and after reading the first section of the bill the Committee arose. Pages 25511, 25516–25526

Presidential Message—Automotive Products: Received and read a message from the President transmitting a special report regarding the U.S.-Canada Automotive Products Agreement—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 379). Page 25545

Death Resolution: Adopted H. Res. 1287, expressing profound sorrow of the death of the Honorable Elmer J. Holland. Page 25569

Referrals: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 25568

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL PARKS—INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 8970, amended, to establish the North Cascades National Park and Ross Lake National Recreation Area, to designate the Pasayten Wilderness, and to modify the Glacier Peak Wilderness, in the State of Washington.

Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action the following bills:

S. 3227, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission dockets Nos. 88, 330, and 330–A;

S. 3620, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif., in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 319;

H.R. 18192, amended, to authorize the use of funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma; and

S. 2715, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma.

Joint Committee Meetings

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2515, to establish Redwood National Park in California, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through August 31, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	130	114	..
Time in session	703 hrs., 19′	573 hrs., 57′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	10,150	8,196	..
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	7,628
Public bills enacted into law	107	140	247
Private bills enacted into law	54	66	120
Bills in conference	8	12	..
Bills through conference	13	31	..
Measures passed, total	564	576	..
Senate bills	185	115	..
House bills	204	249	..
Senate joint resolutions	22	16	..
House joint resolutions	13	24	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	10	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	19	19	..
Simple resolutions	111	148	259
Measures reported, total	*644	*719	..
Senate bills	208	132	..
House bills	221	397	..
Senate joint resolutions	25	8	..
House joint resolutions	10	13	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	10	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	17	12	..
Simple resolutions	153	152	305
Special reports	23	40	..
Conference reports	..	40	..
Reported measures not acted on	38	174	..
Measures introduced, total	1,437	5,765	7,202
Bills	1,164	4,817	5,981
Joint resolutions	68	469	537
Concurrent resolutions	26	204	230
Simple resolutions	179	275	454
Quorum calls	**39	136	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**222	170	..
Bills vetoed	..	1	1
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 564 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 799 has been filed in the House.

**These figures do not include one quorum call which did not develop a quorum, and one yea-and-nay vote which was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through August 31, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 5,416, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,383
Unconfirmed	33
Air Force nominations, totaling 13,467, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	13,466
Unconfirmed	1
Navy nominations, totaling 9,329, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,329
Unconfirmed	None
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,094, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,094
Unconfirmed	None
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling, 2,462, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,444
Unconfirmed	18
Postmaster nominations, totaling 895, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	693
Unconfirmed	195
Withdrawn	7

Summary

Total nominations received	34,663
Total confirmed	34,409
Total unconfirmed	247
Total withdrawn	7

Thursday, September 5, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25747–25793

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3999–4005; and S. Res. 387–388. Pages 25755, 25756, 25780

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Page 25747

ICC: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2687, making orders of the ICC reviewable by U.S. courts of appeals as are orders of other major Federal regulatory agencies. Pages 25748–25750

Safe Streets and Crime Control: S. 3738, to amend the definition of "felony" as used in title VII of the omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (P.L. 90–351), was passed without amendment. Pages 25750–25751

Labor-HEW Appropriations: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, adopting the following additional amendments thereto:

Hill amendment respecting aggregate amounts of grants available for special educational needs of educationally deprived children; Williams (New Jersey)-Magnuson amendment providing that appropriations available for any of the health functions of the Department of HEW shall be available for the expenses of a 15-member President's Commission on Preventive Medicine; Williams (New Jersey) amendment allowing payments from special foreign currency program for necessary expenses of social and rehabilitation services in connection with activities relating to aging and other research and training; Byrd of West Virginia amendment to increase, by $5 million, funds for research and training, Office of Education; and Miller amendment to bar use of funds for a loan, guarantee of a loan, or grant to any individual who has within the preceding 5 years received a loan, guarantee of loan, or grant, the funds for which were from appropriations for Department of HEW, and has used any of those proceeds for any purpose other than that for which the loan or grant was made.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that effective on Friday, September 6, during further consideration of the bill, debate will be limited on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except amendments dealing with legislation subject to point of order, and except a motion to table) to 1 hour, equally divided; and that on question of final passage of bill debate will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided.

Pending at adjournment was Mundt amendment (for himself and others) as a substitute for modified Spong amendment (for himself and others) to make available until October 30, 1968, the $90,965,000 provided for "School assistance in federally affected areas" in the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act of 1968.

Pages 25793, 25797–25799, 25804–25809

Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 388, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Holland. Page 25812

Confirmation: Nomination of Raymond H. Lapin, of California, to be President of the Federal National Mortgage Association, was confirmed. Page 25812

Nominations: Six civilian nominations and one Marine Corps nomination were received. One postmaster nomination was withdrawn. Page 25812

Recess: Recessed at 3:43 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 17780, to authorize hostile fire pay for the crew of the U.S.S. *Pueblo;* H.R. 18146, to clarify definition of the term "total commissioned service" for certain staff corps officers of the Navy; H.R. 18786, equalizing cost-of-living adjustment procedure for retirees under the CIA retirement system with such procedures of the civil service retirement system; H.R. 10573, to give the Government the right to examine records and other data of contractors relating to negotiations or performance of certain contracts; and H.R. 15268, authorizing Secretary of Defense to lend certain equipment and provide certain services in support of the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts to be held in Idaho in 1969.

Committee also approved 32 Army nominations.

Prior to this action, committee received testimony from Brig. Gen. L. E. Benade, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Personnel Policy, who directed his remarks to H.R. 17780; Capt. John A. Scott (SC), USN, Director, Supply Corps Officer Personnel, Naval Supply Systems Command, who testified with regard to H.R. 18146; and Representative Minshall, who submitted testimony on H.R. 10573.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Raymond H. Lapin, of California, to be President of the Federal National Mortgage Association, prior to which action, in open session, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of

hearings in connection with recent rioting in American cities, with further testimony with regard to the administration by the Office of Economic Opportunity of programs to finance training and education programs for two street gangs in Chicago. Witnesses heard today were Howard C. Doulder, Superintendent of the Crime Laboratory, Internal Revenue Service, Chicago; Robert E. Dunne, assistant subcommittee counsel; and John J. Walsh, subcommittee staff investigator.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 19566–19576; 28 private bills, H.R. 19577–19604; and 10 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1441, H. Con. Res. 813 and 814, and H. Res. 1290–1296, were introduced. Pages 25860–25861

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposal of executive papers (H. Rept. 1866);

H.R. 6498, Welfare and Pension Plans Act, amended (H. Rept. 1867);

H.R. 12881, regarding commuting expenses of civilian employees of executive agencies, amended (H. Rept. 1868); and

Conference report on S. 3923, to authorize appropriations during the fiscal year 1969 for procurement of aircraft, missiles, naval vessels, and tracked combat vehicles, research, development, test, and evaluation for the Armed Forces (H. Rept. 1869). Page 25860

Atlantic-Pacific Canal: Received a message from the President transmitting the fourth annual report of the Atlantic-Pacific Interoceanic Canal Study Commission—referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and ordered printed as a House document with illustrations (H. Doc. 380). Pages 25814–25815

Central Arizona Project: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on S. 1004, authorizing construction, operation, and maintenance of the central Arizona project, Arizona-New Mexico, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 25815–25830

Water Resource Problems: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on S. 20, to provide for a comprehensive review of national water resource problems and programs, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 25830–25832

Guam Governor: Agreed to Senate amendments to S. 449, the Guam Elective Governor Act, thus clearing the legislation for the White House Page 25832

Manpower Development—Training: By a record vote of 315 yeas the House passed H.R. 15045, to extend expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962.

Adopted amendments regarding:

Funding of skill centers;

Limitation on Secretary's reapportionment of funds;

Labor market information; and

Coordination of all manpower training programs. Pages 25832–25841

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of September 11. Pages 25842–25843

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Real Estate met in executive session and approved several real estate projects.

D.C. PUBLIC SPACE UTILIZATION—RENTAL

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 3 met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1246, amended, authorizes the D.C. Commissioners to enter into leases for the rental of, or to use or to permit the use of, public space in, on, over, and under the streets and alleys under their jurisdiction, other than freeways; and S. 1247, amended, authorizes the D.C. Commissioners to fix and collect rents for the occupancy of space in, on, under, or over the streets of D.C., and the closing of unused or unsafe vaults under said streets and the correction of dangerous conditions of vaults in or vault openings on public space.

AIR POLLUTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Research and Technical Programs held a hearing on air pollution research. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

PUBLIC LANDS—INDIAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands approved for full committee action H.R. 17874, to extend the time for the filing of applications for the selection of certain lands by the State of Alaska; and H.R. 17069, amended, to convey to the city of Kenai, Alaska, all interests of the U.S. in certain land located therein.

Subcommittee on Indian Affairs approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 17850, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Muckleshoot Tribe of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 98;

H.R. 16947, amended, to direct a per capita distribution of $550 from funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation;

H.R. 17684, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico;

H.R. 16012, amended, to authorize the purchase, sale, exchange, mortgage, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community;

H.R. 17273, amended, relating to the Palm Springs Indian Reservation;

H.R. 18885, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay judgments in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma in dockets Nos. 150 and 248 of the Indian Claims Commission.

ALLOWANCES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 12881, amended, relating to allowances for employees at remote work sites.

Joint Committee Meetings

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2515, to establish Redwood National Park in California, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, September 9.

Friday, September 6, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25981–26011

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4006–4013; and S. Res. 389.

Pages 25982, 25983

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, with individual, supplemental, and additional views (S. Rept. 1501).

By unanimous consent the order of June 11, 1968, was rescinded, such order having provided that S. 3633 would be referred to Committee on Commerce following its reporting by the Committee on the Judiciary.

S. 3736, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to village of Central, N. Mex., certain lands formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation (S. Rept. 1502);

H.R. 18146, to clarify definition of the term "total commissioned service" for certain staff corps officers of the Navy (S. Rept. 1503);

H.R. 18786, equalizing cost-of-living adjustment procedure for retirees under the CIA retirement system with such procedures of the civil service retirement system (S. Rept. 1504);

H.R. 15268, authorizing Secretary of Defense to lend certain equipment and provide certain services in support of the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts to be held in Idaho in 1969 (S. Rept. 1505);

H.R. 10573, to give the Government the right to examine records and other data of contractors relating to negotiations or performance of certain contracts (S. Rept. 1506); and

H.R. 17780, to authorize hostile fire pay for the crew of the U.S.S. *Pueblo* (S. Rept. 1507). Pages 25908, 25982

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 25907

National Trail System: Senators Jordan of Idaho and Hansen were appointed in lieu of Senators Kuchel and Allott, excused, as members of conference committee on S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes. Page 25933

Labor-HEW Appropriations: By 45 yeas to 8 nays, Senate passed with amendments H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, after taking the following actions on additional amendments thereto:

Adopted: Mundt amendment No. 941 (for himself and others) to make available $90,965,000 for "School assistance in federally affected areas" and providing that such funds shall not be subject to the Antideficiency Statute and shall be exempt from limitations in Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968 (after Mundt motion to suspend rules for purpose of proposing this amendment was adopted by 59 yeas to 5 nays, following elimination on point of order of his amendment No. 933 of identical language, which had been offered as a substitute for Spong amendment No. 928, for himself and others, of similar import, also eliminated on point of order); by 42 yeas to 21 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Murphy amendment No. 937, to increase by $10 million funds for the dropout prevention program; by 37 yeas to 26 nays, Pastore amendment No. 939 (motion to reconsider tabled), to increase by $215 million funds for Office of Economic Opportunity; Nelson amendment No. 934 (for himself and others) to increase by $13.9 million funds for Teacher Corps (motion to reconsider tabled); Hart amendment No. 936 (motion to reconsider tabled), to increase by $76,873,000 funds for special educational needs of educationally deprived children; by 28 yeas to 26 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Morse amendment (for himself and others) to provide that an institution of higher education, after affording notice and opportunity for hearing to student or employee convicted of certain stated crimes or who has willfully refused to obey lawful regulation or order

of such institution, may deny payments to such individual under Federal programs assisting higher education; Hartke amendment to increase by $2.5 million funds for prevention and treatment of mental retardation, Public Health Service; and Hart amendment No. 935 to increase by $7,923,000 funds for general research and facilities, National Institutes of Health; and

Rejected: By 25 yeas to 35 nays, modified Javits amendment to provide that nothing in the bill shall be construed to prohibit any institution of higher education to extend financial assistance to any individual because of misconduct which, in its opinion, bears adversely on his fitness for such assistance (as a substitute for section 411 consisting of House language on the subject).

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Russell, Magnuson, Stennis, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Javits, and Cotton.

Pages 25907–25908, 25910–25977

Appointments by Vice President: It was announced that Vice President has made the following appointments: Senator Percy to be member of Select Committee To Study the Unmet Basic Needs Among the People of the United States; and Senator Fannin to the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy in lieu of Senator Baker. Page 25981

Renegotiation Act: H.R. 17324, to amend and extend Renegotiation Act of 1951, was taken up.

Pages 25977–25978

Confirmations: Numerous Army nominations in the rank of general were confirmed. Page 26011

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ALASKAN LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Public Lands Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration S. 3406, extending the time for filing applications for the selection of public lands by Alaska, and S. 2752, conveying certain U.S. lands to the city of Kenai, Alaska.

Prior to this action, subcommittee held hearings on these bills, with testimony from Representative Pollock, and John O. Crow, Associate Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, who testified with regard to both bills; and James W. Harrison, City Manager, Kenai, Alaska, who directed his remarks to S. 2752.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs: Committee held an executive organizational meeting where it elected Senator McGovern as its chairman, and adopted rules of procedure to govern committee operations.

Also, committee approved an original resolution requesting $143,000 for committee expenses through January 31, 1969.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

IRRIGATION—RECLAMATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation approved for full committee action H.R. 8781, amended, to provide for the exchange of certain lands in Shasta County, Calif. (testimony was heard from departmental witnesses on the bill).

Held a hearing on H.R. 861, providing for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Kennewick division extension, Yakima project, Washington; and H.R. 860, to construct, operate, and maintain the Touchet division, Walla Walla project, Oregon-Washington. Testimony was heard on the bills from Representative May and departmental witnesses.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26108–26129

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4014–4016. Pages 26109–26110

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs reported the following 11 bills, the titles of which will be found in today's DIGEST of meetings of that committee under heading "Committee Meetings": S. 2401, 3072, 3420, H.R. 16880, S. 3728, H.R. 10911, 11552, 11782, 14205, 16211, and 16402 (S. Repts. 1208–1518, respectively).

Also reported was S. 2589, to provide for regulation in D.C. of retail installment sales of certain consumer goods and services, with amendment (S. Rept. 1519).

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North Atlantic Assembly: It was announced that Vice President has made the following appointments of members to attend the North Atlantic Assembly to be held in Brussels November 11–16: Senators Stennis,

Gore, Jackson, Lausche, Bayh, Hickenlooper, Mundt, Javits, and Cooper; and as alternates Senators McIntyre, Tydings, Spong, Hruska, and Kuchel. Page 26109

Mailing of Master Keys: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Monroney, Yarborough, Randolph, Carlson, and Fong. Page 26111

Aging: H.J. Res. 1371, providing for White House Conference on Aging, was taken from table, considered and passed with Williams of New Jersey amendment reconciling the major differences between this joint resolution and S.J. Res. 117, the companion measure.

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Renegotiation: Senate considered H.R. 17324, Renegotiation Amendments Act of 1968, adopting committee amendments as follows:

All committee amendments in title I of the bill en bloc (Renegotiation Amendments Act of 1968); committee amendment consisting of title II (Administration of the Antidumping Act, 1921)—motion to reconsider tabled; and committee amendment consisting of title III (International Coffee Agreement Act of 1968)—motion to reconsider tabled.

Senate rejected, by 23 yeas to 35 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Proxmire amendment No. 887 to exempt Renegotiation Board from employee limitations in the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that effective at conclusion of routine morning business on Wednesday, September 11, during further consideration of the bill, debate on any amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table) shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; that no nongermane amendment may be received; and that on question of final passage of the bill, debate shall be limited to 2 hours, equally divided.

Curtis amendment to raise from $1 million to $5 million the limitation on issuance of tax-free industrial development bonds was received as being germane to the bill under unanimous consent agreement.

Pages 26129–26134, 26148–26149

Nominations: Thirty-five postmaster nominations were received. Page 26155

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation began hearings on S. 3714, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. Testimony was received from G. Russell Moir and Giles Morrow, both of the Freight Forwarders Institute; Jerry Chambers, Clipper Carloading Co., Chicago; Charles W. Owen, City Transfer, Inc., Santa Fe Springs, Calif.; Vincent Bordelon, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce; R. C. Fels, Furniture Manufacturers Association of California; Marcus Short, J. L. Rothrock of California, Inc., North Carolina; Joseph L. Quinn, The Merchandise Mart, Chicago; Philip G. Kraemer, Director of Transportation, Maryland Port Authority, Baltimore; H. L. Graham, Hobart Manufacturing Co., Troy, Ohio; E. A. Bolick, Threads, Inc., Gastonia, N.C.; and Vincent J. Scarpinito, M. Lowenstein & Sons, Inc., New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

BRIEFING ON WORLD SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to hear Secretary of State Dean Rusk testify and answer questions with regard to the current world situation.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

H.R. 14005, authorizing the city of Hot Springs, Ark., to dispose of certain property heretofore conveyed to it by the U.S.;

H.R. 16880, a private bill (authorizing Secretary of the Interior to consider a petition for reinstatement of two oil and gas leases in Mississippi);

H.R. 9362, authorizing construction and operation of the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma;

H.R. 10911, to establish a roll of California Indians eligible to participate in distribution of certain judgment funds;

H.R. 16402, providing for disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians;

H.R. 14205, authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

H.R. 16211, authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

H.R. 11552, a private bill (dealing with relief of certain property owners in Tate County, Miss.);

S. 3728, providing for distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma (amended);

S. 3420, authorizing distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation (amended);

S. 3182, authorizing purchase, sale, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, Washington (amended);

S. 2401, authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to make loans to Indians for the acquisition of lands (amended);

H.R. 11782, a private bill;

S. 3072, increasing funds authorized for the rehabilitation of Guam (amended);

S. 2751, to designate the Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, Oreg. (amended);

S. 2752, conveying certain U.S. lands to the city of Kenai, Alaska (amended);

S. 3406, extending the time for filing applications for the selection of public lands by Alaska (amended);

H.R. 1340, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept donations of land for use in extending Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina and Georgia; and

S. Con. Res. 11, calling for establishment of a national policy to promote improved conditions for American Indians and Alaska natives.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 19605–19613; 30 private bills, H.R. 19614–19643; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1442–1447, H. Con. Res. 815–816, and H. Res. 1297–1299, were introduced. Pages 26107–26108

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 8970, regarding North Cascades National Park, amended (H. Rept. 8970). Page 26107

Presidential Message—Surgeon General: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the 12th annual report of the Surgeon General—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 831).

Pages 26032–26033

Independent Offices Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17023, the independent offices appropriations bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Evins, Boland, Shipley, Giaimo, Marsh, Pryor, Mahon, Jonas, Minshall, Wyman, Talcott, and Bow. Page 26033

Pears: By a record vote of 111 yeas to 165 nays, the House rejected H.R. 10564, regarding marketing order on pears for canning or freezing.

H. Res. 1224, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 26033–26043

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 26107

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

Committee Meetings

INDIAN AFFAIRS—PUBLIC LAND

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House the following bills:

S. 3227, amended, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission dockets Nos. 88, 330, and 330-A;

S. 3620, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif., in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 319;

H.R. 18192, amended, to authorize the use of funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma;

S. 2715, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma;

H.R. 16947, amended, to direct a per capita distribution of $550 from funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation;

H.R. 17850, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Muckleshoot Tribe of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 98;

H.R. 17684, to amend the act of August 9, 1955, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico;

H.R. 16012, amended, to authorize the purchase, sale, exchange, mortgage, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community;

H.R. 17273, amended, to amend the act of September 21, 1959 (Public Law 86-339), relating to the Reservation of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians;

H.R. 18885, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay judgments in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma in dockets Nos. 150 and 248 of the Indian Claims Commission;

H.R. 17874, amended, to amend the act providing for the admission of the State of Alaska into the Union in order to extend the time for the filing of applications for the selection of certain lands by such State;

H.R. 17609, amended, to convey to the city of Kenai, Alaska, all interests of the United States in certain land located therein;

H.R. 8781, amended, provides for the exchange of land in Shasta County, Calif.

SCENIC RIVERS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule with 1 hour of debate, waiving points of order against section 6(a) and section 6(b), for the consideration of H.R. 18260, national scenic rivers system.

Prior to action on the bill the committee held a hearing. Testimony was heard from Representatives Aspinall, Skubitz, Taylor, Hansen, Fuqua, and McClure.

Joint Committee Meetings

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY REFORM

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on International Exchange and Payments held hearings to receive

testimony concerning "next steps in international monetary reform." Witnesses heard were Fritz Machlup, professor of economics, Princeton University; Edward M. Bernstein, Edward Bernstein Consultants, Ltd., and former Director of Research and Statistics, International Monetary Fund; and Robert A. Mundell, professor of economics, University of Chicago.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATIONS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program.

The following table sets forth the Senate- and House-passed amounts, and amounts agreed upon by the conferees:

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1968 (FISCAL YEAR 1969)

[In thousands of dollars]

Program	(1) House	(2) Senate	(3) Conference	(4) Difference (H=House; S=Senate)
Development Loan Fund	350,000	350,000	350,000	.....
Technical cooperation and development grants	200,000	200,000	200,000	.....
American schools and hospitals abroad	13,000	14,600	14,600	H+1,600
Local currency	5,100	5,100	5,100	.....
Survey of investment opportunities	1,250	.....	.....	H−1,250
Alliance for Progress	420,000	420,000	420,000	.....
Loans	(330,000)	(330,000)	(330,000)	.....
Grants	(90,000)	(90,000)	(90,000)	.....
Partners of the Alliance	500	200	350	H−150 S+150
International organizations and programs	130,000	135,000	135,000	H+5,000
Children's Fund	1,000	1,000	1,000	.....
Indus Basin [1]	.....	.....	.....	.....
Supporting assistance	420,000	400,000	410,000	H−10,000 S+10,000
Contingency fund	10,000	10,000	10,000	.....
Administrative expenses:				
AID	53,000	50,000	53,000	S+3,000
Department of State	(2)	(2)	(2)	.....
Total economic assistance	1,603,850	1,585,900	1,599,050	H−4,800 S+13,150
Military assistance	390,000	360,000	375,000	H−15,000 S+15,000
Total economic and military assistance	1,993,850	1,945,900	1,974,050	H−19,800 S−28,150

[1] The Foreign Assistance Act of 1967 authorized $51,220,000 for use beginning fiscal year 1969 for this purpose. The Executive requests $12,000,000 for fiscal 1969.

[2] Existing law contains permanent authorization.

REDWOOD NATIONAL PARK

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 2515, authorizing establishment of Redwood National Park, Calif.

TRAILS SYSTEM

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

Tuesday, September 10, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation continued hearings on S. 3714, to amend

the Interstate Commerce Act so as to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads. Witnesses heard today were Charles Baxter, Chairman, Traffic Executive Association, Eastern Railroads, New York City; John C. Allen, Sr., general manager, Industrial Trailer on Flatcar Associates; R. J. Tyler, Chemetron Corp., Louisville; John Oliva, The Charter Oaks Shippers Cooperative Association, Inc., of Connecticut, accompanied by Ronald N. Cobert, American Institute for Shippers' Associations, Inc.; John C. Lincoln, Los Angeles Wholesale Institute & California Shippers Associates; Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission; Charles Washer, American Retail Federation; D. R. Macdonald, City Products Corp., and president, Terminal Freight Cooperative Association, Chicago; and Caughey B. Culpepper, National Conference of Nonprofit Shipping Associations, Inc.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

UNFINISHED COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held an executive meeting to consider several pending business items, but took no action, and will meet again tomorrow.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H.R. 5754, requiring certain information on bills of lading accompanying interstate shipment of intoxicants;

S.J. Res. 100, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in U.S. bankruptcy laws;

H.R. 10482, authorizing application of local law in determining the effect of claimant's contributory negligence;

H.R. 8140, relating to the settlement of personal property claims by employees of the D.C. government;

H.R. 206, authorizing settlement of claims up to $5,000 which are incident to noncombat activity of the Coast Guard;

S. 2999, authorizing U.S. Comptroller General to administratively settle tort claims arising in foreign countries;

H.R. 13669, to permit the use of officers of any of the Armed Services on claims commissions;

H.J. Res. 1404, designating week of November 17–23, 1968, as National Family Health Week;

H.J. Res. 1299, designating week of September 15 and 16 as National Hispanic Heritage Week;

S. 2896, a private bill; and

Twenty-eight private immigration bills (S.J. Res. 185, S. 345, 2189, 2271, 2405, 2642, 2909, 3040, 3080, 3172, 3181, 3223, 3226, 3239, 3280, 3285, 3308, 3324, 3355, 3356, 3369, 3398, 3441, 3455, 3493, 3526 3568, and 3572); and one private claim bill (S. 880).

Also, committee approved the annual report of its Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 25 private immigration bills (S. 106, 210, 472, 1167, 1185, 1852, 1885, 1970, 2703, 2867, 2874, 2925, 2927, 2939, 3090, 3169, 3177, 3388, 3390, 3391, 3396, 3468, 3668, 3698, and 3852).

Committee also considered the nomination of Abe Fortas, to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, but took no action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

COMPETITION IN MILITARY PROCUREMENT

Committee on the Judiciary: Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee resumed hearings on competitive practices in the field of military procurement, receiving testimony from John M. Malloy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Procurement; Robert Charles, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations and Logistics; and Ralph M. Nash, associate dean, School of Public Administration, George Washington University, the latter of whom submitted a written statement.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 19644–19656; 40 private bills, H.R. 19657–19696; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1448 and 1449, H. Con. Res. 817, and H. Res. 1300, were introduced. Page 26265

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 1384, regarding national park system (H. Rept. 1858—part II);

H.R. 16012, regarding Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, amended (H. Rept. 1871);

H.R. 16947, regarding Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 1872);

H.R. 17273, regarding Reservation of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1873);

H.R. 17684, regarding leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico (H. Rept. 1874);

H.R. 17850, regarding the Muckleshoot Tribe of Indians (H. Rept. 1875);

H.R. 18192, regarding Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma, amended (H. Rept. 1876);

H.R. 18885, regarding Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma (H. Rept. 1877);

H.R. 8781, to provide for the exchange of certain lands in Shasta County, Calif., amended (H. Rept. 1878);

H.R. 17609, regarding city of Kenai, Alaska, amended (H. Rept. 1879);

H.R. 17874, regarding State of Alaska, amended (H. Rept. 1880);

S. 2715, regarding Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma (H. Rept. 1881);

S. 3227, regarding Southern Paiute Nation of Indians, amended (H. Rept. 1882);

S. 3620, regarding Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif. (H. Rept. 1883);

Conference report on H.R. 15263, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act (H. Rept. 1884);

H. Res. 1300, providing for the consideration of H.R. 18260, to provide for a national scenic rivers system (H. Rept. 1885);

H.R. 16524, to provide for the appointment of postmasters (H. Rept. 1886);

H.R. 11408, to authorize certain agreements relating to withholding of State income taxes (H. Rept. 1887);

H.R. 18253, relating to the effective date of the 1966 change in the definition of earned income for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals, amended (H. Rept. 1888); and

H.R. 18486, to amend the Internal Revenue Code (H. Rept. 1889). Page 26264

Food Stamp Act: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 3068, to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1964; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Poage, Gathings, Purcell, Foley, Belcher, Teague of California, and May. Page 26196

Defense Procurement: By a record vote of 323 yeas to 15 nays, adopted the conference report on S. 3293, the defense procurement authorization, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 26196–26214

Military Exports: By a record vote of 313 yeas to 29 nays, the House passed H.R. 15681, the Foreign Military Sales Act.

Adopted amendments regarding—

Arming of military dictators;

Seizure of American fishing vessels;

Purchase of sophisticated weapons; and

Foreign military sales for cash.

Rejected amendments regarding—

Transfer of surplus property from one country to another; and

Purchase of sophisticated weapons.

H. Res. 1252, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 26214–26231

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PENDING BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and considered pending business.

TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs approved for full committee action the following bills:

H.R. 18799, amended, relating to the issuance of revenue bonds by the territory of Guam;

H.R. 18205, amended, providing for the continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands;

H.R. 15151, amended, to promote the economic development of Guam.

WORLD SITUATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and received a briefing on the world situation from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce and Finance met in executive session and considered H.R. 14742 and S. 3724, regulation of mutual funds. No announcements were made.

MAILS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Rates concluded hearings on H.R. 19415, to provide for a delay, or a waiver, of the conditions of mailing articles at the fourth-class rate or at the library rate. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees continued in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

TRAILS SYSTEM

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes.

Wednesday, September 11, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26329–26411

Bills Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4017–4022; and S. Res. 390. Pages 26350, 26358

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3182, authorizing purchase, sale, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, Washington, with amendments (S. Rept. 1520);

H.J. Res. 1299, designating week including September 15 and 16 as National Hispanic Heritage Week (S. Rept. 1521);

S. 2999, authorizing U.S. Comptroller General to administratively settle tort claims arising in foreign countries (S. Rept. 1522);

S. 3254, relating to conflicts of interest with respect to members of the District of Columbia Council (S. Rept. 1523);

H.R. 10482, authorizing application of local law in determining the effect of claimant's contributory negligence (S. Rept. 1524);

H.R. 13669, to permit the use of officers of any of the Armed Services on claims commissions (S. Rept. 1525);

S. 880, a private bill (S. Rept. 1526);

H.R. 206, authorizing settlement of claims up to $5,000 which are incident to noncombat activity of the Coast Guard (S. Rept. 1527);

H.J. Res. 1404, designating week of November 17–23, 1968, as "National Family Health Week" (S. Rept. 1528);

S.J. Res. 100, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in U.S. bankruptcy laws (S. Rept. 1529);

S. 2896, a private bill (S. Rept. 1530);

H.R. 8140, relating to the settlement of personal property claims by employees of the D.C. government, with amendment (S. Rept. 1531);

S. 2751, designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon, with amendments (S. Rept. 1532);

H.R. 9362, authorizing construction and operation of the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma (S. Rept. 1533);

H.R. 14005, authorizing the city of Hot Springs, Ark., to dispose of certain property heretofore conveyed to it by the U.S. (S. Rept. 1534);

S. Con. Res. 11, calling for establishment of a national policy to promote improved conditions for American Indians and Alaska natives (S. Rept. 1535); and

Report of Committee on the Judiciary entitled "Juvenile Delinquency" (S. Rept. 1536). Pages 26349–26350

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 26329

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 15 bills, two of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Boy Scouts: H.R. 15268, authorizing Secretary of Defense to lend certain equipment and provide certain services in support of the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts to be held in Idaho in 1969;

Armed Forces: H.R. 18146, to clarify definition of the term "total commissioned service" for certain staff corps officers of the Navy;

Truth in negotiations: H.R. 10573, to give the Government the right to examine records and other data of contractors relating to negotiations or performance of certain contracts;

Armed Forces: H.R. 17780, to authorize hostile fire pay for the crew of the U.S.S. *Pueblo;*

Indians: H.R. 10911, to establish a roll of California Indians eligible to participate in distribution of certain judgment funds;

Indians: H.R. 14205, authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

Indians: H.R. 16211, authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians;

Indians: H.R. 16402, providing for disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians; and

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 11552 and H.R. 11782.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands—New Mexico: S. 3736, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to village of Central, New Mexico, certain lands formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Indians: S. 3728, providing for distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma;

Indians: S. 2401, authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to make loans to Indians for the acquisition of lands;

Guam: S. 3072, increasing funds authorized for the rehabilitation of Guam; and

Indians: S. 3420, authorizing distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation. Pages 26329–26337

Military Procurement: Senate adopted conference report on S. 3293, authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Pages 26337–26339

Private Bill: H.R. 16880, private bill, was cleared for President's signature when Senate passed the bill without amendment. Page 26342

North Atlantic Assembly: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senator Sparkman as one of the members to attend the North Atlantic Assembly to be held in Brussels November 11–16. Page 26349

Renegotiation: Senate passed with amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 17324, Renegotiation Amendments Act of 1968, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: By 37 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Curtis amendment No. 942 to raise from $1 mil-

lion to $5 million the limitation on issuance of tax-free industrial development bonds; and

Rejected: Dirksen (for Javits) amendment placing burden of proof on the Government in renegotiation cases; and, by 23 yeas to 48 nays, Young of Ohio amendment to reduce from $1 million to $500,000 minimum amounts subject to renegotiation.

The Chair sustained point of order against McGovern amendment providing for recommendations for raising revenue through enactment of excess profits tax legislation.

The title of the bill was amended to reflect inclusion of committee amendments on administration of the Anti-dumping Act and implementation of the International Coffee Agreement of 1968. Pages 26411–26440

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations to be incorporators of the corporation authorized by the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968: Ernest C. Arbuckle, of California; Edward J. Daly, of California; Edwin D. Etherington, of New Jersey; Edgar F. Kaiser, of California; James J. Ling, of Texas; John L. Loeb, of New York; Everett Mattson, of Texas; George Meany, of Maryland; David Rockefeller, of New York; and John H. Wheeler, of North Carolina. Page 26453

Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

POTATOES AND CHERRIES

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices, held hearings on S. 2862, proposed Potato Research and Promotion Act, with testimony from Representative Mathias of California; William C. Lewis, Jr., Administrative Assistant to Senator Smith, who represented the Senator; Floyd F. Hedlund, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; Doyle Burns and Allan F. Larsen, both of the National Potato Council; and A. E. Mercker, Vegetable Growers Association of America.

Subcommittee also held hearings on S. 572 and H.R. 4282, to remove requirement that 50 percent of the handlers must approve cherry marketing orders, with testimony from Representative Vigorito; Paul A. Nicholson, Consumer and Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture; John C. Datt, American Farm Bureau Federation; Ed Dunkelberger, National Canners Association; and James H. Brian, National Association of Frozen Food Packers, Frankfort, Mich.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

NOMINATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Paul L. Sitton, of Georgia, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator, prior to which action, in open hearings, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Surface Transportation concluded hearings on S. 3714, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to authorize contracts between freight forwarders and railroads, after receiving testimony from Fred Tolan, National Industrial Traffic League, Seattle; Pete Beardsley, American Trucking Association, Washington, D.C.; and Lloyd Meyer, president, and Gregory Rebman, counsel, both of United Van Lines, Inc., St. Louis.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met for the purpose of considering Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., 2d sess.), and other pending unfinished business, after which it was announced that it will hold an executive meeting at 10 a.m. on Friday, September 13, to conduct an informal discussion of this treaty; and will hold an executive meeting at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, September 17, for the purpose of voting on this treaty.

BIAFRA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs held executive hearings to receive testimony from Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs Joseph Palmer concerning the current situation in Biafra.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee met in executive session to consider further the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, following which it announced (1) that the committee will meet at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, September 17, for the purpose of voting on this nomination, and (2) that the committee will hold further hearings on this nomination on Monday, September 16, and possibly a date prior thereto.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 19697–19706; 29 private bills, H.R. 19707–19735; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1450–1453, and H. Res. 1301, were introduced. Pages 26495–26496

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on S. 2515, to authorize the establishment of the Redwood National Park in the State of California (H. Rept. 1890). Page 26495

Defense Appropriations: After three quorum calls and one record vote the chairman of the Committee on Appropriations called up for consideration H.R. 18707, the defense appropriations bill. General debate was completed on the measure. Pages 26456–26484

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAND CONVEYANCE

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Forests met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 18496, sale of certain lands to village of Central, N. Mex. Prior to the executive session the subcommittee held a hearing on the bill. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Walker.

Subcommittee on Research and Extension held a hearing on H.R. 14388, conveyance of certain real property in the Agricultural Research Center, Beltsville, Md. Testimony was heard from departmental and public witnesses. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Machen. Following the hearing the bill was considered in executive session.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHY COMMISSION

Committees on Foreign Affairs and Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittees on International Organizations and Movements and Oceanography met in executive session and considered the forthcoming conference of the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission in Paris. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

PACIFIC ISLANDS—GUAM

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Ordered reported to the House H.R. 18205, amended, providing for the continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands; and H.R. 15151, amended, to promote the economic development of Guam.

EQUAL TIME—SUBSCRIPTION TV—MUTUAL FUNDS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House S.J. Res. 175, amended, equal time.

On subscription television the committee adopted the committee resolution expressing to the FCC the sense of the committee on the subject; a text of the resolution may be obtained from the committee.

On the regulation of mutual funds the committee adopted a motion to adjourn debate on legislation for the remainder of the session.

TORTS—PRIVATE CLAIMS—MARINE RESOURCES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14987, authorizes the Comptroller General of the United States to administratively settle tort claims arising in foreign countries; the subcommittee acted on several private claims bills.

Special Subcommittee on Submerged Lands met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17369, Marine Resources Conservation and Development Act.

MAIL

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 19415, to provide for a delay, or a waiver, of the conditions of mailing articles at the special fourth-class rate or at the library rate.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Held a hearing on legislation providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Testimony was heard from Representatives Thompson of Georgia, Waldie, Hall of Missouri, Cohelan, and Pettis.

Joint Committee Meetings

FEDERAL RESERVE DISCOUNT MECHANISM

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to receive testimony concerning proposed changes in Federal Reserve discount mechanism, a procedure by which Federal Reserve lends to member banks. Testimony was received from George W. Mitchell, Member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and Chairman, Intra-System Committee on Reappraisal of the Federal Reserve Discount Mechanism.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, September 17.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, September 17.

Thursday, September 12, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26649–26714

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4023–4034; and S. Res. 391.

Pages 26665, 26668–26669

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1340, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept donations of land for use in extending Blue Ridge

Parkway in North Carolina and Georgia (S. Rept. 1537);

S. 2189, 2642, 2909, 3308, 3324, 3369, 3493, 3526, 345, 2405, 3226, 3356, private bills (S. Repts. 1538–1549);

H.R. 5754, requiring certain information on bills of lading accompanying interstate shipment of intoxicants (S. Rept. 1550);

S. 2271, 3040, 3080, 3172, 3181, 3223, 3239, 3280, 3285, 3355, 3398, 3441, 3455, 3568, 3572, and S.J. Res. 185, private bills (S. Repts. 1551–1566); and

S. 3406, extending the time for filing applications for the selection of public lands by Alaska, with amendment (S. Rept. 1567). Page 26665

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 16 measures, two of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Court procedure: H.R. 10482, authorizing application of local law in determining the effect of claimant's contributory negligence;

Claims commissions: H.R. 13669, to permit the use of officers of any of the armed services on claims commissions;

Coast Guard: H.R. 206, authorizing settlement of claims up to $5,000 which are incident to noncombat activity of the Coast Guard;

Hispanic Heritage Week: H.J. Res. 1299, designating week including September 15 and 16 as "National Hispanic Heritage Week";

Family Health Week: H.J. Res. 1404, designating week of November 17–23, 1968, as "National Family Health Week";

Reclamation: H.R. 9362, authorizing construction and operation of the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma; and

Public lands: H.R. 14005, authorizing the city of Hot Springs, Ark., to dispose of certain property heretofore conveyed to it by the U.S.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

D.C.: H.R. 8140, relating to the settlement of personal property claims by employees of the D.C. government.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Tort claims: S. 2999, authorizing U.S. Comptroller General to administratively settle tort claims arising in foreign countries;

D.C.: S. 3254, relating to conflicts of interest with respect to members of the District of Columbia Council;

Bankruptcy: S.J. Res. 100, to create a commission to study and recommend changes in U.S. bankruptcy laws; and

Private bill: One private bill, S. 880.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Wilderness and national forests: S. 2751, designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon;

Indians: S. 3182, authorizing purchase, sale, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, Washington; and

Private bill: One private bill, S. 2896.

Resolution adopted without amendment:

Indians: S. Con. Res. 11, calling for establishment of a national policy to promote improved conditions for American Indians and Alaska natives. Pages 26649–26657

Water Resources: S. 20, to establish a National Water Commission to review water resources problems and programs, was cleared for President's signature when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Page 26658

Senator Sworn In: Senator-designate Goodell was sworn in to be Senator until the vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy of New York is filled by election. Page 26668

Committee Assignments: Senate adopted S. Res. 391, providing for the following changes in assignments of minority Senators to standing committees:

Excused the following Senators from further service on the committees named—Brooke and Percy from Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences; Hatfield from Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; and Hansen and Baker from Committee on Government Operations;

Assigned to committees named—Senators Percy and Brooke to Committee on Government Operations; Hatfield to Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences; Hansen to Committee on Commerce; Baker to Committee on the Judiciary; and Goodell to Committees on Agriculture and Forestry and Aeronautical and Space Sciences; and

The resolution also provided for assignment of minority Senators to Committee on Foreign Relations, as follows: Hickenlooper, Aiken, Carlson, Mundt, Case, Cooper, and Williams of Delaware. Page 26668

Central Arizona Project: Senate cleared for President's signature S. 1004, authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico, when it adopted conference report thereon. Pages 26670–26694

Gun Control: Senate considered S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms. Pending at adjournment was question of adoption of first committee amendment providing for this legislation to be cited as the "Gun Control Act of 1968." Pages 26715–26731

Confirmations: Senate confirmed nomination of Paul L. Sitton, of Georgia, to be Urban Mass Transportation Administrator; and confirmed one judicial nomination. Page 26735

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Ted J. Davis, of Oklahoma, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; H. Rex Lee, of D.C., to be a member of the FCC; and one judicial. Page 26735

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM CREDIT

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 3986, to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks, receiving testimony from R. B. Tootell, Governor, Farm Credit Administration; Lorin T. Bice, Chairman, Federal Farm Credit Board, Haines City, Fla.; Richard T. O'Connell, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives; John C. Lynn, American Farm Bureau Federation; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; and C. B. Funderburk, Chairman, Farm Credit Board of Columbia, Atlanta, Ga.

PARKS, AND LAND CLAIMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee held hearings on the following three bills:

S. 3050, authorizing establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in North Carolina, with testimony from Senator Ervin; and David S. Black, Under Secretary of the Interior;

S. 3983, to authorize establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida, with testimony from Senator Holland; Representative Fascell; and David S. Black; and

S. 1790, to render the assertion of land claims by the U.S. based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defenses to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject, with testimony from Representative Tunney; David B. Finnegan, Assistant Legislative Counsel, Department of the Interior; Glen Taylor, First Assistant, Lands and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; and William S. Gookin, consulting engineer, and Richard Kelton, attorney at law, both of the Palo Verde Farmland Association, Blythe, Calif., the latter three of whom submitted written statements.

Committee announced that it has scheduled hearings for Thursday, September 19, in order to hear opponents of S. 3983.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the following nominations:

William J. Holloway, of Oklahoma, to be U.S. circuit judge, tenth circuit, with testimony from Senator Harris;

Lawrence Gubow, to be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Michigan, with testimony from Senator Hart; and

David G. Bress, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Columbia, with testimony from Jacob Stein, president, Bar Association of the D.C.; and W. B. Hicks, Jr., Liberty Lobby.

The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

The nominations of Messrs. Holloway and Gubow were subsequently reported to the Senate.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 8953, providing for alteration or relocation of certain highway and railroad bridges by the TVA; S. 3459, to name the authorized lock and dam numbered 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma and the lake created thereby for Col. Auguste P. Chouteau; and the nomination of Rear Adm. Don A. Jones, USESSA, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission.

Committee also approved the following watershed projects:

Aquilla-Hackberry Creek, Tex.;
Beaver Creek, Mont.;
Box Creek, Miss.;
Hudson River, Ga.;
Jack Creek, Okla.;
Jackson-Mill Creek, S.C.;
Little Lynches Creek, S.C.;
Lower Medicine Creek, Nebr.;
Mill Creek, Ill.;
Slate River, Va.;
South Fourche, Ark.;
Stevens Brook, Maine;
Upper Llagas Creek, Calif.;
Upper Medicine Creek, Nebr.; and
Whitesand-Greens Creeks, Miss.

WYOMING WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors held hearings on proposed soil conservation watershed project for Upper North Laramie River, Wyo., with testimony from William A. Weld, Assistant Director, Watershed Planning Division, Soil Conservation Service, accompanied by Harold O. Ogrosky, Assistant Deputy Administrator for Watersheds, Soil Conservation Service, both of the Department of Agriculture; Wilson Burnette, Associated Enterprises, New Castle, Wyo.; and Glen Dunlap, chairman, Toltec Watershed Improvement District, Albany County, Wyo.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 19 public bills, H.R. 19736–19754; 27 private bills, H.R. 19755–19781; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1454–1456, H. Con. Res. 818 and 819, and H. Res. 1302, were introduced. Pages 26648–26649

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails (H. Rept. 1891);

H.R. 17854, regarding construction of D.C. parking facilities (H. Rept. 1892); and

H.R. 18808, to amend the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act of 1964, amended (H. Rept. 1893). Page 26648

Resignation: Received a communication from Representative Goodell regarding his resignation from the House of Representatives effective September 9, 1968. Page 26541

Committee Resignation: Received and read a communication of resignation of Representative Davis of Georgia from the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures. The resignation was accepted. Page 26541

Committee Appointment: Representative Anderson of Tennessee was appointed to the Special Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures. Page 26541

Aging: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.J. Res. 1371, making it the sense of Congress that a White House Conference on Aging be called by the President of the United States in 1971, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Page 26543

Defense Appropriation: By a record vote of 334 yeas to seven nays, the House passed H.R. 18707, the Department of Defense Appropriation Act, 1969.

Rejected by a voice vote a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

Rejected amendments designed to—

Delete $387.4 million for the Sentinel antiballistic missiles;

Stop sale of excess guns and ammunition to the National Rifle Association and its members;

Provide additional $38 million for Navy research;

Delete funds for hunting and fishing preserves on military reservations;

Stop bombing of Vietnam;

Limit total expenditures to approximately $66 billion; and

Provide that none of the funds will be spent outside the United States for purchase of aircraft or major components of aircraft (by a record vote of 73 yeas to 268 nays). Pages 26544–26576

Redwood National Park: By a record vote of 329 yeas to one nay, the House adopted the conference report on S. 2515, regarding Redwood National Park, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 26576–26588

Scenic Rivers: The House passed, by a record vote of 265 yeas to seven nays, H.R. 18260, the national scenic rivers bill.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 119 in lieu thereof after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Adopted amendments excluding the following rivers from the study provisions of the bill:

The entire Big South Fork and its tributary, the Clear Fork, Cumberland, Tenn.;

Susquehanna, N.Y. and Pa.: the segment between a dam at Cooperstown, N.Y., and the town of Pittston, Pa.; and the segment of the West Branch of the Susquehanna between Clearfield and Lock Haven, Pa.;

Certain tributaries of the Little Miami River, Ohio;

The main segment from the confluence of Antelope Creek to the headwaters of the proposed Norden Reservoir east of the town of Volentine, and the lower 8 miles of its tributary, the Snake River, of the Niobrara, Nebr.

Adopted an amendment with respect to the study of the Suwannee River, Ga. and Fla., and the upper Iowa, requiring such study to be completed and reports made thereon to the President and the Congress within 2 years from the date of this act.

H. Res. 1300, the rule under which the legislation was considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote. Pages 26588–26611

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 26647

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OLDER AMERICANS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 17867, amended, Older Americans Act amendments.

COMMERCIAL FISHERY R. & D.

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18808, amended, to extend the Commercial Fishery Research and Development Act for an additional 4 years.

RELOCATION AND LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Held hearings on legislation providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Testimony was heard from a departmental witness.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Special Elections Committee To Investigate Campaign Expenditures, 1968: Held an organizational meeting.

Joint Committee Meetings

BUDGET OUTLOOK

Joint Economic Committee: Committee held hearings to receive testimony from Budget Director Charles Zwick, and his staff, concerning various aspects of the Federal budget.

INDIANS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 5910, declaring that the

U.S. holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma.

Friday, September 13, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26788–26807

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 4035. Page 26794

Bill Referred: H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 26809

Supplemental Air Transportation: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 3566, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation." This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 26793–26794

Gun Control: Senate continued consideration of S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, reaching unanimous consent agreement thereon, as follows: Effective on Monday, September 16, at conclusion of routine morning business, debate on any committee amendments shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided; debate on any other amendment, motion, or appeal (except motion to table or any amendment providing for Federal registration and/or licensing or sporting firearms) shall be limited to 2 hours, equally divided; and debate on question of final passage of the bill shall be limited to 6 hours, equally divided. It was also agreed that no rollcall vote will be taken before 3 p.m. on Monday, September 16.

Senate, by unanimous consent, changed its time of meeting on Monday, September 16, from 11 a.m. until noon.

Pending at adjournment was question of adoption of first committee amendment to the bill. Pages 26807–26844

Confirmations: Two judicial nominations were confirmed. Page 26844

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: To be Representatives to the 15th Session of the General Conference of UNESCO—William Benton, of Connecticut, Alvin C. Eurich, of Colorado, K. S. Louchheim, of D.C., James H. McCrocklin, of Texas, and Frederick Seitz, of Illinois; to be alternate Representatives to the 15th Session of the General Conference of UNESCO—Robert H. B. Wade, of Maryland, Marietta Moody Brooks, of Texas, Elizabeth Ann Brown, of Oregon, Morton Keller, of Massachusetts, and George E. Taylor, of Washington; Philip J. Daugherty, of D.C., to be a member of the District of Columbia Council; Glenn T. Seaborg, of California, to be Representative to the 12th Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency; and to be alternate Representatives to the 12th Session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency—Wilfrid E. Johnson, of Washington, Verne B. Lewis, of Maryland, Henry DeWolf Smyth, of New Jersey, Gerald F. Tape, of Maryland, James T. Ramey, of Illinois, and Herbert Scoville, Jr., of Connecticut; and numerous postmasters and Marine Corps. Pages 26844–26845

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of H. Rex Lee, to be a member of the Federal Communications Commission, prior to which action, in open hearings, favoring testimony was received from Senators Church, Jordan of Idaho, and Inouye. Mr. Lee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to discuss the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.); S. 3378, providing for U.S. contribution of $480 million to the International Development Association; and S. 3092, authorizing a $296 million military sales program.

Committee will meet on Tuesday, September 17, for the purpose of voting on these items of business.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee resumed hearings into the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, receiving testimony from Don Shaidell, of the Los Angeles Police Department; and B. J. Tennery, dean of American University School of Law.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, September 16, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 26854–26888

Bills Introduced: Eight bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4036–4043; and S. Res. 392–394. Page 26862

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Report of Joint Economic Committee entitled "Employment and Manpower Problems in the Cities: Implications of the Report of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders" (S. Rept. 1568);

S. 3459, to name the authorized lock and dam No. 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma and the lake created thereby for Col. Auguste P. Chouteau, with amendment (S. Rept. 1569);

H.R. 8953, providing for alteration or relocation of certain highway and railroad bridges by the TVA (S. Rept. 1570);

S. 2752, conveying certain U.S. lands to the city of Kenai, Alaska, with amendment (S. Rept. 1571);

S. Res. 392, authorizing printing of additional copies of hearings on Committee on Government Operations entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 393, authorizing expenditure of an additional $2,500 by Committee on the Judiciary (no written report)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration. Pages 26862, 26867–26868

President's Message—Adult Basic Education: President submitted message with which he transmitted first annual report of the National Advisory Committee on Adult Basic Education—referred to Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. Pages 26854–26855

President's Communication—Government Reorganization: President transmitted draft of proposed bill to amend Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1958 so as to change the Office of Emergency Planning to the Office of Emergency Preparedness and Federal-State Relations—referred to Committee on Armed Services. Page 26860

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 29 bills, 28 of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Shipments of intoxicants: H.R. 5754, requiring certain information on bills of lading accompanying interstate shipment of intoxicants.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: 16 private bills, S.J. Res. 185, S. 2271, 3040, 3080, 3172, 3181, 3223, 3239, 3280, 3285, 3355, 3398, 3441, 3455, 3568, and 3572.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: 12 private bills, S. 2189, 2642, 2909, 3308, 3324, 3369, 3493, 3526, 345, 2405, 3226, and 3356. Pages 26855–26860

Wild Rivers: Senate disagreed to House amendments to S. 119, to reserve certain public lands for a National Wild Rivers System, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Jackson, Church, Nelson, Kuchel, and Jordan of Idaho. Pages 26872–26875

Appointments to Commission: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senators McIntyre and Brooke to serve with Senators Sparkman and Bennett on the Commission on Mortgage Insurance Rates. Page 26861

Independent Offices Appropriations: Senator Cotton was appointed as conferee on H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, to replace Senator Smith, excused. Page 26913

Authority to Meet: All committees were authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Tuesday, September 17. Page 26914

Gun Control: Senate continued its consideration of S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, disposing of all committee amendments through line 11 of page 15 of the reported bill (with the exception of one that was put aside temporarily for later consideration). Of these disposed of amendments, all were adopted, with the exception of one that was rejected by record vote. One on page 9, lines 18–22, defining the term "collector" was adopted with an amendment (motion to reconsider tabled). Two were adopted by record votes, as follows:

By 79 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), committee amendment at page 3, line 24 through page 4, lines 1–17, declaring that certain destructive devices are primarily weapons of war; and by 79 yeas to 1 nay (motion to reconsider tabled), committee amendment at page 6, lines 16–25 and page 7, lines 1–23, defining the term "destructive device."

Rejected by 36 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) was committee amendment at page 1, lines 18–25, defining the term "ammunition" and exempting certain types of ammunition from coverage.

Put aside for later consideration was committee amendment at page 14, lines 13–22 that would allow a person asquiring a firearm by bequest or inheritance in a State other than his residence to transport to or receive it in his State.

The debate limitation agreement entered into on Friday, September 13, was amended by providing that debate be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, on any amendment with the exception of one to be proposed by Senator Tydings dealing with registration and/or

licensing of firearms, on which debate will be limited to 2 hours, equally divided. Pages 26888–26926

Confirmations: Seven civilian nominations were confirmed, including that of H. Rex Lee, of D.C., to be a member of the FCC. Page 26926

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Patrick V. Murphy, of New York, Ralph G. H. Siu, of Hawaii, and Wesley A. Pomeroy, of California, to be Administrator, and Associate Administrators, respectively, of Law Enforcement Assistance; George W. Ball, of New York, William C. Foster, of D.C., U.S. Senator John Sherman Cooper, and U.S. Senator Stuart Symington, to be Representatives to the 23d Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations; William B. Buffum, of Maryland, Louis Stulberg, of New York, and Mrs. Harvey Picker, of New York, to be Alternate Representatives to the 23d Session of the U.N. General Assembly; Donald C. Burnham, of Pennsylvania, Gilbert W. Fitzhugh, of New York, William A. Hewitt, of Illinois, Andre Meyer, of New York, Stuart T. Saunders, of Pennsylvania, and Leon N. Weiner, of Pennsylvania, to be Incorporators of the Corporation authorized by the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968; T. Harold Scott, of Colorado, to be an Indian Claims Commissioner; and 47 postmasters. Page 26926

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Defense Subcommittee met in executive session to receive a briefing from CIA Director Richard Helms.

Subcommittee will meet in executive session tomorrow to hear Secretary Clifford, and other officials of the Defense Establishment.

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of George R. Gallagher, of Maryland, to be associate judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals, with testimony from Jacob L. Stein, president, Bar Association of the D.C.; Joseph F. Spaniol, Jr., president, D.C. Chapter, Federal Bar Association; and Leo M. Pellerzi and F. Joseph Donohue, D.C. attorneys. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee continued hearings on the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, having as its witnesses Senators Allott and Griffin.

Committee will meet in executive session tomorrow at 10:50 a.m. for the purpose of voting on this nomination.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 19782–19791; 31 private bills, H.R. 19792–19822, and four resolution, H.J. Res. 1457, H. Con. Res. 820, and H. Res. 1303 and 1304, were introduced. Pages 27050–27051

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: Conference report on H.R. 5910, regarding Pawnee Indian Tribe of Oklahoma (H. Rept. 1894). Page 27050

Military Construction: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18785, the Military Construction Appropriation Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Sikes, McFall, Patten, Long of Maryland, Mahon, Cederberg, Jonas, Talcott, and Bow. Page 26927

Presidential Message—Adult Education: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the First Annual Report of the National Advisory Committee on Adult Basic Education—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed with illustrations (H. Doc. 384). Page 26949

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area: S. 444 (in lieu of H.R. 15245), to establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Wyoming.

Tennessee Valley Authority: S. 1637 (in lieu of H.R. 4846), to provide that the issue of just compensation may be tried by a jury in any case involving the condemnation of real property by the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Chickasaw Nation, Oklahoma: S. 2715, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma.

Swinomish Indian Tribal Community: S. 3182 (in lieu of H.R. 16012), to authorize the purchase, sale, exchange, mortgage, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.

Colville Reservation: S. 3420 (in lieu of H.R. 16947), to direct a per capita distribution of $550 from funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation.

South Carolina State Commission: S. 3578 (in lieu of H.R. 18207), to release, on behalf of the United States, a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to the South Carolina State Commission of Forestry so as to permit such commission, subject to a certain condition, to exchange such lands.

Quechan Tribe: S. 3620, to provide for the disposition of judgment funds on deposit to the credit of the Que-

chan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif., in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 319.

Muckleshoot Tribe of Indians: S. 3621 (in lieu of H.R. 17850), to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Muckleshoot Tribe of Indians in Indian Claims Commission docket No. 98.

Dartmouth College: S. 3671, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Dartmouth College.

State of Ohio: S. 3687 (in lieu of H.R. 18033), to release on behalf of the United States a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to the State of Ohio.

Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians: S. 3728 (in lieu of H.R. 18192), to authorize the use of funds arising from a judgment in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma.

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

Memphis 150th anniversary: H.R. 17361, to provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Memphis.

Indian lands: H.R. 17684, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico.

Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma: H.R. 18885, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay judgments in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma in dockets Nos. 150 and 248 of the Indian Claims Commission.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Issuance of Patents: H.R. 4530, relating to the issuance of patents for lands held under color of title, to liberalize the requirements for the conveyance of the mineral estate.

Shasta County, Calif.: H.R. 8781, to provide for the exchange of certain lands in Shasta County, Calif.

United States land claims: H.R. 10256, to render the assertion of land claims by the United States based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defense to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject.

Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park: H.R. 14413, to authorize the acquisition and disposal of certain lands at Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga.

Agua Caliente Indians: H.R. 17273, relating to the reservation of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians.

Kenai, Alaska: H.R. 17609, to convey to the city of Kenai, Alaska, all interests of the United States in certain land located therein.

U.S. Code: H.R. 17864, to codify recent law, and to improve the Code.

State of Alaska: H.R. 17874, to amend the act providing for the admission of the State of Alaska into the Union in order to extend the time for the filing of applications for the selection of certain lands by such State.

Postal Inspectors: H.R. 18100, to empower postal inspectors to serve warrants and subpenas and to make arrests without warrant for certain offenses against the United States.

Upper Mississippi Valley National Recreation Area: H.R. 18333, to study the feasibility and desirability of establishing on Upper Mississippi Valley National Recreation Area between Wood River, Ill., and Minneapolis, Minn.

Public printing: H.R. 18612, relating to public printing and documents.

Public lands: S. 220 (in lieu of H.R. 13797), to authorize the sale of certain public lands.

Oregon forests: S. 2751 (in lieu of H.R. 13512), to designate the Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in the State of Oregon.

Southern Paiute Nation of Indians: S. 3227, to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated to pay a judgment in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians in Indian Claims Commission dockets Nos. 88, 330, and 330–A.

Passed over without prejudice:

H.R. 7406, H.R. 12881, H.R. 16771, H.R. 17954.

Pages 26928–26950

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Biscayne National Monument: H.R. 551, to authorize the establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in the State of Florida (amended, passed by a record vote of 243 yeas to 92 nays). Pages 26950–26957

Interest rates: S. 3133, to extend for 2 years the authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest or dividends, higher reserve requirements, and open market operations in agency issues (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 26965–26970

Traveler's checks: S. 1440, regarding transportation with unlawful intent in interstate or foreign commerce of traveler's checks bearing forged countersignatures (cleared for the President by a record vote of 328 yeas to 4 nays). Pages 26970–26975

Intergovernmental cooperation: S. 698 (in lieu of H.R. 18826), the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968 (passed by a voice vote). Pages 26975–26994

Fish protein concentrate: S. 3030, relating to the development by the Secretary of the Interior of fish protein concentrate (amended and returned to the Senate by a record vote of 218 yeas to 102 nays). Pages 26994–26999

Padre Island National Seashore: H.R. 17787, to authorize the appropriation of funds for Padre Island National Seashore in the State of Texas (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 26999–27001

Guam: S. 3072 (in lieu of H.R. 16801), to amend the

act entitled "An Act To Provide for the Rehabilitation of Guam" (amended, passed by a voice vote).

Pages 27002–27003

Handicapped children: H.R. 18763, to authorize preschool and early education programs for handicapped children (amended, passed by a voice vote).

Pages 27003–27011

Immigration-Nationality Act: H.R. 15450, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 27011–27014

Negro history: H.R. 12962, to provide for the establishment of a Commission on Negro History and Culture (amended, passed by a record vote of 261 yeas to 45 nays). Pages 27014–27019

Commercial fisheries: S. 3866 (in lieu of H.R. 18808), to extend the provisions of the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act of 1964 (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 27019–27022

Water Resources Planning Act: S. 3058, to amend the Water Resources Planning Act to revise the authorization of appropriations for administering the provisions of the act (amended, passed by a voice vote). Page 27022

Carl Sandburg Home: H.R. 13099, to authorize the establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in the State of North Carolina (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 27022–27024

Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge: S. 3379 (in lieu of H.R. 16771), to designate certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, Morris County, N.J., as wilderness (amended, passed by a record vote of 269 yeas to 22 nays). Pages 27024–27028

Eklutna project, Alaska: S. 224, to provide for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna project, Alaska (passed by a voice vote, cleared for the White House).

Pages 27028–27029

Department of Transportation personnel: H.R. 19136, to provide for the payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation (passed by a record vote of 317 yeas to 2 nays). Pages 27029–27032

OAS site: H.R. 16175, regarding headquarters site for the Organization of American States (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 27032–27034

North Cascades National Park: S. 1321 (in lieu of H.R. 8970), to establish the North Cascades National Park and Ross Lake National Recreation Area, to designate the Pasayten Wilderness and to modify the Glacier Peak Wilderness, in the State of Washington (amended, passed by a voice vote). Pages 27034–27041

Suspension Rejection—Building Trades: Having failed to get the two-thirds vote necessary for passage under suspension of the rules H.R. 2567, to promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction was rejected by a record vote of 196 yeas to 136 nays. Pages 26957–26965

Wild Rivers: The House insisted on its amendment to S. 119, the Wild Rivers Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Aspinall, Taylor, Johnson of California, Udall, Kastenmeier, Saylor, Skubitz, and Kupferman. Page 26965

Referrals: Six Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 27049

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:18 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation held a hearing on present methods for adjusting Federal salaries under various statutory pay systems, and heard testimony from John W. Macy, Jr., Chairman, Civil Service Commission. Hearings continue Tuesday, September 17.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27095–27110

Bills Introduced: Nine bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4044–4052. Pages 27096–27097

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 6862, private bill (S. Rept. 1572). Page 27096

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 27140

Bill Rereferred: Committee on Commerce was discharged from consideration of S. 4025, licensing of hydroelectric projects on Middle Snake River below Hells Canyon Dam, and the bill was then referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. Page 27153

Lake Chouteau: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 3459, to name the authorized lock and dam No. 17 on the Verdigris River in Oklahoma and the lake created thereby for Col. Auguste P. Chouteau.

Pages 27095–27096

TVA: H.R. 8953, providing for alteration or relocation of certain highway and railroad bridges by the TVA, was cleared for President when it was passed without amendment. Page 27096

Education: H.R. 18763, proposed Handicapped Children's Early Education Assistance Act, was taken from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President. Pages 27153–27154

Public Lands: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 220, authorizing the sale of certain public lands which are unsuitable for cultivation. This action cleared bill for President. Page 27153

Authority To Meet: All committees were authorized to meet on Wednesday, September 18, while Senate is in session. Page 27160

Intergovernmental Cooperation: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 698, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Muskie, Ervin, Metcalf, Hansen, and Baker. Pages 27160–27162

Gun Control: Senate continued its consideration of S. 3633, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, adopting all committee amendments with the exception of a group of four on page 16, lines 17, 19, 20, and 21, respecting sale or delivery of certain ammunition to underage persons, which amendments were rejected (motion to reconsider tabled). Two of the adopted committee amendments were amended as follows: (1) by adoption of Hruska amendment in the nature of a substitute for committee amendment at page 18, line 23, through page 21, line 16, prescribing presale affidavit procedure (text of Hruska amendment No. 963); and (2) committee amendment at page 25, line 21, respecting application for licenses as a collector, was adopted as amended by Tydings amendment confining the provision to transactions in curios and relics (motion to reconsider tabled).

The committee amendment at page 26, line 6, through page 30, line 4, covering procedure for issuance of licenses to importers, manufacturers, or dealers, was adopted (motion to reconsider tabled) after Senate rejected, by 42 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Dodd amendment consisting of substance of his amendment No. 951, respecting qualifications of a licensed dealer and his maintenance of premises for conduct of his business (motion to table motion to reconsider rejection of this amendment was adopted by 45 yeas to 39 nays).

The balance of the committee amendments beginning with page 30, line 5, were then adopted en bloc, same to be considered as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Following the adoption of the balance of committee amendments Senate took the following actions on amendments offered from the floor:

Adopted: Dominick amendment No. 958 (identical to S. 3681) to add a new title imposing additional punishment for use of firearms in the commission of certain crimes of violence (motion to reconsider tabled); Hruska amendment No. 971 to exempt members of Armed Forces on active duty outside U.S. with respect to sporting arms or types of firearms classified as war souvenirs; Brewster-Ervin amendment to prohibit confiscation of any legally held or used firearms by any governmental organization; Long amendment defining the term "antique firearms"; and

Rejected: Hruska amendment No. 965 to eliminate language in the bill consisting of "findings and declarations."

Pending at adjournment was Tydings amendment No. 947 to add new titles to bill on "registration of firearms" and on "licensing." Pages 27110–27139, 27141–27154

Confirmation: One civilian nomination was confirmed. Page 27162

Recess: Recessed at 6:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Defense Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary of Defense Clark Clifford, Deputy Secretary of Defense Paul Nitze, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, and other officials of the Defense Department.

DIA BRIEFING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee met in executive session to receive a briefing from officials of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 13 to 3, ordered favorably reported Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider bills dealing with U.S. contribution to the International Development Association, and on military sales authorization.

SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, by a vote of 11 to 6, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Abe Fortas, to be Chief Justice of the United States. Committee has until Friday to file report on this nomination.

Committee also approved, with amendment, H.R. 6862, a private bill.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witness Dr. Robert S. McCleery, Acting Deputy Director, Bureau of

Medicine, Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 19823–19833; 44 private bills, H.R. 19834–19877; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1458, H. Con. Res. 821–822, and H. Res. 1305, were introduced. Pages 27258–27259

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Disposition of Executive papers (H. Rept. 1895); and

Conference report on H.R. 18785, military construction appropriations (H. Rept. 1896). Page 27258

Renegotiation Act: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17324, to extend and amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Karsten, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis. Page 27163

Aluminum: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17104, to extend until July 15, 1970, the suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Karsten, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis. Page 27163

HEW Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18037, the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare appropriations bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Flood, Natcher, Smith of Iowa, Hull, Casey, Mahon, Laird, Michel, Shriver, and Bow. Page 27165

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

S. 747, 772, 905, 1327, 1354, 1470, 2250, 2371, 2477, 2506, 2706, 2720, 2759, 3024, and S.J. Res. 185 (in lieu of H.J. Res. 1287).

Sent to the Senate without amendment:

H.R. 7502, 12766, 12860, 14016, 14380, 14786, 15060, 15061, 15174, 15210, 15634, 15969, 16238, 17022, 17109, 17222, 18174, 18274, and H. Res. 1216.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

H.R. 3527, 7957, 8245, 11085, 11253, 13351, 13374, 14389, 14467, 14513, 15476, 16187 (the omnibus bill), 18316, 1069, 1652, and 2897. (Seven rollcall votes developed on the omnibus bill.)

Passed over without prejudice:

H.R. 1722, 1756, 3193, 3472, 8588, 9566, 9567, 11255, 14276, 15402, H. Res. 743, and 954.

Recommitted:

H.J. Res. 1034. Pages 27165–27191

Food-Agricultural Act: By a record vote of 223 yeas to 85 nays, the House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17126, to extend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Poage, Gathings, Purcell, Foley, Belcher, Teague of California, and May.

By a voice vote adopted a preferential motion with instructions to the conferees to insist that the act be extended for 1 year only. Pages 27191–27193

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, September 18. Pages 27193–27194

Referrals: 27 Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 27257

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURE RESEARCH CENTER

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension held a hearing on H.R. 14388, conveyance of certain real property in the Agricultural Research Center, Beltsville, Md. Testimony was heard from Representative Machen and departmental witnesses.

D.C. LENDERS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Special Investigations Subcommittee held a hearing on H.R. 19740, to authorize banks, savings and loan associations, and other regulated lenders in D.C. to charge or deduct interest in advance on loans to be repaid in installments. Representatives of the District of Columbia government and public witnesses were heard. In executive session the subcommittee approved H.R. 19740 for full committee action.

AID

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information held a hearing on compliance activities of AID. Testimony was heard from Edward Tennent, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Administration, AID, and other departmental witnesses.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Committee concluded hearings on S. 2687, ICC judicial review; S. 913 and H.R. 7151, to amend Interstate Commerce Act to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness

of water carriers; and S. 2499 and H.R. 13141, to extend the act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees. Testifying before the committee was Paul J. Tierney, Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and approved for full committee action several private claim bills.

OCEAN EXPLORATION

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Oceanography met in executive session on H. Con. Res. 803, international decade of ocean exploration. No final action was taken. The subcommittee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings for the purpose of examining the present methods for adjusting Federal salaries under the various statutory pay systems. Testimony was heard from major employee organization witnesses. Hearings to be continued Thursday and Friday.

LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Committee held hearings on H.R. 386, and related bills, providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Testimony was heard from a departmental and a public witness.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session on pending business.

Joint Committee Meetings

FEDERAL RESERVE DISCOUNT MECHANISM

Joint Economic Committee: Committee continued hearings to receive testimony concerning proposed changes in Federal Reserve discount mechanism, a procedure by which Federal Reserve lends to member banks. Witnesses heard were Ross M. Robertson, professor of business economics and public policy, Indiana University; Lawrence S. Ritter, chairman, Department of Finance, New York University Graduate School of Business Administration; and Thomas G. Gies, professor of finance, University of Michigan Graduate School of Business Administration.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968.

WILD RIVERS

Conferees met, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 119, to reserve certain public lands for a national wild rivers system, but did not reach final agreement and will meet again tomorrow.

HEALTH

Conferees met, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Thursday, September 19.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27505–27525

Bills Introduced: Six bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4053–4058. Page 27506

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3986, to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks (S. Rept. 1573);

S. 2671, providing for control of noxious plants on land under control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government, with amendments (S. Rept. 1574); and

H.R. 16175, authorizing use of certain D.C. property as sites for construction of headquarters of the OAS, and governments of foreign countries (S. Rept. 1575).

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Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Page 27422

School Lunches: S. 3848, to improve and expand programs to supply free meals to needy schoolchildren was, by unanimous consent, taken from calendar and ordered to lie on the table. Page 27402

Military Construction: Conference report on H.R. 18785, fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction, was adopted, Senate concurring in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 2 (military construc-

tion, Navy). These actions cleared bill for President's signature. Page 27428

Interest on Deposits: S. 3133, extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 27430

Private Bill: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for President H.R. 17022, private bill. Pages 27464–27465

Gun Control: By 70 yeas to 17 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, after substituting for its text the amended language of S. 3633, companion bill, on which the following additional actions had first been taken on amendments offered thereto:

Adopted: Dodd amendment No. 954 respecting method of granting relief from disabilities incurred by a person convicted of a crime punishable as a felony; Miller-Cooper amendment respecting crime of violence punishable as a felony; and

Rejected: By 31 yeas to 55 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Tydings amendment No. 947 to add new titles to bill on "registration of firearms" and on "licensing"; by 35 yeas to 48 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Jackson amendment No. 972 providing that after December 31, 1970, no license shall be renewed or granted to firearms dealer, importer, manufacturer, or collector in a State which does not have an effective firearms control law requiring registration of firearms by residents of that State; by 31 yeas to 53 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Brooke amendment to add new title on "Firearms Inventory"; by 35 yeas to 49 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Tydings amendment No. 946 to add a new title on "licensing for concealable weapons"; by 6 yeas to 78 nays, Murphy amendment authorizing importation of certain types of firearms not peculiarly susceptible to criminal use but for which there is an active market for sporting and other legitimate purposes; and, on division vote, Moss amendment to add a new title to create a Joint Committee To Investigate Crime (text of S.J. Res. 94).

S. 3633, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Pages 27402–27432, 27452–27493

Private Bill: S. 2214, private bill, was passed without amendment. Pages 27493–27497

Public Lands—Alaska: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 17609, conveying certain U.S. lands to the city of Kenai, Alaska.

S. 2752, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Page 27497

D.C.: S. 2439, increasing the number of judges on the D.C. court of general sessions, and increasing salaries therefor, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 27497–27498

Wilderness: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 3379, to designate as wilderness certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, New Jersey, clearing bill for President's signature. Page 27504

Indians: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 5910, declaring that the U.S. holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe, Oklahoma. Pages 27504–27505

Secretary of Senate: Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from President during adjournment of Senate until noon Thursday, September 19. Page 27505

Tariff: Senate took up H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore. Page 27505

Nominations: Senate received nominations of Parker T. Hart, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and of Angier Biddle Duke, of New York, to be Ambassador to Denmark. Page 27525

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported S. 3986, to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks; S. 2671, providing for the control of noxious plants on land under the control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government (amended); and the nomination of Ted J. Davis, of Oklahoma, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Defense Subcommittee continued, in executive session, its hearings on H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, having as its witnesses Secretary Clark Clifford, Deputy Secretary Paul Nitze, and Dr. John S. Foster, Jr., Director of Defense Research and Engineering, all of the Defense Department; Dr. Harold Brown, Secretary of the Air Force; and Gen. Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee announced that it has approved for reporting the nomination of George R. Gallagher, of Maryland, to be an associate judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals.

CHANCERIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported H.R. 16175, authorizing use of certain D.C. property as sites for construction of headquarters of the OAS and governments of foreign countries. Prior to approval of this bill testimony in connection there-

with was received from Leonard Meeker, Legal Adviser, Department of State.

In executive session, committee considered, but took no action on, S. 3378, providing U.S. contribution of $480 million to the International Development Association, and H.R. 15681, authorizing a $296 million military sales program.

BISCAYNE NATIONAL MONUMENT

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee resumed hearings on S. 3983, authorizing establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida, having as its witnesses Mrs. Fred Belland, councilwoman, Don R. Petit, city manager, Mrs. Annabell H. Smith, city clerk, William C. Martin, special counsel, and Frank Pepper, the latter two of whom represented the Islandia Chamber of Commerce, all of Islandia, Fla.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, having as its witnesses Dr. B. Harvey Minchew, Acting Director, accompanied by Dr. Robert S. McCleery, Acting Deputy Director, both of the Bureau of Medicine, and William W. Goodrich, Chief Counsel, all of the Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Nine public bills, H.R. 19878–19886; 21 private bills, H.R. 19887–19907; and three resolutions, H. Con. Res. 823, and H. Res. 1306–1307, were introduced. Pages 27353, 27400–27401

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 19418, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act and the Farm Credit Act (H. Rept. 1897);

H.R. 18373, for implementing Conventions for Free Admission of Professional Equipment and Containers, and for ATA, ECS, and TIR Carnets, amended (H. Rept. 1898);

H.R. 14095, re production of wine, amended (H. Rept. 1899);

H.R. 15023, to amend the Internal Revenue Code, amended (H. Rept. 1900);

H.R. 17332, re uses of gasoline and lubricating oils, amended (H. Rept. 1901);

H.R. 18942, relating to the income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations, amended (H. Rept. 1902);

S.J. Res. 191, re statue of Benito Pablo Juarez in D.C. (H. Rept. 1903);

Conference report on H.R. 17023, Independent Offices and Housing and Urban Development appropriations (H. Rept. 1904); and

Conference report on H.R. 17126, the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 extension (H. Rept. 1905).

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Military Construction: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 18785, the military construction appropriations bill, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 2 with an amendment. Pages 27314–27321

Trails System: Adopted the conference report on S. 827, nationwide trails system, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 27316–27321

Armed Forces Deaths: House concurred in Senate amendments, with a House amendment, to H.R. 13844, to allow time off from duty without loss of pay or reduction in leave for employees of executive agencies to attend and make necessary arrangements in connection with the funerals of their sons or daughters in the U.S. Armed Forces overseas who died in or as a result of armed conflict with a hostile foreign force or forces, and returned the legislation to the Senate. Page 27321

Rule: Rejected, by a record vote of 134 yeas to 221 nays, H. Res. 1253, providing for the consideration of H.R. 15890, to provide for additional positions in certain executive agencies. Pages 27322–27327

Rule: Adopted, by a record vote of 290 yeas to 67 nays, H. Res. 1241, providing for consideration of H.R. 17682, relating to civil service retirement. Pages 27331–27334

U.S. Magistrate: The House considered S. 945, to abolish the office of U.S. commissioner, to establish in place thereof within the judicial branch of the Government the office of U.S. magistrate.

Committee Member: Adopted H. Res. 1306, electing Robert C. McEwen, of New York, a member of the standing committee on House Administration.

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee. Page 27399

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FARM CREDIT

Committee on Agriculture: Committee met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 19418, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act and Farm Credit Act to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks, production credit associations, and banks for cooperatives.

Prior to the executive session, the committee held an open hearing on the bill and heard Government and public witnesses.

AGRICULTURE RESEARCH CENTER

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Research and Extension met in executive session and approved for full committee action H.R. 14388, amended, conveyance of certain real property in the Agricultural Research Center, Beltsville, Md.

BANKING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Committee met in executive session on pending legislation. No announcements were made.

ELECTION LAWS—STATUE

Committee on House Administration: Committee met in executive session and ordered reported to the House H.R. 18797, to revise the contested election law contests, and S.J. Res. 191, to authorize the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the District of Columbia.

IFC

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Committee met in executive session on pending legislation.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 continued hearings on a review of the act of October 3, 1965, on immigration. Testimony was heard from a Government witness.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 19123 and related bills the Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Edmondson, Matsunaga, and Quillen. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Fulton of Tennessee, MacDonald of Massachusetts, Belcher, and Senator Hayden.

YOUTH CAMPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education concluded hearings on H.R. 17131, to provide Federal leadership and grants to the States for developing and implementing State programs for youth camp safety standards, and H.R. 17307, to provide for a study of the extent and enforcement of State laws and regulations governing the operation of youth camps. A Government witness and public witnesses were heard.

OAS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs met in executive session and was briefed by Ambassador Sol M. Linowitz, U.S. Representative to the OAS and U.S. Representative on the Inter-American Committee on the Alliance for Progress, on recent developments in the Organization of American States.

ESSA

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Committee held a hearing on H.R. 17993, to provide for the appointment, promotion, separation, and retirement of commissioned officers of the Environmental Science Services Administration. One Government witness was heard. Following the open hearing, the committee met in executive session but no final action was taken. The committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation continued hearings on the present methods for adjusting Federal salaries under the various statutory pay systems. The hearings will be resumed on Friday, September 20.

LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Committee continued hearings on H.R. 386, and related bills, providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Two public witnesses were heard. Hearings will be resumed on Thursday, September 19.

Joint Committee Meetings

FARM BILL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17126, extending and improving programs to maintain farm income, stabilize prices, and assure adequate supplies of agricultural commodities. The conferees agreed to a 1-year extension of present farm programs.

WILD RIVERS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 119, to reserve certain public lands for a national wild rivers system.

APPROPRIATIONS—INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

FOOD STAMPS

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp

Act for fiscal year 1969, and agreed to disagree to the House amendment dealing with eligibility of strikers and college students to receive food stamps.

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Thursday, September 26.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27557–27600

Bills Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4059–4060. Page 27558

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, with amendments (S. Rept. 1576). Page 27558

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendment S. 2589, to provide for regulation in D.C. of retail installment sales of certain consumer goods and services. Pages 27564–27573

Private Bill: H.R. 6862, private bill, was passed with committee amendment. Pages 27573–27574

North Cascades National Park: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1321, creating North Cascades National Park, Ross Lake Recreation Area, and Lake Chelan Recreation Area, State of Washington. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 27575

National Trails: Conference report was adopted on S. 827, to establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes. In this connection, Senate adopted S. Con. Res. 79, to correct errors in enrollment of S. 827. Pages 27575–27576

Water: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 3058, to increase authorizations for water resources planning activities. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 27576

Redwood National Park: S. 2515, authorizing establishment of Redwood National Park, Calif., was cleared for President when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 27578–27590

Tariff: Senate passed with amendment H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore, as amended by adoption of committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) which had been amended by adoption, by 34 yeas to 27 nays, of Williams of Delaware amendment to eliminate section 2 thereof which would have provided tax credit for certain small business losses. Prior to adoption of this amendment it had first been rejected by tie vote of 33 yeas to 33 nays, following which Senate voted, by 32 yeas to 30 nays, to reconsider this action in rejecting amendment.

Rejected on division vote was Metcalf amendment (to committee substitute amendment) to eliminate section 4 thereof which would continue for 2 years the temporary suspension of duty on copper and increase the "peril price" on copper. Pages 27601–27617

Defense Appropriations: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that it will be in order on Monday, September 23, to consider H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. Page 27610

Tariff: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings. Pages 27616–27617

Taxation: Senate took up H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts. Pages 27617–27620, 27625–27626

Agriculture: Conference report on H.R. 17126, to amend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, was adopted. Page 27620

CIA: Senate cleared for White House H.R. 18786, equalizing cost-of-living adjustment procedure for retirees under the CIA retirement system with such procedures of the civil service retirement system, when Senate passed the bill without amendment. Pages 27574, 27620

Foreign Aid: H.R. 15263, fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 27620–27625

Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting report, dated June 6, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on review of report on Gulf Intra-Coastal Waterway, St. Marks to Tampa Bay, Fla., was received, referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as a Senate document. Page 27558

Nominations: Nomination of Albert B. Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Com-

mission, was received under prior authorization during Senate adjournment on September 18.

Senate received 27 postmaster nominations today.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

Prior to this action, Defense Subcommittee, in executive session, approved this bill for full committee consideration.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H.R. 18248, requiring the D.C. government to pay to bus companies the difference between reduced school fare and the lowest adult fare (amended);

S. 3883, authorizing the D.C. to convey certain property owned by the D.C. government in Prince William County, Va., to that county (amended);

H.R. 14098, authorizing D.C. Commissioner to provide for inspection of motor vehicles not registered in the D.C.; and

H.R. 13480, to limit requirement for proof of future financial responsibility to serious traffic offenses in the D.C.

Prior to this action, Subcommittee on Fiscal Affairs, in executive session, approved for full committee consideration H.R. 18248, S. 3883, and H.R. 14098.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY RESPONSIBILITY

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on Business and Commerce held hearings on H.R. 13480, to limit requirement for proof of future financial responsibility to serious traffic offenses in the D.C., with testimony from Thomas F. Moyer, Assistant Corporation Counsel, accompanied by Joseph P. Murphy, Chief, Safety Responsibility Division, Department of Motor Vehicles, and Milton D. Korman, judge, court of general sessions, all of the D.C. government.

This bill was subsequently approved for reporting by the full committee.

NOMINATIONS, AND TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nominations of William G. Bowdler, to be Ambassador to El Salvador; Arthur W. Hummel, Jr., to be Ambassador to Burma; and Leo J. Sheridan, to be Ambassador to Ireland, where the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf. Senator Dirksen appeared in support of Mr. Sheridan.

Committee also held hearings on Astronaut Assistance and Return Agreement (Ex. K, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Leonard C. Meeker, legal adviser, Department of State; and on Convention Establishing a Customs Cooperation Council (Ex. G, 90th Cong., second sess.) and Convention on Transit Trade of Land-Locked States (Ex. I, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Howard L. Worthington, Director, Office of International Trade, Department of State.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs held hearings on H.R. 3306, S. 1624, and S. 1625, bills relating to the conveyance of certain Federal lands to the Pueblo de Taos Indians, with testimony from Senator Anderson; Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; Arthur W. Greeley, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Rev. Lee G. Hobert, New Mexico Council of Churches; John Belindo, National Congress of American Indians; and Joe K. Phipps, National Committee for Restoration of the Blue Lake Lands of the Taos Indians.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, with further testimony from Dr. B. Harvey Minchew, Acting Director, accompanied by Dr. Robert S. McCleery, Acting Deputy Director, both of the Bureau of Medicine, and William W. Goodrich, Chief Counsel, all of the Food and Drug Administration, Department of HEW.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, September 25.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 19908–19919; 24 private bills, H.R. 19920–19943; and three resolutions, H. Res. 1308–1310, were introduced.

Pages 27670, 27677–27678

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 19908, the foreign assistance appropriations (H. Rept. 1906);

H. Res. 1308, a resolution waiving points of order against H.R. 19908, the foreign assistance appropriations (H. Rept. 1907);

S. 3068, to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1964, as amended (H. Rept. 1908);

H.R. 18980, to authorize the government of the District of Columbia to convey interests in certain property owned by the District of Columbia in Prince William County, Va., and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 1909);

S. 2017, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into contracts for the inspection, maintenance, and repair of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings for periods not to exceed 3 years (H. Rept. 1910);

S. 2496, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into and renew reciprocal agreements for police mutual aid on behalf of the District of Columbia with the local governments in the Washington metropolitan area (H. Rept. 1911);

S. 2592, to amend section 539 of the act approved March 3, 1901, so as to provide notice of the enforcement of a security interest in real property in the District of Columbia to the owner of such real property and the Commissioner of the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 1912);

S. 1246, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into leases for the rental of, or to use or permit the use of public space in, on, over, and under the streets and alleys under his jurisdiction, other than freeways, and for other purposes, with amendment (H. Rept. 1913)—referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union;

S. 1247, to authorize the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to fix and collect rents for the occupancy of space in, on, under, or over the streets of the District of Columbia, to authorize the closing of unused or unsafe vaults under such streets and the correction of dangerous conditions of vaults in or vault openings on public spaces, and for other purposes, with amendment (H. Rept. 1914); and

S. 2012, to amend the District of Columbia Public School Food Services Act, with amendment (H. Rept. 1915). Page 27677

Foreign Assistance Act: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 15263, the Foreign Assistance Act of 1968, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 27629–27637

Independent Offices Appropriations: Agreed to the conference report on H.R. 17023, the Independent Offices-HEW Appropriations Act, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 27637–27645

Pawnee Indians: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 5910, regarding the Pawnee Indian Tribe, Oklahoma, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Page 27645

Foreign Assistance Appropriations: By a record vote of 173 yeas to 139 nays the House passed H.R. 19908, the foreign assistance appropriations.

Rejected an amendment to provide additional funds for the Alliance for Progress.

By a record vote of 293 yeas to 58 nays, the House voted to consider H. Res. 1308, waiving points of order against H.R. 19908.

By a record vote of 270 yeas to 64 nays the House voted to resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the consideration of H.R. 19908. Pages 27629, 27646–27668

Enrollment: Adopted H. Con. Res. 79, to correct errors in enrollment of S. 827, thus clearing S. 827 for the White House. Page 27668

Committee Assignment: Adopted H. Res. 1310, electing James M. Collins to the Committee on Education and Labor. Page 27670

Intergovernmental Cooperation: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 698, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Holifield, Blatnik, Reuss, Dwyer, and Erlenborn. Page 27670

House Office Building Commission: Appointed Representative Cramer to the House Office Building Commission. Page 27670

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of September 25. Page 27669

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported to the House the foreign assistance appropriation bill.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House the following bills:

S. 1246, District of Columbia Public Space Utilization Act (amended);

S. 1247, District of Columbia Public Space Rental Act (amended);

S. 2012, to amend District of Columbia Public School Food Services Act (amended);

H.R. 18980, authorizes the government of the District of Columbia to convey interest in property owned by the District of Columbia in Prince William County, Va., to Prince William County, Va. (amended);

S. 2496, authorizes the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into and renew reciprocal agreements for police mutual aid on behalf of the District of Columbia with the local governments in the Washington metropolitan area;

S. 2017, authorizes the Commissioner of the District of Columbia to enter into contracts for the inspection, maintenance, and repair of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings for periods not to exceed 3 years; and

S. 2592, to amend section 539 of the act approved March 3, 1901, so as to provide notice of the enforcement of a security interest in real property in the District of Columbia to the owner of such real property and the Commissioner of the District of Columbia.

The committee also agreed to have further hearings on H.R. 19740, to authorize banks, savings and loan associations, and other regulated lenders in the District of Columbia to charge or deduct interest in advance on loans to be repaid in installments.

OLDER AMERICANS—EISENHOWER COLLEGE

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered favorably reported to the House H.R. 19747, Older Americans Act amendments, and H.R. 19831, Eisenhower College authorization bill.

ASIAN AND PACIFIC

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs met in executive session for a briefing by William P. Bundy, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

EQUAL TIME

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session and approved S.J. Res. 175, to suspend for the 1968 campaign the equal time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President. The committee will meet again to consider reporting the bill.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 met in executive session and acted on several private immigration bills.

PRIVATE CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 met in executive session and acted on several private claim bills.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued their hearings on the Newspaper Preservation Act, H.R. 19123, and related bills. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CIVIL SERVICE BENEFITS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits met in executive session and approved for full committee action S. 1190, computation of surviving spouses' annuities of reemployed annuitants. The committee postponed action on S. 1507, to include firefighters within hazardous occupation retirement provisions. The subcommittee will meet again on September 25.

LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Continued their hearings on H.R. 386, and related bills, providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Testimony was heard from Representative Bingham and a Government and public witness.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted a rule waiving all points of order against H.R. 19908, appropriations for foreign assistance and related agencies for fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Testimony was heard from Representatives Mahon, Shriver and Passman.

Joint Committee Meetings

FOOD STAMPS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 3068, to increase authorizations for operation of the food stamp program. As agreed by the conferees the House amendment dealing with the eligibility of strikers and college students to receive food stamps would be deleted from the bill.

HEALTH

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27746–27774

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows: S. 4061. Page 27746

Bill Referred: H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, was referred to Committee on Appropriations. Page 27718

Bill Placed on Calendar: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic

devices, and the bill was ordered to be placed on calendar. Pages 27790–27791

Retirement of Capital: Senate passed without amendment S. 3986, to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks.

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OAS: H.R. 16175, authorizing use of certain D.C. property as sites for construction of headquarters of the OAS and governments of foreign countries, was passed without amendment and cleared for President. Page 27720

Noxious Plants: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 2671, providing for control of noxious plants on land under control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government. Pages 27718–27720

Merchant Marine: H.R. 17524, to amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act relative to construction-differential subsidies, was passed after adoption of Lausche-Williams of Delaware amendment to limit extension of authority to June 30, 1969, instead of June 30, 1970.

Pages 27725–27739

Defense Appropriations: Senators Mansfield and Russell submitted notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing an amendment to H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment. Pages 27748–27749

Taxation: Senate continued its consideration of H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, taking the following actions on amendments:

Adopted: All committee amendments which were thereafter considered as original text for purpose of further amendment; Miller amendment No. 940 to add new section respecting crop insurance proceeds; and, by 32 yeas to 22 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Anderson amendment No. 955 (for himself and others) to eliminate section 5 of the bill as reported having to do with advertising income derived by tax-exempt organizations from publishing periodicals; and

Rejected: By 12 yeas to 42 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Hartke-Hart amendment No. 981 to eliminate section 2 of reported bill providing that a reasonable differentiation between male and female employees in retirement plans or practices shall not be considered to be discriminatory because of sex or age.

Pending at adjournment was Long (Louisiana)-Hill amendment No. 997 to add new section to exempt employees of Social Security Administration from total employee limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968. During consideration of this amendment it was determined during quorum call that there was not a quorum present and the Senate accordingly adjourned, under previous order, until 10 a.m. Monday, September 23. Pages 27774–27776, 27778–27791

Authority To Report: Order was entered that during adjournment of Senate until noon Monday, September 23, all committees are authorized to file reports with any additional, supplemental, or minority views.

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Secretary of Senate: Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from President and House of Representatives during adjournment of Senate until Monday, September 23. Pages 27791–27792

Nomination: Nomination of Francesco Costagliola, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, was received. Page 27793

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

D.C. ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 7417, to prescribe administrative procedures for the D.C. government.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the following items of executive business:

Partial Revision of the Geneva Radio Regulations (Ex. F, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Gordon L. Huffcutt, Office of Telecommunications, Department of State;

Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards (Ex. E, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Richard D. Kearney, member, International Law Commission, Department of State; and

Protocol relating to the status of refugees (Ex. K, 90th Cong., second sess.), with testimony from Lawrence A. Dawson, Office of Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Refugee and Migration Affairs.

INDIANS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Indian Affairs continued hearings on H.R. 3306, S. 1624, and S. 1625, bills relating to the conveyance of certain Federal lands to the Pueblo de Taos Indians, receiving testimony from William C. Schaab, an attorney of Albuquerque; Querino Romero, Governor, and Paul J. Bernal, both representing the delegation from Taos Pueblo; Elmer A. LaCome, Taos County Commissioner; J. Warner Little, president, New Mexico Wildlife and Conservation Association, Inc.; N. Preston Gunter, Sportsmen's Legislative Action Committee of New Mexico; Kenneth B. Pomeroy, chief forester, American Forestry Association; Louis Clapper, National Wildlife Federation; and Dean Kelley, National Council of Churches.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL SALARIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Compensation concluded their hearings on the present methods for adjusting Federal salaries under the various statutory pay systems.

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Monday, September 23, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27814–27847

Bills Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4062–4068; and S. Res. 395.

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Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3883, authorizing the D.C. to convey certain property owned by the D.C. government in Prince William County, Va., to that county, with amendments (S. Rept. 1577).

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Appointments by Vice President: It was announced that Vice President has appointed Senators Sparkman and Hickenlooper as Advisers to attend the annual meeting of the Board of Governors, International Monetary Fund and World Bank, to be held September 30–October 4 at Washington, D.C. Page 27816

Taxation: Senate continued its work on H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, taking the following actions on additional amendments:

Adopted: Kuchel-Magnuson amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) respecting liability for estate tax in operation of pension plans in community property States.

Order was entered that record vote be taken at 10:15 a.m. Tuesday, September 24, on modified Long of Louisiana-Hill amendment No. 997 to add new section to exempt employees of Social Security Administration from total employee limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968. This amendment was modified by acceptance of Miller amendment providing that if additional employees are needed for Social Security Administration they shall be supplied from within the limitations on number of civilian employees in the executive branch.

Rejected: By 23 yeas to 37 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), modified Sparkman amendment, for himself and other Senators (in the nature of a substitute for Long of Louisiana-Hill amendment No. 997 to add new section to exempt employees of Social Security Administration from total employee limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968).

Pending at adjournment was Ellender amendment respecting amounts in excess of those estimated in budget for special activities of Commodity Credit Corporation.

Bills Cleared for President: The following three bills were cleared for President when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto:

Fish protein: S. 3030, authorizing funds to construct an experimental and demonstration plant to develop fish protein concentrate;

Commercial fisheries: S. 3866, to extend for 3 years the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act; and

Wilderness: S. 2751, designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon. Pages 27883, 27887

Senate Convening Time: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that Senate will meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday through Friday of this week, and it was announced that Senate will be in session on Saturday, September 28.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee began, in executive session, hearings on H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony from Walter C. Sauer, Vice President and Chairman of the Board of Directors, Export-Import Bank of the United States; John R. Petty, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs, on funds for the Inter-American Development Bank and Asian Development Bank; and Livingston T. Merchant, U.S. Executive Director, International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, for the International Development Association.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider draft report on the Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.).

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Five public bills, H.R. 19944–19948; seven private bills, H.R. 19949–19955; and two resolutions, H. Con. Res. 824 and H. Res. 1311, were introduced. Page 27814

Bill Reported: One report was filed as follows: H.R. 18797, to revise the law governing contests of elections of Members of the House of Representatives (H. Rept. 1916). Page 27814

D.C. Parking Facilities: The House considered H.R. 17854, to authorize construction of District of Columbia parking facilities.

On a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia a point of order was made that a quorum was not present (the automatic rollcall vote will go over until Wednesday by a previous agreement of the House). Upon conclusion of the quorum call the Speaker announced that 188 Members were present and a motion to adjourn the House was adopted by a voice vote. Pages 27804–27809

Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Page 27813

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:22 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held today.

Joint Committee Meetings

NOMINATION

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Senate members of the committee approved for reporting the nomination of Francesco Costagliola, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, prior to which action, in open hearings, favoring testimony was received from Dr. Gerald Tape, member, Atomic Energy Commission; and Carl Walske, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Atomic Energy.

AUTO MASTER KEYS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches.

Tuesday, September 24, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 27901–27926

Bills Introduced: Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4069–4073. Page 27906

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 13160, 14079, and 9089, private bills (S. Repts. 1578–1580); and

H.R. 7417, to prescribe administrative procedures for the D.C. government, with amendment (S. Rept. 1581). Page 27906

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendments S. 3883, authorizing the D.C. to convey certain property owned by the D.C. government in Prince William County, Va., to that county. Pages 27901–27902

Blue Ridge Parkway: H.R. 1340, authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept donations of land for use in extending Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina and Georgia, was passed without amendment. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 27902–27906

Authority To Meet: Committee on Rules and Administration was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Wednesday, September 25. Page 27936

Taxation: Senate continued its work on amendments to H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, taking the following actions on additional amendments:

Adopted: By 64 yeas to 3 nays, modified Long of Louisiana-Hill amendment No. 997 to add new section to exempt employees of Social Security Administration from total employee limitations of Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968 provided that any additional employees shall be supplied from within the limitations on number of civilian employees in the executive branch; by 36 yeas to 34 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Ellender amendment No. 1004 (for himself and other Senators) to exempt price support expenditures and obligations by Commodity Credit Corporation in excess of budget estimates from the reductions required by the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968; by 37 yeas to 29 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Byrd of West Virginia amendment (for himself and other Senators) exempting certain activities of the Soil Conservation Service from limitations in Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968; and,

by 44 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Long (Louisiana) amendment providing a revised formula for payments to States toward medicaid program and barring payments for medicaid to individuals whose income exceeds an amount to be determined in accordance with certain standards; and

Rejected: By 25 yeas to 45 nays, Hart amendment as a substitute for Ellender amendment No. 1004 described above.

This bill remained Senate's unfinished business in legislative session when Senate went into executive session.

Pages 27926–27961

Fortas Nomination: Mansfield motion to proceed to consider executive business was adopted and Mansfield motion to proceed to consider the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, on which the yeas and nays were ordered, was pending question in executive session when Senate recessed. Page 27961

Nominations: Senate received the following nominations: Numerous diplomatic and Foreign Service, two judicial, numerous Army; and withdrawal of one postmaster nomination. Pages 27962–27964

Recess: Recessed at 6:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony from James V. Siena, Deputy Under Secretary of the Army for International Affairs, on funds for the administration of the Ryukyu Islands; Jack Hood Vaughn, Director of the Peace Corps; Graham Martin, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for Refugee and Migration Affairs, on funds for migration and refugee assistance; Joseph H. Meyers, Deputy Administrator, Social and Rehabilitation Service, Department of HEW, on funds for assistance to refugees in the U.S.; and several public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

William G. Bowdler, to be Ambassador to El Salvador;

Angier Biddle Duke, to be Ambassador to Denmark;

Arthur W. Hummel, to be Ambassador to Burma;

Leo J. Sheridan, to be Ambassador to Ireland;

George W. Ball, of New York, William C. Foster, of the D.C., Senator Cooper, and Senator Symington, to be U.S. representatives to the 23d session of the U.N. General Assembly;

William B. Buffum, of Maryland, Louis Stulberg, of New York, and Mrs. Harvey Picker, of New York, to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 23d session of the U.N. General Assembly;

William Benton, of Connecticut, Alvin Christian Eurich, of Colorado, Katie Scofield Louchheim, of the D.C., James H. McCrocklin, of Texas, and Frederick Seitz, of Illinois, to be U.S. representatives to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO;

Robert H. B. Wade, of Maryland, Marietta Moody Brooks, of Texas, Elizabeth Ann Brown, of Oregon, Morton Keller, of Massachusetts, and George E. Taylor, of Washington, to be alternate U.S. representatives to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO; and

Wayland P. Moody, of Texas, Arnold M. Picker, of New York, and Thomas E. Robinson, of New Jersey, to be members of the U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs.

Committee also approved the following treaties:

Convention establishing a Customs Cooperation Council (Ex. G, 90th Cong., second sess.);

Astronaut Assistance and Return Agreement (Ex. J, 90th Cong., second sess.);

Convention on Transit Trade of Land-Locked States (Ex. I, 90th Cong., second sess.);

Partial Revision of the Geneva Radio Regulations (Ex. F, 90th Cong., second sess.);

Convention on the Recongition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards (Ex. E, 90th Cong., second sess.); and

Protocol relating to the status of refugees (Ex. K, 90th Cong., second sess.).

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider S. 3378, relating to U.S. contribution to the International Development Association, and H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for foreign military sales program.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: One public bill, H.R. 19956; and nine private bills, H.R. 19957–19965, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 119, regarding the national wild and scenic rivers system (H. Rept. 1917); and

Conference report on H.R. 14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches (H. Rept. 1918). Page 27965

Vocational Education: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18366, the Vocational Education Amendments of 1968; agreed to a conference with the Senate;

and appointed as conferees Representatives Perkins, Green of Oregon, Pucinski, Brademas, William D. Ford, Meeds, Scheuer, Hawkins, Gibbons, Albert, Ayers, Quie, Ashbrook, Scherle, Steiger of Wisconsin, Dellenback, Eshleman, and Bell. Pages 27964–27965

Adjournment: Adjourned at 12:09 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AVIATION

Committee on Armed Services: Ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 12012, amended, to encourage worldwide interest in U.S. developments and accomplishments in military and related aviation and equipment by authorizing Federal sponsorship of an International Aeronautical Exposition in the United States; and H.R. 19753, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to acquire and convey to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts certain lands in Essex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in exchange for certain other lands. The committee heard testimony from government witnesses and a public witness before taking action on the measures.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

Committee on Banking and Currency: Held a hearing on Federal Reserve Board interpretation of Federal statutes regarding stock purchases by member banks of the System and the ruling which allows banks to establish loan production offices. One public witness was heard.

AIR PIRACY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held an executive briefing on air piracy in the Caribbean. Two Government witnesses were heard.

LAND ACQUISITION

Committee on Public Works: Continued hearings on legislation providing for uniform relocation assistance and land acquisition policy. Three departmental witnesses were heard. Hearings were concluded for the present.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held a hearing on adequacy of aeronautical research and development. Two Government witnesses were heard.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AMENDMENTS

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968.

Wednesday, September 25, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28111–28153, 28180–28227

Bills Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4074–4077; S. Con. Res. 80; and S. Res. 396. Pages 28228–28229

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 385, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 11) (S. Rept. 1582);

S. Res. 390, to print additional copies of Select Committee on Small Business hearings entitled "Economic Development Opportunity" (S. Rept. 1583);

S. Res. 392, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 10) (S. Rept. 1584);

S. Res. 395, to print as a Senate document a history of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (S. Rept. 1585);

S. 1943, providing salary increases for certain members of the police force of the Library of Congress, with amendments (S. Rept. 1586);

S. Res. 382, to establish a Commission on Arts and Antiquities of the U.S. Senate, with amendments (S. Rept. 1587);

S. Res. 386, requesting an additional $30,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations (no written report);

S. Res. 393, requesting an additional $2,500 for expenses of the Committee on the Judiciary (no written report); and

S. Res. 396, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee (no written report).

Page 28228

Executive Sessions: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that when Senate completes its business today and tomorrow it recess, as in executive session, until 10 a.m. Thursday and Friday, respectively. Page 28160

Independent Offices Appropriations: H.R. 17023, fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report and agreed to House amendment to Senate amendment No. 41, respecting availability of appropriations for contributions toward expenses of certain executive department groups (motion to reconsider tabled). Pages 28171–28180

Fortas Nomination: Senate debated Mansfield motion to consider the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States.

Pages 28111–28129, 28153–28171

Treaty Received: President transmitted communication with a copy of the Convention on Offenses and certain other acts committed on board aircraft, signed at Tokyo, on September 14, 1963 (Ex. L, 90th Cong., second sess.)—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

Pages 28227–28228

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Four judicial, 22 postmaster; and withdrawal of one postmaster nomination. Page 28230

Recess: Recessed at 5:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, receiving testimony from William S. Gaud, Administrator, Agency for International Development; and Paul C. Warnke, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Commerce: Committee held hearings on the nominations of A. Bushong Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; and Clarence F. Pautzke, of Washington, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife. Testimony in favor of Mr. Pautzke was received from Senator Jackson. The nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Philip J. Daugherty, of the D.C., to be a member of the D.C. Council, with testimony from J. C. Turner, president, Greater Washington Central Labor Council, AFL–CIO; and Bruce J. Terris, D.C. Democratic Central Committee. Mr. Daugherty was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

IDA, AND FOREIGN MILITARY SALES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider S. 3378, providing for U.S. contribution of $480 million to the International Development Association; and H.R. 15681, authorizing a $296 million military sales program, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following measures:

H.R. 5117, authorizing funds to construct and operate the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas;

S. 2553, to authorize modification of operation and relocation of costs of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation (amended);

H.R. 17684, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico;

H.R. 18885, providing for distribution of judgment funds in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma;

H.R. 17273, permitting appointment of guardians to protect the interest of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians;

H.R. 551, authorizing establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida;

H.R. 13099, authorizing establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in North Carolina;

H.R. 17787, authorizing funds to satisfy judgments against the U.S. in condemnation proceedings for Padre Island National Seashore, Tex.; and

H.R. 8781, authorizing exchange of certain public lands in Shasta County, Calif.

Also, committee approved an original resolution calling for referral to the Court of Claims to determine the real equities and report back to Congress relative to the bill H.R. 10256, to render the assertion of land claims by the U.S. based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defenses to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject.

Committee also approved the nomination of T. Harold Scott, to be a member of the Indian Claims Commission, prior to which action, the nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

AIRCRAFT CRASH LITIGATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Improvements in Judicial Machinery resumed hearings on S. 3305 and S. 3306, providing for Federal jurisdiction and a body of uniform Federal law for cases arising out of aviation and space activities, having as its witnesses Judge James Skelly Wright, U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit; and Judge Thomas J. Clary, U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Pennsylvania.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

S. Res. 386, requesting an additional $30,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations;

S. Res. 393, requesting an additional $2,500 for expenses of the Committee on the Judiciary;

S. Res. 392, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 10);

S. Res. 385, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 11);

S. Res. 390, to print additional copies of Select Committee on Small Business hearings entitled "Economic Development Opportunity";

S. Res. 395, to print as a Senate document a History of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare;

S. 1943, providing salary increases for certain members of the police force of the Library of Congress (amended);

S. Res. 382, to establish a Commission on Arts and Antiquities of the U.S. Senate (amended);

S. 3174, to establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution (amended); and

An original resolution (S. Res. 396) authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee.

Committee also approved (1) a 10-percent increase in senatorial telegram allotments, and (2) a request from Senator Scott to accept three decorations which have been awarded to him by Korea, Greece, and Guatemala, respectively.

DRUG PRICES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly resumed its series of hearings on competitive problems in the drug industry, with testimony from Philip R. Lee, Assistant Secretary of HEW for Health and Scientific Affairs.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 27 public bills, H.R. 19966–19992; 55 private bills, H.R. 19993–20047; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1459 and 1460, H. Con. Res. 825 and 826, and H. Res. 1312, were introduced. **Pages 28109–28110**

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 3769, Higher Education Amendments of 1968 (H. Rept. 1919);

H.R. 12012, regarding Federal sponsorship of an International Aeronautical Exposition in the United States, amended (H. Rept. 1920);

H.R. 19753, regarding lands in Essex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (H. Rept. 1921);

H.R. 19747, to strengthen and improve the Older Americans Act (H. Rept. 1922);

H.R. 19831, regarding funds for Eisenhower College, Seneca Falls, N.Y. (H. Rept. 1923);

Conference report on H.R. 15758, to amend the Public Health Service Act (H. Rept. 1924); and

H.R. 18205, regarding civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, amended (H. Rept. 1925). **Page 28109**

Firearms Control: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 17735, the State Firearms Control Assistance Act; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Celler, Rodino, Donohue, Kastenmeier, McCulloch, Mathias of Maryland, and MacGregor. **Page 27982**

D.C. Parking: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 17854, authorizing the construction of District of Columbia parking facilities, amendment.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 944 in lieu of H.R. 17854 after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

A motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia was rejected by a record vote of 127 yeas to 225 nays. **Pages 27983–27990**

Food-Agriculture Act: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 17126, the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, by a record vote of 189 yeas to 172 nays, and sent the legislation to the Senate. **Pages 27990–28001**

Aluminum Oxide: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 7735, to make permanent the existing suspensions of duty on aluminum oxide when imported for use in producing aluminum, on calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Karsten, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis. **Page 28001**

Iron Castings: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 653, to amend the Tariff Schedules of the United States with respect to the rate of duty on certain nonmalleable iron castings; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mills, Boggs, Karsten, Byrnes of Wisconsin, and Curtis. **Page 28001**

Food Stamp Program: Adopted, by a record vote of 245 yeas to 98 nays, the conference report on S. 3068, the food stamp program, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Rejected a motion to recommit to committee of conference with instructions regarding persons eligible to participate in the food stamp plan, by a record vote of 158 yeas to 187 nays. **Pages 28001–28010**

Scenic Rivers: Adopted by a voice vote the conference report on S. 119, the national wild and scenic rivers system, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Pages 28010–28017

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 19910 and H.R. 6269, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended. Testimony was heard from Representatives Meed and Horton and departmental and public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Foley and Thompson of New Jersey.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued hearing on Reserve Board interpretation of Federal statutes regarding stock purchases by member banks of the System and the ruling which allows banks to establish loan production offices. Testimony was heard from two government witnesses. The committee adjourned subject to call.

VIETNAM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, met in executive session for a briefing on Vietnam by James P. Grant, Assistant Administrator for Vietnam, and Joseph A. Mendenhall, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Vietnam, Agency for International Development.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, met in executive session on pending business. No annoucements were made.

EQUAL TIME—TRUST AGREEMENTS—AIRCRAFT LOANS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: In executive session ordered favorably reported to the House S.J. Res. 175, suspension of equal time requirement on political broadcast, amended; H.R. 7151 (in lieu of S. 913), to amend part III of the Interstate Commerce Act to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers; and S. 2499, to extend the act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees, amended.

IMMIGRATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, approved for full committee action S. 3488, amended, to provide for the admission under the Immigration and Nationality Act to the United States of not more than 205 inhabitants and their children of the Bonin Islands within 2 years of enactment who meet other specified qualifications under the act. The committee also acted on several private immigration bills.

FIREMEN'S COMPENSATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 2 held a hearing on H.R. 16898, and related bills, to provide compensation for firemen not employed by the U.S. killed or injured in the performance of duty during a civil disorder. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wolff, Ruppe, Horton, Foley, Edmondson, Thompson of New Jersey, and two public witnesses. Statements for the record were submitted by Representatives Friedel, Galifianakis, Long of Maryland, Pryor, Van Deerlin, and Adams.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 19123, and related bills, the Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, and Edwin M. Zimmerman, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice.

FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Retirement, Insurance, and Health Benefits, approved for full committee action S. 1507, to include firefighters within hazardous occupation retirement provisions.

POSTAL FACILITIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Facilities and Modernization continued research and engineering presentation. Testimony was heard from Post Office Department witnesses.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on adequacy of aeronautical research and development. Government witnesses and one public witness were heard.

Joint Committee Meetings

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AMENDMENTS

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968.

Thursday, September 26, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28300–28326

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4078–4088. Page 28323

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 3615, authorizing conveyance to the Port of Cascade Locks, Oregon, interest in certain lands for municipal purposes, with amendments (S. Rept. 1588);

S. 2553, to authorize modification of operation and relocation of costs of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation, with amendments (S. Rept. 1589);

H.R. 17684, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico (S. Rept. 1590);

H.R. 5117, authorizing funds to construct and operate the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas (S. Rept. 1591);

H.R. 13099, authorizing establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in North Carolina (S. Rept. 1592);

H.R. 17273, permitting appointment of guardians to protect the interest of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians (S. Rept. 1593); and

H.R. 18885, providing for the distribution of judgment funds in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma (S. Rept. 1594). Page 28322

Renegotiation Act: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 17324, Renegotiation Amendments Act of 1968, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long of Louisiana, Smathers, Anderson, Gore, Talmadge, Hartke, Williams of Delaware, Carlson, Bennett, and Curtis. Page 28310

Tariff: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long of Louisiana, Smathers, Anderson, Williams of Delaware, and Carlson. Page 28310

Wild Rivers: Conference report was adopted on S. 119, to reserve certain public lands for a national wild rivers system. This action cleared bill for White House.

Pages 28310–28314

Private Bill: H.R. 3865, private bill, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Page 28310

Authority To Meet: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions of Committee on Banking and Currency was authorized to meet while Senate is in session September 30–October 4. Page 28326

Mailing of Master Keys: Conference report was adopted on H.R. 14935, permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches. Page 28314

Food Stamps: Senate agreed to conference report on S. 3068, authorizing $245 million for the Food Stamp Act for fiscal year 1969. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 28314

Appointments to Board: It was announced the Vice President has appointed Senators Byrd of Virginia and Javits to attend as advisers the annual meeting of the Board of Governors, International Monetary Fund and World Bank to be held September 30–October 4 at Washington, D.C. Page 28326

Fortas Nomination: Senate debated Mansfield motion to consider the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States.

Pages 28251–28265, 28268–28285, 28290–28300, 28326

Confirmations: On Wednesday, September 25, Senate confirmed the following nominations: Francesco Costagliola, of Rhode Island, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission; 16 persons to be incorporators of the corporation authorized by section 902(a) of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968; William G. Bodler, of Florida, to be Ambassador to El Salvador; Leo J. Sheridan, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to Ireland; Arthur W. Hummel, Jr., of Maryland, to be Ambassador to Burma; Angier Biddle Duke, of New York, to be Ambassador to Denmark; George W. Ball, of New York, William C. Foster, of D.C., Senator John Sherman Cooper, of Kentucky, and Senator Stuart Symington, of Missouri, all to be representatives to the 23d session of the U.N. General Assembly, and William B. Buffum, of Maryland, Louis Stulberg, of New York, and Mrs. Harvey Picker, of New York, to be alternate representatives to the 23d session of the U.N. General Assembly; and three to be members of the U.S. Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs. Page 28230

Nominations Recommitted: On Wednesday, September 25, Senate by unanimous consent recommitted to Committee on Foreign Relations six nominations to be representatives and four to be alternate representatives, respectively, to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO. Page 28230

Treaty Reported: Treaty on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.) was reported, with minority and individual views (Ex. Rept. 9). Page 28323

Nomination: Nomination of James R. Wiggins, of D.C., to be representative to the U.N. with rank and

status of Ambassador and also to be representative in the Security Council of the U.N., was received. Page 28326

Recess: Recessed at 5:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee concluded executive hearings on H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, after receiving testimony from Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Committee announced that it will hold an executive meeting tomorrow for the purpose of marking up this bill.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 15971, relating to procedures governing the conduct of Armed Forces courts-martial; and S. 3615, authorizing conveyance to the Port of Cascade Locks, Oregon, interest in certain lands for municipal purposes.

Committee also approved 5,151 nominations in the Army and Marine Corps.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 20048–20059; 23 private bills, H.R. 20060–20082; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1461, H. Con. Res. 827–836, and H. Res. 1313, were introduced. Pages 28431–28432

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 18101, to correct an inequity with respect to the applicability of the rules involving recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations, amended (H. Rept. 1926);

S. 2499, relating to aircraft loan guarantees extension, amended (H. Rept. 1927);

S.J. Res. 175, to suspend equal time requirements, amended (H. Rept. 1928);

Conference report on H.R. 3865, for the relief of Mauritz A. Sterner (H. Rept. 1929);

H.R. 15151, to promote the economic development of Guam, amended (H. Rept. 1930); and

S. 2671, to provide for the control of noxious plants on land under the control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government (H. Rept. 1931). Page 28431

Harry S. Truman: By a voice vote the House passed H.J. Res. 1459, recognizing the significant part which Harry S. Truman played in the creation of the United Nations. Page 28327

Education: By a voice vote the House agreed to the conference report on S. 3769, to amend the Higher Education Act, the National Defense Education Act, the National Vocational Student Loan Insurance Act, the Higher Education Facilities Act, and related acts. Pages 28328–28357

Message—Weather Modification: The House received a message from the President entitled "The Ninth Annual Report on Weather Modification." The message was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and ordered printed as a House document with illustrations. Pages 28357–28358

Federal Magistrates: By a voice vote the House passed S. 945, the Federal magistrates bill, with two technical amendments. The House defeated, by a vote of 64 yeas to 268 nays a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to limit the number of magistrates to 250 and to provide for Presidential appointment of the magistrates. Pages 28358–28366

Eisenhower College: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 19831, Eisenhower College bill. Pages 28366–28367

Senate Building Site: By a record vote of 144 yeas to 161 nays, the House defeated S. 2484, extension of the Senate Office Building site. Pages 28367–28374

Continuing Appropriations: The House, by a voice vote, passed H.J. Res. 1461, continuing appropriations until October 12 for Labor, HEW, Defense, and foreign aid.

Prior to passage of the bill the House rejected, by a record vote of 136 yeas to 163 nays, a substitute which would have limited the continuation to Defense; and, by a record vote of 135 yeas to 148 nays, a motion to recommit with instructions to amend the resolution to include only Defense and limit the extension to October 5, 1968. Pages 28374–28378

Late Report: Permission was granted to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to have until midnight Saturday, September 28, 1968, to file a report on H.R. 7151, to provide for the recording of trust agreements on water carriers. Page 28381

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LANDS SALE—NOXIOUS PLANTS—MARKETING AGREEMENT—ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Committee on Agriculture: In executive session ordered favorably reported to the House S. 3736, amended (in lieu of H.R. 18496), sale of certain lands to village of Central, N. Mex.; and S. 2671 (in lieu of H.R. 14158), to provide for the control of noxious plants on land under the control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government.

The committee also considered H.R. 19910 and H.R. 6269, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, but no final action was taken and consideration of these two bills will be resumed next week. Prior to the executive session, the committee held an open hearing on H.R. 14056, to amend section 402 of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended, in order to remove certain restrictions against alcoholic beverages under title I of such act, and heard testimony from a Department of Agriculture witness; testifying on H.R. 14158 (explanation above) were Representative Foley; Dr. Charles E. Ellington, director of agriculture, State of Maryland; and a departmental witness.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Power met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Accounts met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5 continued hearings on H.R. 19123, and related bills, the Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

POSTAL FACILITIES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Postal Facilities and Modernization met in executive session to hear representatives of the Post Office Department and Department of Defense on adequacy of postal facilities at military installations.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology held another meeting on aeronautical research and development. Hearings to be continued next week.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees continued, in afternoon and evening sessions, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

Friday, September 27, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28600–28622

Bills Introduced: 13 bills and 11 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4089–4101; and S. Res. 397–407.

Pages 28615, 28619–28620

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, with amendments (S. Rept. 1595); and

H.J. Res. 1461, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969 until October 12, 1968 (no written report).

Page 28615

Fortas Nomination: Senate debated Mansfield motion to consider the nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States.

Senator Mansfield filed cloture motion (signed by more than the required number of Senators) to close debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of this nomination, and under rule XXII vote will be taken on the cloture motion after quorum call 1 hour after Senate convenes on Tuesday, October 1.

Pages 28561–28567, 28570–28600

Public Health: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 15758, authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs. Pages 28600–28601

Tariff: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long of Louisiana, Smathers, Anderson, Williams of Delaware, and Carlson. Page 28601

Tariff: H.R. 17104, extending suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum, was cleared for White House when Senate receded from its amendment. Page 28601

Firearms Control: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Dodd, McClellan, Ervin, Eastland, Tydings, Magnuson, Pastore, Hart, Dirksen, Hruska, Thurmond, Scott, and Pearson.

Page 28601

Treaties Reported: The following four treaties were reported:

Convention on Foreign Arbitral Awards, with two declarations (Ex. E, 90th Cong., second sess.) (Ex. Rept. 10);

Convention on Transit Trade of Land-Locked States (Ex. I, 90th Cong., second sess.) (Ex. Rept. 11);

Convention on Customs Cooperation Council, with a reservation (Ex. G, 90th Cong., second sess.) (Ex. Rept. 12); and

Protocol to Geneva Radio Regulations (Ex. F, 90th Cong., second sess.) (Ex. Rept. 13). Page 28615

Nominations: Numerous Coast Guard and Air Force nominations were received. Pages 28622–28635

Recess: Recessed at 5:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported with amendments H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program. As approved by the committee, the bill would appropriate a total of $2,658,400,000, an increase of $317.3 million over the House-passed figure of $2,341,100,000.

CONTESTED POSTMASTER NOMINATIONS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee on Contested Nominations held and concluded hearings on several contested postmaster nominations.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR-HEW

Conferees, in executive session, on Thursday evening, September 26, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.

Monday, September 30, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 28790–28807

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced as follows: S. 4102–4104. Page 28806

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows:

H.R. 14098, authorizing D.C. Commissioner to provide for inspection of motor vehicles not registered in the D.C. (S. Rept. 1596). Page 28806

Fortas Nomination: Senate debated Mansfield motion to consider nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States.

By unanimous consent it was agreed that on Tuesday, October 1, time for debate on this matter between the prayer and quorum call at 1 p.m., prior to vote on cloture motion, will be equally divided. Pages 28729–28789

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.J. Res. 1461, continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969 until October 12, 1968. Page 28789

Former President Truman: H.J. Res. 1459, recognizing the significant part that former President Harry S. Truman played in the creation of the United Nations, was taken from desk and passed without amendment. This action cleared the resolution for White House. Page 28790

Eisenhower College: Senate took from desk, passed without amendment, and cleared for White House H.R. 19831, authorizing appropriations for grants to Eisenhower College, Seneca Falls, New York, as a living memorial to former President Dwight D. Eisenhower. Page 28790

Secretary of Senate: Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive messages from the President and refer same to appropriate committee during Senate recess this evening. Page 28790

Treaty Reported: Protocol relating to Refugees, with two reservations (Ex. K, 90th Cong., second sess.), was reported (Ex. Rept. 14). Page 28806

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Brewster C. Denny, of Washington, and James Russell Wiggins, of D.C., to be representatives to the 23rd session of the General Assembly of the U.N.; Marvin L. Warner, of Ohio, and Raymond D. Nasher, of Texas,

to be alternate representatives to the 23rd session of the General Assembly of the U.N.; and numerous Foreign Service Information officers, consular officers, and Secretaries, in the Diplomatic Service. Pages 28807–28809

Recess: Recessed at 5:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

URBAN FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions began a series of hearings to determine what financial institutions are doing now to help meet the investment and credit needs of the ghetto, and to explore what additional steps can be taken to channel more private investment into the inner city. Witnesses heard were Senators Mondale and Percy; Mayor Joseph Alioto of San Francisco, representing the U.S. Conference of Mayors and the National League of Cities; Ross D. Davis, Assistant Secretary for Economic Development, accompanied by Jonathan Lindley, Deputy Assistant Secretary, both of the Commerce Department, and Richard Allen, Economic Resources Corporation, Los Angeles; and William B. Ross, Deputy Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, the latter of whom submitted a statement.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

U.N. NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee held hearings on the nomination of James R. Wiggins, of the D.C., to be U.S. representative to the United Nations, with testimony from Lev E. Dobriansky, Professor at Georgetown University, and Chairman, National Captive Nations Committee. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to consider this nomination, and other committee business.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Five public bills, H.R. 20083–20087; 34 private bills, H.R. 20088–20121; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1462, and H. Con. Res. 837, were introduced. Page 28729

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 3736, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to the Village of Central, State of New Mexico, certain lands administered by him formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation, New Mexico, amended (H. Rept. 1933);

Conference report on S. 698, Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968 (H. Rept. 1934). Pages 28728–28729

D.C. Claims: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 8140, D.C. claims settlement, thus clearing the bill for White House action. Page 28691

Private Bill: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 6862, a private bill, thus clearing the bill for White House action. Page 28691

Aeronautical Exposition: The House by a voice vote passed H.R. 12012, International Aeronautical Exposition, amended. Pages 28691–28692

Ways and Means: The following bills reported from the Committee on Ways and Means were called up (by unanimous consent) and passed:

H.R. 6909, rate of duty on stethoscope parts, amended;

H.R. 7567, definition of compensation under Railroad Retirement Tax Act, amended;

H.R. 13419, free entry of Cuprophane, amended;

H.R. 15023, regulated investment companies, amended;

H.R. 15114, losses incurred in connection with redemption of savings notes;

H.R. 17332, credits and payments in the case of certain uses of gasoline and lubricating oil, amended;

H.R. 18253, effective date of 1966 change in definition of earned income for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals, amended;

H.R. 18373, implementing conventions for free admission of professional equipment and containers, and for ATA, ECS, and TIR Carnets, amended;

H.R. 18486, tax treatment of income from operation of communications satellite system, amended;

H.R. 18942, income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations, amended;

H.R. 15003, to prevent payment of multiple customs duties on certain racehorses, amended;

H.R. 11394, amending Internal Revenue Code re distilled spirits, amended;

H.R. 14095, relating to the production of wine, amended;

S. 1578, appropriation for U.S. contribution for International Union for Publication of Customs Tariffs;

H.R. 18101, rules involving recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations, amended. Pages 28692–28697, 28709

Chinese Gooseberries: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 2155, classification of Chinese Gooseberries, thus clearing the bill for White House action. Page 28709

Government Capital—Older Americans: Under a unanimous consent agreement the House may consider tomorrow or any day this week, under the general rules of the House, H.R. 19418, to expedite the retirement of Government capital from the Federal intermediate credit banks; and H.R. 19747, Older Americans Act amendments of 1968. Page 28709

Vessel Construction: The House concurred in Senate amendments to H.R. 17524, extends the authority of the Secretary of Commerce to pay up to 55% differential in the construction of merchant vessels under the Merchant Marine Act, thus clearing the bill for White House action. Page 28710

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology, continued hearings on adequacy of aeronautical research and development. Testimony was heard from Alan S. Boyd, Secretary of Transportation, and Dr. F. W. Lehan, Assistant Secretary of Transportation for Research and Technology.

Joint Committee Meetings

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 698, requiring uniform Federal Government cooperation with States in carrying out their programs of public development.

RENEGOTIATION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17324, proposed Renegotiation Act Amendments of 1968, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Tuesday, October 1, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29017–29067

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced as follows: S. 4105–4115. Page 29056

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 551, authorizing establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida (S. Rept. 1597);

H.R. 17787, authorizing funds to satisfy judgments against the U.S. in condemnation proceedings for Padre Island National Seashore, Tex. (S. Rept. 1598); and

S. 3174, to establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution, with amendments (S. Rept. 1599). Page 29056

Bills Referred: Numerous House-passed bills were appropriately referred. Pages 28935–28936

Fortas Nomination—Cloture: By 45 yeas to 43 nays, Senate rejected Mansfield motion to close debate on his motion to consider nomination of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States (two-thirds of the Senators present and voting not having voted in the affirmative).

Question on adoption of Mansfield motion to consider this nomination remains unfinished business in executive session. Pages 28926–28934

Taxation: Senate returned to legislative session from executive session, after its vote on the cloture motion respecting the Fortas nomination, and the unfinished business in legislative session, H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, was returned to the legislative calendar. Page 28934

Gratuity: Senate adopted S. Res. 396, authorizing payment of a gratuity to survivor of a deceased Senate employee. Page 28954

Senate Commission on Arts: Senate adopted with committee amendments (motion to reconsider tabled) S. Res. 382, to establish a Commission on Arts and Antiquities of the U.S. Senate. Pages 28954–28955

Palmetto Bend, Texas: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for White House H.R. 5117, authorizing funds to construct and operate the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas. Pages 28972–28974

Higher Education: S. 3769, proposed Higher Education Amendments of 1968, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon. Pages 28974–29002

Vocational Education: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, conference report on H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, agreeing to vote on adoption thereof at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday, October 2. Pages 29002–29016

Defense Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, and adopted debate limitation agreement thereon as follows:

Effective on Wednesday, October 2, at conclusion of routine morning business, debate on any amendment (except on amendment to be offered by Senator Cooper and other Senators to defer deployment of Sentinel intercontinental ballistic missiles until June 1969, there will be 2½ hours), motion, or appeal, except motion to table, shall be limited to 1 hour, equally divided, and debate on question of final passage of the bill will be limited to 3 hours, equally divided. Pages 28934, 28936–28972

Nominations: Four judicial, and 36 postmaster nominations were received. Page 29067

Recess: Recessed at 5:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NATO STATUS OF FORCES TREATY

Committee on Armed Services: NATO Status of Forces Subcommittee held open and executive hearings to receive testimony regarding the operation of article VII of the NATO Status of Forces Treaty, having as its witnesses Benjamin Forman, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Defense; and Brig. Gen. Harold E. Parker, Assistant Judge Advocate General, Army.

Subcommittee adjourned subject to call.

URBAN FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued its series of hearings to determine what financial institutions are doing now to help meet the investment and credit needs of the ghetto; and to explore what additional steps can be taken to channel more private investment into the inner city. Witnesses heard were Howard J. Samuels, Administrator, Small Business Administration; Robert A. Levine, Assistant Director for Research, Plans, Programs, and Evaluation, Office of Economic Opportunity; J. Orrin Shipe, Credit Union National Association International, Inc.; and Stephan C. Miller, executive vice president, COMAC Co., Birmingham, Mich.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Parker T. Hart, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; and the following persons to be U.S. representatives to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO: William Benton, of Connecticut; Alvin Christian Eurich, of Colorado; Katie Scofield Louchheim, of the D.C.; James H. McCrocklin, of Texas; and Frederick Seitz, of Illinois.

Committee announced that it will meet on Thursday, October 3, to consider the nomination of James R. Wiggins, to be U.S. representative to the U.N.

Committee also announced that it will hold an executive meeting on Friday, October 4, to consider S. 3378, U.S. contribution to the International Development Association, and H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for a foreign military sales program.

INDIAN EDUCATION

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Special Subcommittee on Indian Education held hearings to receive testimony on mental health problems of Indian students. Witnesses heard were Dr. Karl Menninger, Chairman of the Board, Menninger Foundation; Dr. Robert Leon, professor of psychiatry, and Dr. Harry Martin, professor of psychology, both of the University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio; and William Byler and Dr. Daniel J. O'Connell, both of the Association of American Indian Affairs, New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 20122–20133; 40 private bills, H.R. 20134–20173; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1463, H. Con. Res. 838–840, and H. Res. 1314, were introduced. Pages 28863, 28925

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Annual report of the Committee on Un-American Activities (90th Cong., first sess.) (H. Rept. 1935);

Conference report on H.R. 10196, Labor-HEW appropriations (H. Rept. 1936); and

Report of the 11th meeting of Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group (H. Rept. 1937).

Pages 28924–28925

Presidential Message—United Nations: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the 22d annual report on the participation of the United States in the United Nations—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 333). Page 28844

Private Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Private Calendar:

Sent to the Senate, amended: H.R. 3193.

Passed over without prejudice: H.R. 1722, 1756, 3472, 8588, 9566, 9567, 11255, 14276, 15402, and H. Res. 954.

Recommitted: H. Res. 743. Pages 28844–28846

Water Carriers: The House passed H.R. 7151, to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers, amended.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 913 in lieu of H.R. 7151 after amending the Senate bill to contain the House-passed language. Pages 28846–28847

Aircraft Loan Guarantees: The House passed S. 2499, relating to aircraft loan guarantees, amended.

Page 28847

Health Services: By a record vote of 317 yeas adopted the conference report on H.R. 15758, the Health Services and Facilities Amendments, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action. Pages 28847–28855

Private Bill: Passed S. 2439, a private bill, amended.

Pages 28855–28856

Intergovernmental Cooperation Act: Adopted the conference report on S. 698, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Pages 28856–28863

Bill Correction: Adopted H. Con. Res. 838, to authorize the Secretary of the Senate to make a correction in the enrollment of S. 698. Page 28863

Motor Vehicle Keys: By a record vote of 251 yeas to 62 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R.

14935, to regulate the mailing of master keys for motor vehicle ignition switches, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 28863–28869

Civil Service Retirement: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 17682, relating to civil service retirement.

Adopted the committee amendments and an amendment regarding credit for sick leave accumulated.

Rejected amendments regarding sick leave and deductions from the retirement fund. Pages 28869–28880

Government Capital: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 19418, to expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks, production credit associations, and banks for cooperatives.

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 3986 in lieu of H.R. 19418. Pages 28881–28882

D.C. Legislation: The following District of Columbia bills were passed by voice votes after being considered on unanimous consent requests:

Fixed equipment: S. 2017, to enter into contracts for the inspection, maintenance, and repair of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings for periods not to exceed 3 years. Page 28882

Police mutual aid: S. 2496, to enter into and renew reciprocal agreements for police mutual aid on behalf of the District of Columbia with the local governments in the Washington metropolitan area. Pages 28883–28884

D.C. real property: S. 2592, to provide notice of the enforcement of a security interest in real property in the District of Columbia to the owner of such real property and the Commissioner of the District of Columbia. Pages 28884–28885

D.C. space rental: S. 1247, the District of Columbia Public Space Rental Act, amended. Pages 28885–28888

D.C. Space Utilization Act: S. 1246, the District of Columbia Public Space Utilization Act, amended. Pages 28888–28892

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MARKETING AGREEMENT—WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing on H.R. 19910, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Following the open hearing, the committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 19910, amended, and approved the Kanawha Twomile Creek watershed project in West Virginia.

REAL ESTATE

Committee on Armed Services: Approved in executive session 10 acquisition and disposal projects.

D.C. POLICE COMMISSIONER

Committee on the District of Columbia: Continued hearings on H.R. 14430 and H.R. 14448, to establish a police commissioner for the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Police Department officials and public witnesses.

AIR PIRACY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Inter-American Affairs held a hearing on air piracy in the Caribbean. Testimony was heard from a Government and a public witness.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on adequacy of aeronautical research and development. Testimony was heard from a Government and a public witness.

SBA POLICIES

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on SBA policies and programs. Testimony was heard from Howard J. Samuels, Administrator of SBA.

ROLLCALL VOTES

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session and authorized a preliminary inquiry into the allegations in the tabulation of rollcall votes.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Committee on Un-American Activities: Held a hearing on the subversive elements involved in the disruption of the Democratic Convention in Chicago. Testimony was heard from members of the Chicago Police Department and a member of the Research Staff of the Committee. Hearings will continue on October 3.

Joint Committee Meetings

TARIFF

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore.

RENEGOTIATION, AND TARIFF

Conferees continued, in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17324, proposd Renegotiation Act Amendments of 1968, and on H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF NINETIETH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 15 through September 30, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	148	129	..
Time in session	812 hrs., 42′	655 hrs., 41′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	11,680	9,296	20,976
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	8,424
Public bills enacted into law	128	162	290
Private bills enacted into law	69	70	139
Bills in conference	4	11	..
Bills through conference	20	38	..
Measures passed, total	654	710	..
Senate bills	232	160	..
House bills	237	323	..
Senate joint resolutions	24	17	..
House joint resolutions	18	26	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	11	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	19	20	..
Simple resolutions	113	159	272
Measures reported, total	*753	*783	..
Senate bills	258	147	..
House bills	260	442	..
Senate joint resolutions	27	10	..
House joint resolutions	15	14	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	11	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	17	12	..
Simple resolutions	165	153	..
Special reports	25	45	..
Conference reports	..	57	..
Reported measures not acted on	52	104	..
Measures introduced, total	1,581	6,547	8,128
Bills	1,281	5,528	6,809
Joint resolutions	69	485	554
Concurrent resolutions	27	232	259
Simple resolutions	204	302	506
Quorum calls	**42	150	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**253	208	..
Bills vetoed	..	1	1
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported included all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 649 reports has been filed in the Senate; a total of 883 has been filed in the House.

**These figures do not include two quorum calls which did not develop quorums, and one yea-and-nay vote which was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 15 through September 30, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 10,390, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,415
Unconfirmed	4,975
Air Force nominations, totaling 19,767, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	13,466
Unconfirmed	6,301
Navy nominations, totaling 9,329, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	9,329
Unconfirmed	None
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,378, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,094
Unconfirmed	284
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,380, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,488
Unconfirmed	892
Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,217, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	693
Unconfirmed	513
Withdrawn	11

Summary

Total nominations received	47,461
Total confirmed	34,485
Total unconfirmed	12,965
Total withdrawn	11

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29119–29153

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4116–4126; and S. Res. 408.

Pages 29133–29134

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 18248, requiring the D.C. government to pay to bus companies the difference between reduced school fare and the lowest adult fare, with amendment (S. Rept. 1600);

H.R. 15971, relating to procedures governing the conduct of Armed Forces courts-martial, with amendments (S. Rept. 1601);

S. Res. 408, authorizing printing of additional copies of Senate Document 56, 88th Congress, relating to the proposed "Liberty" amendment to the Constitution (S. Rept. 1602);

S. Res. 394, requesting $25,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, with amendment (S. Rept. 1603);

S. Res. 407, to print as a Senate document Finance Committee staff report entitled "Steel Imports" (S. Rept. 1604);

H.R. 19136, providing for payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation (S. Rept. 1605);

S. 3184, directing the Attorney General rather than the President to appoint U.S. marshals (S. Rept. 1606);

S. 4120, authorizing waiver of Government claims against employees (S. Rept. 1607);

H.R. 13480, to limit requirement for proof of future financial responsibility to serious traffic offenses in D.C. (S. Rept. 1608);

H.R. 14096, to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs by unauthorized persons, with amendments (S. Rept. 1609); and

S. 4062, to eliminate provisions of the law providing for imprisonment for failure to comply with census laws (S. Rept. 1610). Pages 29133, 29135

Bills Referred: Five House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 29188

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 17 measures, three of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Indians: H.R. 17684, to authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico;

Indians: H.R. 17273, permitting appointment of [illegible]ians to protect the interest of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians;

Carl Sandburg Home: H.R. 13099, authorizing establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in North Carolina;

Indians: H.R. 18885, providing for the distribution of judgment funds in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma;

D.C.: H.R. 14098, authorizing D.C. Commissioner to provide for inspection of motor vehicles not registered in the D.C.; and

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 13160 and 14079.

With amendments, to be sent back to House:

D.C.: H.R. 7417, to prescribe administrative procedures for the D.C. government; and

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 9089.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Public lands—Oregon: S. 3615, authorizing conveyance to the Port of Cascade Locks, Oreg., interest in certain lands for municipal purposes; and

Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming: S. 2553, to authorize modification of operation and relocation of costs of the Kortes unit, Missouri River Basin project, Wyoming, for fishery conservation.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 385, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 11);

Printing: S. Res. 390, to print additional copies of Select Committee on Small Business hearings entitled "Economic Development Opportunity";

Committee funds: S. Res. 386, requesting an additional $30,000 for expenses of the Committee on Appropriations;

Printing: S. Res. 392, to print additional copies of Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations hearings entitled "Riots, Civil and Criminal Disorders" (pt. 10);

Committee funds: S. Res. 393, requesting an additional $2,500 for expenses of the Committee on the Judiciary; and

Printing: S. Res. 395, to print as a Senate document a history of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

Pages 29119–29129

Private Bills: Senate cleared the following three private bills for White House when it concurred in House amendment to each: S. 2897, 1652, and 1069.

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Appointments by Vice President: The following appointments were made on behalf of the Vice President:

Senators Pell and Percy as alternate delegates to the North Atlantic Assembly to be held at Brussels, November 11–16; and

Senators Montoya and Percy to attend the 15th General Conference of UNESCO to be held at Paris October 15–November 21. Page 29154

Vocational Education: By 58 yeas to 11 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 18366, proposed Vocational Education Amendments of 1968. Pages 29153–29163

D.C.: Senate disagreed to House amendment to S. 944, providing an effective method for dealing with present and future needs for auto parking facilities in the D.C., asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Tydings, Spong, and Dominick.

Pages 29188–29189

Defense Appropriations: Senate worked on H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: Second committee amendment respecting funds for military personnel, Navy; and

Rejected: By 25 yeas to 45 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Cooper amendment No. 1013 (for himself and others) to first committee amendment and parts of the text of the bill, to bar use of funds during balance of fiscal year 1969 for production and deployment of Sentinel anti-ballistic-missile system (during part of the consideration of this amendment Senate was in closed-door session); by 6 yeas to 60 nays, Clark amendment No. 986 to eliminate funds for the bomber defense system known as Sage; and by 2 yeas to 65 nays, Clark amendment to bar use of funds for procurement of certain types of military helicopters.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that there will be a limitation of 20 minutes, equally divided, on each of the printed amendments to be offered by Senator Clark. Pages 29153, 29163–29194

Authority To Meet: Committee on Foreign Relations was authorized to meet on October 3 and 4 while Senate is in session. Page 29193

Public Health—Radiation: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices, after adopting the following amendments:

All committee amendments; Magnuson (for Scott) amendment providing for specifying of items as to which standards shall be set; and modified Magnuson (for Yarborough) amendment No. 984 of a technical nature respecting standards to protect public from injury, and providing that nothing in the legislation shall affect any workmen's compensation laws.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and the Chair was authorized to appoint conferees. The conferees will be named later.

Pages 29195–29201

Merchant Marine: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 913, to amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers. This action cleared bill for White House.

Pages 29203–29204

Aircraft Loans: S. 2499, extending act of September 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 29204

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: One representative and six alternate representatives to the 12th session of the General Session of the International Atomic Energy Agency; Ted J. Davis, of Oklahoma, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Clarence F. Pautzke, of Washington, to be an Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, Department of the Interior; Parker T. Hart, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of State; five to be representatives and five to be alternate representatives to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO; numerous postmasters; two judicial; and numerous Army and Marine Corps. Pages 29204–29205

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

URBAN FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued its series of hearings to determine what financial institutions are doing now to help meet the investment and credit needs of the ghetto, and to explore what additional steps can be taken to channel more private investment into the inner city. Witnesses heard were Dr. Irwin Friend, Wharton School of Finance; Orville E. Beal, Prudential Insurance Company of America, on behalf of the Life Insurance Association of America and the American Life Convention; George Whitney, Blythe & Co., and the Investment Bankers Association of America; and A. J. Griffiths, Ghetto Industrial Development and Investment Corp.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. NOMINATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Committee held hearings on the nomination of Andrew McCaughrin Hood, to be Chief Judge of the D.C. Court of Appeals, with testimony from George E. Monk, D.C. Bar Association; Frank Q. Nebeker, D.C. Bar Association Committee on Relations With the D.C. Court of Appeals; and DeLong Harris, Washington Bar Association. The nominee was present to testify and answer questions on his own behalf.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee approved for full committee consideration the nominations of Harold B. Sanders, Jr., of Texas, to be U.S. circuit

judge for the D.C. circuit; Albert J. Henderson, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Georgia; and David Stahl, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. circuit judge, third circuit.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony in behalf of Mr. Sanders was received from Senator Yarborough, and testimony in behalf of Mr. Henderson was received from Senator Talmadge. All of the nominees were present to testify and answer questions on their own behalf.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Tuesday, October 1, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 19136, providing for payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation; S. 3184, directing the Attorney General rather than the President to appoint U.S. marshals; S. 4062, to eliminate provisions of the law providing for imprisonment for failure to comply with census laws; and an original bill (S. 4120) authorizing waiver of Government claims against employees.

Committee also approved 273 postmaster nominations.

SENATOR HAYDEN, AND COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, approved a committee resolution expressing sincere appreciation and best wishes for health and happiness to its colleague and former chairman, the senior Senator from Arizona, Carl Hayden, on the occasion of his retirement from public office.

Also, committee ordered favorably reported S. Res. 394, requesting $25,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs (amended); S. Res. 397, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Aspects of Intellectual Ferment and Dissent in the Soviet Union" (amended); S. Res. 407, to print as a Senate document Finance Committee staff report entitled "Steel Imports"; and S. Res. 408, authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Document 56, 88th Congress, relating to the proposed "Liberty" amendment to the Constitution.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Three public bills, H.R. 20174–20176; and 10 private bills, H.R. 20177–20186, were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 18366, the Vocational Education Amendments (H. Rept. 1938); and

H.R. 19910, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act, amended (H. Rept. 1939).

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D.C. Legislation: Granted permission for consideration of S. 2012 and H.R. 18980, District of Columbia legislation, on Monday, October 7, 1968, or any day thereafter next week. Page 29206

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power met in executive session for organizational purposes. No announcements were made.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe met in executive session to hear Russell Fessenden, Deputy Chief of Mission, Bonn, Germany, and John M. Leddy, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs, on current developments, particularly on the special meeting of the ambassadors from NATO countries.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology continued hearings on aeronautical research and development. Testimony was heard from a panel of airlines' representatives.

Joint Committee Meetings

RENEGOTIATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17324, proposed Renegotiation Act Amendments of 1968.

TARIFF

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29275–29321

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4127–4136. Page 29278

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 397, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Aspects of Intellectual Ferment and Dissent in the Soviet Union," with amendment (S. Rept. 1611); and

S. 2969, private bill (S. Rept. 1612). Page 29278

Woodrow Wilson Memorial: Senate passed S. 3174, to establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution, after adopting committee amendments and an amendment by Senator Cooper respecting expenditure of funds. Pages 29280–29282

Public Health—Radiation: Senate reconsidered its action of Wednesday, October 2, in passing H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices, and the bill was then again passed after adoption of Mansfield amendment (for Fannin) No. 1009 providing that regulations issued shall not limit or interfere with use of electronic products by a licensed physician, dentist, or hospital.

Senate again insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hartke, Bartlett, Yarborough, Scott, and Javits.

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Defense Appropriations: By 55 yeas to 2 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, after taking the following additional actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All remaining committee amendments en bloc; Clark amendments en bloc directing Secretary of Defense to transmit to certain congressional committees a semiannual report on amounts spent on research, development, test, evaluation, and procurement of chemical and biological weapons; by 47 yeas to 19 nays, modified Mansfield amendment No. 998 establishing a ceiling of 25 percent of total costs on indirect costs of grants or contracts for research projects (after rejecting, by 20 yeas to 46 nays, Allott amendment as a substitute for Mansfield amendment so as to confine the ceiling on indirect costs to grants only); and modified Russell amendment No. 983 to exempt from Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968 certain employees engaged in support of Southeast Asia operation who were hired after June 30, 1966; and

Rejected: By 4 yeas to 62 nays, modified Clark amendment No. 1011 to reduce by 10 percent the aggregate amount of appropriations in title I of the bill (military personnel), with the exception of "retired pay, Defense"; by 4 yeas to 64 nays, Clark amendment No. 687 barring use of any funds for the surface-to-air missiles known as Hawk, Nike-Hercules, and Bomarc; by 13 yeas to 54 nays, Clark amendment No. 994 to limit to $7,108,600,000 funds for research, development, test, and evaluation; and, by 21 yeas to 40 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Javits-Goodell amendment to open to competitive bidding repair contracts for any Navy vessel if work is to be done in a place other than its home port.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Russell, Hill, McClellan, Stennis, Pastore, Symington, Yarborough, Young of North Dakota, Mundt, and Allott. Pages 29321–29349

Private Bill: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 910, private bill, clearing same for White House.

Page 29350

Indians: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 3227, to provide for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians. This action cleared bill for White House. Page 29350

Armed Forces: Senate passed with committee amendments H.R. 15971, relating to procedures governing the conduct of Armed Forces courts-martial.

Pages 29392–29402

D.C.: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 2439, increasing the number of judges on the D.C. court of general sessions, and increasing salaries therefor. This action cleared bill for President's signature.

H.R. 15678, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed. Page 29412

U.S. Magistrates: S. 945, abolishing the office of U.S. Commissioner and establishing in place thereof the office of U.S. Magistrate, was cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Pages 29402-29408

Appointments by Vice President: The following appointments were made on behalf of the Vice President:

Senators McIntyre and Hickenlooper to attend the 14th meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held at Nassau October 30–November 7.

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Foreign Aid Appropriations: Senate took up H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program. Page 29416

Treaties Considered: Senate considered, but did not complete action on, the following five treaties, all received in second session of the 90th Congress:

Convention on Foreign Arbitral Awards, with two declarations (Ex. E);

Convention on Transit Trade of Land-Locked States (Ex. I);

Convention on Customs Cooperation Council, with a reservation (Ex. G);

Protocol to Geneva Radio Regulations (Ex. F); and

Protocol relating to the status of refugees, with two reservations (Ex. K).

Yea-and-nay votes were ordered on each of these treaties, the votes to begin at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, October 4. All five of these treaties are considered to have passed through all parliamentary stages up to and including presentation of resolutions of ratification thereon. Pages 29350–29391

Nominations: Numerous Navy and Marine Corps nominations were received. Pages 29416–29420

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NASA PROGRAM

Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences: Committe met in executive and open sessions to receive testimony regarding proposed fiscal 1969 budget matters for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Witnesses heard were James E. Webb, Administrator, and Dr. Thomas O. Paine, Deputy Administrator, both of NASA.

URBAN FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued its series of hearings to determine what financial institutions are doing now to help meet the investment and credit needs of the ghetto, and to explore what additional steps can be taken to channel more private investment into the inner city. Witnesses heard were Adlai E. Stevenson III, Treasurer, State of Illinois; John E. Jacob, Washington Urban League; and a panel of witnesses consisting of Hans Gehrke, U.S. Savings and Loan League; Raleigh W. Greene, Jr., National League of Insured Savings and Loan Associations; Grover Ensley and Saul Klaman, National Association of Mutual Savings Banks; and Oliver Jones and Graham T. Northup, both of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

NOMINATIONS, AND IDA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following nominations:

James R. Wiggins, to be U.S. representative to the United Nations;

James R. Wiggins, and Brewster C. Denny, of the D.C., to be U.S. representatives to the 23d session of the General Assembly of the U.N.;

Raymond D. Nasher, of Texas, and Marvin L. Warner, of Ohio, to be alternate representatives to the 23d session of the General Assembly of the U.N.;

Routine Foreign Service Officer lists; and

Routine Foreign Service Information Officer lists.

Committee also approved with amendment S. 3378, providing for U.S. contribution of $480 million to the International Development Association; and S. 2969, a private bill.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider foreign military sales legislation.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 21 public bills, H.R. 20187–20207; 46 private bills, H.R. 20208–20246; and six resolutions, H.J. Res. 1464 and 1465, H. Con. Res. 841 and 842, and H. Res. 1315 and 1316, were introduced.

Pages 29459, 29563–29564

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 10725, regarding police force of the Library of Congress, amended (H. Rept. 1940);

H.R. 7195, regarding National Zoological Park Police salaries, amended (H. Rept. 1941);

H.R. 19988, regarding Woodrow Wilson memorial, amended (H. Rept. 1942);

H. Res. 1305, a private resolution, amended (H. Rept. 1943);

S. 1190, regarding computing annuities (H. Rept. 1944);

S. 1507, relating to the retirement of Government employees engaged in certain hazardous occupations (H. Rept. 1945);

S. 3206, regarding construction of waste treatment works, amended (H. Rept. 1946);

H. Res. 1315, providing for the consideration of S.J. Res. 175, regarding equal-time requirements of the Communication Act (H. Rept. 1947);

H. Res. 1304, investigation and study of housing, amended (H. Rept. 1948);

Conference report on H.R. 653, regarding duty on certain nonmalleable iron castings (H. Rept. 1949);

Conference report on H.R. 7735, regarding dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore (H. Rept. 1950); and

Conference report on H.R. 17324, an act to extend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 (H. Rept. 1951).

Pages 29562–29563

Magnesium: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5785, to authorize the disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile. Pages 29421–29422

Private Bill: The House passed H.R. 15402, a private bill, amended. Page 29422

Subsequently vacated this passage and passed S. 2675, in lieu after amending the bill to contain the House-passed language.

Veterans' Home Loans: Agreed to S.J. Res. 197, to make technical corrections in an act entitled "An act to amend chapter 37 of title 38 of the U.S. Code with respect to the veterans' home loan program, and to amend the National Housing Act with respect to interest rates on insured mortgages. Page 29422

Hospitalized Veterans: Agreed to Senate amendments, with House amendments, to H.R. 3593, regarding veterans hospitalized by the Veterans' Administration in Alaska or Hawaii. Pages 29422–29426

Private Bill: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 9089, a private bill. Page 29426

Departments of Labor-HEW Appropriations: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 18037, the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies appropriations for 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate. (Four rollcall votes developed on motions regarding amendments in disagreement.) Pages 29426–29452

Older Americans Act: The House passed H.R. 19747, to strengthen and improve the Older Americans Act of 1965, amended. Pages 29453–29458

Committee Resignation: A letter of resignation from the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs was received from Representative Wyatt. Page 29458

Committee Resignation: A letter of resignation from the Committee on Appropriations was received from Representative Harrison. Page 29459

Committee Appointment: Adopted H. Res. 1316, electing Representative Wyatt to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 29459

Supplemental Appropriation: Granted permission that it be in order to consider supplemental appropriation bill on Monday, October 7, or any day thereafter. Page 29459–29460

Vocational Education: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 18366, thus clearing legislation for White House. Pages 29460–29484

Radiation Control: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 10790, the Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Rogers of Florida, Kyros, Springer, Nelsen, and Carter. Page 29483

Private Bill: Passed H.R. 8588, a private bill, amended. Page 29484

Calendar Wednesday: Dispensed with Calendar Wednesday business of October 9. Page 29485

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WHEAT ALLOTMENTS

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Livestock and Grains, in executive session approved for full committee action H.R. 10591, to permit the administrative adjustment of certain wheat acreage allotment reductions resulting from action taken by farmers prior to 1965 in good faith reliance upon representations or advice of authorized representatives of the Secretary of Agriculture.

INDEPENDENT OFFICES

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session on independent offices appropriations. No announcements were made.

SERVICE ACADEMIES

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Service Academies met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

CZECHOSLOVAKIAN INVASION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H. Res. 1293, amended, condemning the invasion of Czechoslovakia.

MISCELLANEOUS LEGISLATION

Committee on House Administration: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 7195, amended, to make the salaries of the police for the National Zoological Park equal with those members of the U.S. Park Police having comparable duties;

H.R. 10725, amended, to provide salary increases for members of the police force of the Library of Congress who are at the rank of private from GS–3 to GS–5;

H.R. 19988, amended, to establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution;

H. Res. 497, Provides for the printing as a House document of the bibliographical list entitled "Hungarians in Rumania and Transylvania", prepared by the Library of Congress;

H. Res. 995, amended, to provide that effective December 1, 1967, each position of Expert Transcriber to Official Reporters of Debates and each position of Expert Transcriber to Official Committee Reporters shall be paid basic annual compensation at rate of $3,900 per annum;

H. Res. 1280, to print as a House document the eulogy proceedings on former representative Hubert B. Scudder;

H. Res. 1301, to authorize the printing of "Compilation of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968";

H. Res. 1305, amended, relating to creditable service for retirement purposes of John T. M. Reddan;

H. Con. Res. 763, to provide for the printing as a House document a survey and handbook entitled Federal Educational Policies, Programs and Proposals;

H. Con. Res. 797, to provide for the printing of the report entitled "Commercial Banks and Their Trust Activities: Emerging Influence on the American Economy"; and

H. Con. Res. 801, to provide for the printing as a House document the listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study.

NEWSPAPER PRESERVATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 5, held a hearing on H.R. 19123 and related bills, the Newspaper Preservation Act. Testimony was heard from representatives of the American Newspaper Guild, the Minneapolis Newspaper Association, and public witnesses. The committee adjourned subject to call.

CS ANNUITIES—FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House S. 1190, computation of surviving spouses' annuities of reemployed annuitants; and S. 1507, to include firefighters within hazardous occupation retirement provisions.

URBAN PUBLIC WORKS—WATER QUALITY—FLOOD CONTROL—BUILDING REVISION—FEES RELAXATION

Committee on Public Works: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 18896, amended, to provide that Congress determine whether or not a program of public works within smaller urban places may help solve the economic and social problems of the Nation by reducing or reversing the trend toward migration to large metropolitan areas.

On October 1, ordered reported favorably to the House S. 3206, amended, the Water Quality Improvement Act.

Approved 9 survey resolutions for flood control, navigation and beach erosion.

Approved a public building prospectus revision for Denton, Tex.

Approved a resolution to urge the Corps of Engineers to implement the committee's position on relaxation of fees at Corps of Engineers' projects.

The committee adjourned sine die.

EQUAL TIME—SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATIVE SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted a rule on S.J. Res. 175, to suspend for the 1968 campaign the equal time requirements of sec. 315, Communications Act of 1934, for nominees for offices of President and Vice President; ordered reported to the House H. Res. 1304, amended, supplemental investigative resolution—Banking and Currency Committee. Following the executive session, the committee held a hearing on the Supplemental Appropriations bill but no action was taken.

AERONAUTICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Subcommittee on Advanced Research and Technology concluded hearings on aeronautical research and development. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings on the subversive elements involved in the disruption of the Democratic Convention in Chicago. Testimony was heard from an investigator with the Cook County state attorney's office and public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

GUN CONTROLS

Conferees met in afternoon and evening executive sessions to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms.

Friday, October 4, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29577–29605

Bills Introduced: Four bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4137–4140. Page 29578

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: H.R. 8781, authorizing exchange of certain public lands in Shasta County, Calif. (S. Rept. 1613). Page 29578

Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 29635

Calendar Call: On call of calendar, Senate passed six measures, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

D.C.: H.R. 13480, to limit requirement for proof of future financial responsibility to serious traffic offenses in the D.C.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Government employees: S. 4120, authorizing waiver of Government claims against employees.

Resolutions adopted without amendment:

Printing: S. Res. 408, authorizing printing of additional copies of Senate Document 56, 88th Congress, relating to the proposed "Liberty" amendment to the Constitution; and

Printing: S. Res. 407, to print as a Senate document Finance Committee staff report entitled "Steel Imports."

Resolutions adopted with amendment:

Committee funds: S. Res. 394, requesting $25,000 for expenses of the Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs; and

Printing: S. Res. 397, to print as a Senate document a study entitled "Aspects of Intellectual Ferment and Dissent in the Soviet Union." Pages 29578–29582

Intergovernmental Cooperation: S. 698, proposed Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, was cleared for White House when Senate adopted conference report thereon (motion to reconsider tabled), and concurred in H. Con. Res. 838, to correct the enrollment of S. 698. Pages 29583–29587

Foreign Aid Appropriations: By 44 yeas to 13 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Senate passed H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, after adopting all committee amendments en bloc. By 43 yeas to 13 nays, Senate had adopted motion to so consider these amendments.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Pastore, Holland, McGee, Proxmire, Yarborough, Allott, Young of North Dakota, and Mundt. Pages 29605, 29608–29619

D.C.: Senate passed with committee amendment H.R. 18248, requiring D.C. government to pay to bus companies the difference between reduced school fare and the lowest adult fare. Page 29620

Government Employees: H.R. 19136, providing for payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation, was passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature. Page 29620

Padre Island Seashore: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 17787, authorizing funds to satisfy judgments against the U.S. in condemnation proceedings for Padre Island National Seashore, Tex. Pages 29620–29624

Biscayne Monument: H.R. 551, authorizing establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida, was passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled), clearing the bill for President's signature. Pages 29624–29633

Census: S. 4062, to eliminate provisions of the law providing for imprisonment for failure to comply with census laws, was passed without amendment. Page 29633

Mail Fraud: H.R. 1411, to revise the laws prohibiting the use of mails for fraudulent and lottery matter, was cleared for President's signature when Senate receded from its amendment thereto. Page 29633

Government Employees: Senate concurred in House amendment to a Senate amendment to H.R. 13844, allowing leave without loss of pay for Federal employees to attend funerals of relatives who die while on duty with the Armed Forces. This action cleared bill for President's signature. Page 29633

Drugs: Senate passed H.R. 14096, to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs by unauthorized persons, after adopting committee amendments and a Hill amendment to change the name of National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness to National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Stroke. Pages 29633–29634

Private Bill: S. 2969, private bill, was passed with committee amendments. Pages 29636–29637

Treaties Ratified: By unanimous vote of 57 yeas, Senate adopted resolution of ratification on Convention on Foreign Arbitral Awards, with two declarations (Ex. E, 90th Cong., second sess.).

By four separate unanimous votes of 59 yeas each, Senate adopted resolutions of ratification on the following four treaties, each of which had been received in the 90th Congress, second session:

Convention on Transit Trade of Land-Locked States (Ex. I);

Convention on Customs Cooperation Council, with a reservation (Ex. G);

Protocol to Geneva Radio Regulations (Ex. F); and

Protocol relating to the status of refugees, with two reservations (Ex. K). Pages 29605–29608

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Albert B. Brooke, Jr., of Maryland, to be a member of the Federal Power Commission; five to be representatives and five to be alternate representatives to the 15th session of the General Conference of UNESCO; James Russell Wiggins, of D.C., to be representative to U.N. with the rank of Ambassador, and to be representative in the Security Council of the U.N.; James Russell Wiggins, of D.C., and Brewster C. Denny, of Washington, to be representatives to the 23d session of the General Assembly of U.N.; Raymond D. Nasher, of Texas, and Marvin L. Warner, of Ohio, to be alternate representatives to the 23d session of the General Assembly of the U.N.; one judicial; and numerous Diplomatic and Foreign Service, and Coast Guard. Page 29639

Nominations: Senate received one civilian and 17 postmaster nominations.

Nominations of Abe Fortas, of Tennessee, to be Chief Justice of the United States, and of Homer Thornberry, of Texas, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, were withdrawn. Page 29639

Adjournment: Adjourned at 2:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

URBAN FINANCING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued its series of hearings to determine what financial institutions are doing now to help meet the investment and credit needs of the ghetto, and to explore what additional steps can be taken to channel more private investment into the inner city, receiving testimony from the following witnesses: Donald Graham, American Bankers Association; Theodore L. Cross, editor-in-chief, Bankers Magazine; F. Ritter Shumway, on behalf of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by John Blake, Rochester Business Opportunities Corp.; and a panel of witnesses consisting of Sherman J. Maisel, Member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; K. A. Randall, Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Justin T. Watson, First Deputy Comptroller of the Currency; John E. Horne, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board; and J. Deane Gannon, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

FOREIGN MILITARY SALES PROGRAM

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program, but took no action thereon, and recessed subject to call.

BIAFRA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs continued hearings on the Biafran situation and what steps can be taken to relieve starvation and suffering of those people in areas under both Biafran and Nigerian control. Witnesses heard were Senators Kennedy and Brooke; C. Robert Moore, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; James McCracken and Jan van Hoogstraten, both of the Church World Service; Hyman Bookbinder, American Jewish Committee; Edward Kinney, Catholic Relief Services; David Scanlon, American Friends Service Committee; George Houser, American Committee on Africa; Mrs. Virginia M. Gray, U.S. Citizens Committee for UNICEF; Mrs. Phyllis McClure, Committee for Nigeria-Biafra Relief; Cliff Robertson, television and movie actor; Mrs. Robin Jordan, Food for Biafra Committee; Dr. A. Shimony, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Wellesley College; Prof. Richard Henderson, Department of Anthropology, Yale University; and several other public witnesses.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today.

Committee Meetings

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued hearings on the subversive elements involved in the disruption of the Democratic Convention in Chicago. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Committee Meetings

GUN CONTROL

Conferees, on Thursday, October 3, in an evening session, continued to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Tuesday, October 8.

Monday, October 7, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29839–29887

Bills Introduced: 11 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4141–4151. Pages 29841–29842

Renegotiation — Antidumping — Coffee: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 17324, Renegotiation Amendments of 1968, and providing for administration of the Antidumping Act and implementation of International Coffee Agreement. Pages 29887–29894

Public Lands—California: H.R. 8781, authorizing exchange of certain public lands in Shasta County, Calif., was passed without amendment and cleared for White House. Page 29894

Manpower: Senate passed (motion to reconsider tabled) S. 2938, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act, adopting amendments thereto, as follows:

Committee amendments as amended by Javits-Goodell amendment providing that in making arrangements for

certain institutional training priority be given to the use of skills centers; Mondale amendments to add new title relating to seasonal employment in the construction industry; and Prouty-Murphy-Javits amendment to add new title on "Supplementary State Programs."

Pages 29894–29922

Tariff: Conference report was adopted on H.R. 653, to lower the rate of duty on types of nonmalleable iron castings. Pages 29922–29923

Tariff: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 7735, relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore.

Pages 29923–29924

Taxation: Senate debated Long (Louisiana) motion to resume consideration of H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts. During consideration of this motion it was determined during quorum call that a quorum was not present and the Senate accordingly adjourned, under previous order, until noon Tuesday, October 8.

This bill had been the unfinished business in legislative session on October 1 and was on that day returned to the legislative calendar. Pages 29924–29933

Treaty Considered: Senate considered Agreement on the Rescue and Return of Astronauts (Ex. J, 90th Cong., second sess.).

By unanimous consent it was agreed that Senate will vote at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 8, on adoption of resolution of ratification of this treaty.

The treaty is considered to have passed through the various parliamentary stages up to adoption of resolution of ratification. Pages 29845–29847

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:11 p.m.

Committee Meetings

MILK

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 4064, to permanently extend the class I base plan for milk, with testimony from Senator Yarborough; H. L. Forest, Consumer and Marketing Service, and Charles W. Bucy, Office of the General Counsel, both of the Department of Agriculture; John J. Heimburger, on behalf of the Independent Milk Producers-Distributors of the Puget Sound Area; Glenn Lake and Pat M. Healy, both of the National Milk Producers Federation; John C. Lynn and John C. Datt, both of the American Farm Bureau Federation; Dr. Arthur H. Miller, Pure Milk Products Cooperative, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin; Fred J. Greiner and E. Linwood Tipton, both of the Milk Industry Foundation; Leon J. Steck, Eastern Milk Producers Cooperation; and William J. Moore, Carnation Co., Los Angeles.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Seven public bills, H.R. 20247–20252 and 20300; 47 private bills, H.R. 20253–20299; and two resolutions, H.J. Res. 1466–1467, were introduced.

Pages 29838–29839

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 3615, regarding lands in the State of Oregon for municipal purposes (H. Rept. 1952); and

H.R. 20300, supplemental appropriation (H. Rept. 1953). Page 29838

Defense Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 18707, the Department of Defense Appropriation bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Sikes, Whitten, Andrews of Alabama, Flood, Slack, Addabbo, Lipscomb, Laird, Minshall, Rhodes of Arizona, and Jonas. Page 29762

Foreign Assistance: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 19908, the foreign assistance appropriations; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Passman, Rooney of New York, Hansen, Cohelan, Long of Maryland, McFall, Mahon, Shriver, Conte, Reid of Illinois, Riegle, and Bow. Page 29762–29763

Presidential Message—Office of Alien Property: Received a message from the President transmitting the annual report of the Office of Alien Property—referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Page 29764

Consent Calendar: Passed the following bills on the call of the Consent Calendar:

Cleared for the President:

Benito Pablo Juarez: S.J. Res. 191, to authorize the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the District of Columbia.

Sent to the Senate, without amendment:

Lands exchange: H.R. 19753, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to acquire and convey to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts certain lands in Essex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in exchange for certain other lands.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

Lands sale: S. 3736, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to the village of Central, State of New Mexico, certain lands administered by him formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation, N. Mex.

CS revolving fund: H.R. 16558, to promote the efficient and effective use of the revolving fund of the Civil Service Commission in connection with functions and services of the Commission, to facilitate improvements in program administration and financial management.

Passed over without prejudice:

Corps of Engineers per diem allowance: H.R. 7406, to authorize the furnishing of subsistence and quarters or per diem allowance to employees of the Corps of Engineers engaged in floating plant operations.

Civilian employees commuting expenses: H.R. 12881, to authorize the payment of allowances to defray commuting expenses of civilian employees of executive agencies assigned to duty at remote worksites.

Government employees compensation corrections: H.R. 17954, to correct certain inequities and relieve certain liabilities arising out of overpayments of compensation to Government employees as a result of administrative error in the application of certain provisions of the Classification Act of 1949, the Federal Employees Salary Act of 1964, and other provisions of law.

Pages 29765–29766

Suspension Passages: The following bills were called up, considered, and passed under suspension of the rules:

Manpower development: H.R. 15990, to amend the Manpower Development and Training Act relating to seasonal unemployment in the construction industry (amended, by a record vote of 265 yeas).

Pages 29768–29770

Federal water pollution: S. 3206, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (amended, by a record vote of 277 yeas). Pages 29770–29792

Guam: S. 1763 (in lieu of H.R. 15151), Guam Development Fund Act of 1968 (amended, by a record vote of 279 yeas). Pages 29792–29795

Trust territory: S. 3207 (in lieu of H.R. 18205), to provide for the continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (amended, by a record vote of 278 yeas). Pages 29795–29799

Milk marketing: H.R. 19910, Federal Milk Marketing Order Amendments (amended, by a record vote of 201 yeas to 76 nays). Pages 29799–29805

Noxious plants: S. 2671, to provide for the control of noxious plants on Federal Government lands (by a voice vote). Pages 29805–29806

Woodrow Wilson memorial: S. 3174 (in lieu of H.R. 19988), Woodrow Wilson Memorial Act of 1968 (amended, by a voice vote). Pages 29807–29809

Police force—Library: H.R. 10725, to provide salary increases for certain members of the police force of the Library of Congress (amended, by a voice vote).

Page 29809

Police—National Zoological Park: H.R. 7195, relating to salaries of the police for the National Zoological Park (amended, by a voice vote). Pages 29809–29810

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Committee Meetings

1969 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 20300, the supplemental appropriations bill, fiscal year 1969.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program, but did not reach final agreement, and recessed subject to call.

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Tuesday, October 8, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 29990–30058

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4152–4163; and S. Res. 409.

Pages 29997–29998

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 4158, clarification of conditions relating to continuous pay to certain physicians and dentists in the Armed Forces (S. Rept. 1614);

S. 3531, providing for striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of founding of city of Memphis (S. Rept. 1615);

Report of Select Committee on Small Business entitled "Government Reports and Statistics" (S. Rept. 1616);

H.R. 18253, to make January 1, 1968, the effective date relating to definition of "earned income" for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals (S. Rept. 1617);

H.R. 18373, to implement five international customs conventions which were ratified by the Senate March 1, 1967 (S. Rept. 1618);

H.R. 15798, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk, with amendment (S. Rept. 1619); and

H.R. 15114, authorizing banks to redeem savings notes and to be reimbursed for losses they incurred in connection with such redemption (S. Rept. 1620). Page 29997

Bills Referred: Four House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Pages 29996–29997

Bill Placed on Calendar: One House-passed bill was placed on calendar. Page 29996

D.C.: The following two bills were cleared for President's signature when Senate concurred in House amendments thereto:

S. 1247, authorizing D.C. Commissioners to fix and collect rents for occupancy of space in, on, under, or over D.C. streets; and

S. 1246, authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to enter into leases for spaces in, on, under, or over D.C. streets other than freeways. Pages 30000–30002

Supplemental Appropriations: Senator McGee (for Senator Bartlett) filed notice of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendment to H.R. 20300, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969. Page 29998

Legislative Program: Majority leader stated that he is unable to say whether the Senate can complete its business this week. But, if not, it is his intention to give the most serious consideration to coming in next week to "clear the deck" of all matters which generally come before the Senate before adjournment. The matter of the Nonproliferation Treaty is still under consideration, and he will make final judgment this week as to whether it will be brought up.

Guam: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. 1763, authorizing funds for loans to encourage development of private enterprise in Guam, clearing bill for White House. Pages 30083–30084

Trust Territory of the Pacific: S. 3207, authorizing funds for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, was cleared for White House when Senate concurred in House amendment thereto. Page 30084

Taxation: Senate proceeded to resumption of consideration of H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, taking the following actions on further amendments thereto:

Adopted: Mondale amendment No. 1002 to extend work incentives under the public assistance provisions of the 1967 Social Security amendments in those States whose legislatures have not met since those amendments became law; by 47 yeas to 18 nays, Williams of Delaware amendment No. 1007 to remove interest ceilings on certain Government bonds; Montoya amendment (for himself and others) No. 1005 respecting tax-exempt status of interest on loans for certain insured rural water and sewer systems;

Rejected: By 23 yeas to 41 nays (motion to reconsider tabled) Williams of Delaware amendment No. 1000 to bar, starting with 1970 crop years, payments to any producers aggregating more than $20,000 under all programs provided for or extended under provisions of titles II–V of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 (wheat, feed grains, wool, and cotton). Pages 30000, 30058–30078, 30085–30089

Private Bills: Senate concurred in House amendments to S. 909 and S. 2675, private bills, clearing them for White House. Page 30085

Authority To Report: Select Committee on Small Business was authorized, during adjournment of the second session of the 90th Congress, to file with the Secretary of the Senate four reports, with any individual, supplemental, or minority views, entitled "Small Business and Rural America"; "Export Expansion—1968"; "Status and Future of Small Business in the U.S."; and "Selected Problems of Small Business in Area of Federal Procurement." Page 30089

Treaty Ratified: By unanimous vote of 66 yeas Senate adopted resolution of ratification of Agreement on the Rescue and Return of Astronauts (Ex. J, 90th Cong., second sess.). Pages 29994–29995

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Will E. Leonard, Jr., of Louisiana, and Herschel D. Newsom, of Indiana, both to be members of the Tariff Commission; Margaret Hunter Pierce, of D.C., to be a Commissioner of the Indian Claims Commission; John F. O'Leary, of Maryland, to be Director of the Bureau of Mines; Robert L. Hardesty, of D.C., to be a member of the Advisory Board of the Post Office Department; and Mordecai M. Merker, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Office of Emergency Planning. Nomination of Bernard Norwood, of New Jersey, to be a member of the Tariff Commission, which was submitted on April 3, 1968, was withdrawn. Page 30089

Adjournment: Adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittees held hearings on proposed supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with testimony as follows:

Department of Transportation—John E. Robson, Acting Secretary of Transportation, who was accompanied by his associates;

Independent offices, and Department of Housing and Urban Development—Paul Rand Dixon, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission; Leslie V. Dix, National Commission on Consumer Finance; Joe E. Moody, Deputy Administrator, GSA; Hamer H. Budge, member, SEC; and Robert C. Weaver, Secretary of HUD;

Department of Agriculture—John A. Baker, Assistant Secretary; Dr. Lloyd H. Davis, Federal Extension Service; Rodney E. Leonard, Consumer and Marketing Service; Alex M. Campbell, Commodity Exchange Authority; Richard Emery, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service; Howard Bertsch, Farmers Home

Administration; and Charles L. Grant, Director of Finance and Budget Officer;

Department of the Interior—Floyd E. Dominy, Commissioner of Reclamation; Theodore W. Taylor, Bureau of Indian Affairs; George B. Hartzog, Jr., National Park Service; Harry Rice, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation; and Dr. Erwin S. Rabeau, Division of Indian Health, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare;

Public works—Senator Magnuson, on a civil functions item; and Phillip S. Hughes, Bureau of the Budget, on funds for the National Water Commission;

Department of Health, Education, and Welfare—Peter Muirhead, Bureau of Higher Education; Mary Switzer, Social and Rehabilitation Service; and James F. Kelly, Assistant Secretary, Comptroller;

Department of the Treasury—Sheldon S. Cohen, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and Ernest C. Betts, Jr., Deputy Director, Office of Budget and Finance, both of the Treasury Department; William J. Driver, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs; and Arthur M. Okun, Council of Economic Advisers;

Legislative Branch—John Lacovara, Office of the Senate Sergeant at Arms; and James M. Powell, Chief of Capitol Police;

Department of Justice—Edwin Weisl, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division; Stephen J. Pollak, Assistant Attorney General; and Myrl E. Alexander, Director, Bureau of Prisons;

Department of Commerce—David R. Baldwin, Assistant Secretary for Administration; James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator; and Charles E. Fiero, Office of Foreign Direct Investments;

The judiciary—Judge Matthew F. McGuire, U.S. District Court of the D.C.; and Ernest C. Friesen, Jr., Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts; and

District of Columbia—Thomas W. Fletcher, Deputy Commissioner; Mrs. Marcia R. Kunen; George A. Avery, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission; Kenneth L. Hardy, Department of Corrections; and Wiley Branton, Commission on Revision of Criminal Laws of the D.C.

Committee will hold an executive meeting tomorrow to mark up this bill.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported:

The nomination of Samuel B. Sterrett, of Maryland, to be a judge of the Tax Court of the U.S.;

H.R. 15114, authorizing banks to redeem savings notes and to be reimbursed for losses they incurred in connection with such redemption;

H.R. 18253, to make January 1, 1968, the effective date relating to definition of "earned income" for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals;

H.R. 15798, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk (amended); and

H.R. 18373, to implement five international customs conventions which were ratified by the Senate March 1, 1967 ((1) Customs Convention on the Temporary Importation of Professional Equipment; (2) Customs Convention on the ATA Carnet for the Temporary Admission of Goods; (3) Customs Convention regarding ECS Carnets for Commercial Samples; (4) Customs Convention on Containers; (5) Customs Convention on the International Transport of Goods Under Cover of TIR Carnets).

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider other pending House-passed measures.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations resumed its series of hearings into rioting in American cities, with testimony today on operations of the Wilmington Youth Emergency Action Council, of Wilmington, Del., which received $162,000 from the Office of Economic Opportunity, and allegations that such funds were being paid to Wilmington street gangs. Witnesses heard were Joseph Mannix, of the subcommittee's staff; Walter Fialkwicz, on detail to the subcommittee from the Bureau of Narcotics, Department of Justice; Mrs. Thomas Herlihy, Jr., former chairman of Community Action of Greater Wilmington, Inc.; Capt. John T. McCool, Jr., commander, tactical unit, Wilmington Police Department, who was accompanied by other members of that unit; Capt. Thomas Buckmaster, criminal division, Delaware State Police; and Walter Wassmer, an investigator for the State of Delaware.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 20301–20314 (if further bills are introduced, they will be included in the Wednesday, October 9 Record). Page 30103

House Journal: At the time of submission of the DIGEST for printing, 28 quorum calls had developed during the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of the House for Monday, October 7, 1968.

Referrals: One Senate passed measure was referred to the appropriate committee.

Program for Wednesday: When the DIGEST went to press the House was still in session.

Committee Meetings

SEA POWER—SEA LIFT OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Special Subcommittee on Sea Power heard testimony from Admiral Moorer on sea power and Admiral Ramage on sea lift operations. The committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

1969 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Met in executive session and granted a rule waiving points of order against H.R. 20300, the Supplemental Appropriations Bill, Fiscal Year 1969.

Joint Committee Meetings

GUN CONTROL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms.

RADIATION

Conferees met in executive session to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again tomorrow.

Wednesday, October 9, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30144–30175

Bills Introduced: 12 bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4164–4175; and S. Res. 410–416.

Pages 30150, 30153–30155

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 18612, to enact and codify the general and permanent laws relating to public printing and documents (S. Rept. 1621);

H.R. 2288 and H.R. 4939, private bills (S. Repts. 1622–1623);

H.R. 17864, to amend titles 5, 10, 37, and 42 of the United States Code dealing with government organizations and employees, the Armed Forces, etc. (S. Rept. 1624);

S. 3517, 1339, 2584, H.R. 1596, and 2283, private bills (S. Repts. 1625–1629);

Report of Committee on Armed Services on "Operation of Article VII, NATO Status of Forces Treaty" (S. Rept. 1630);

H.R. 10256, to render assertion of land claims by the U.S. based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defense to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject (S. Rept. 1631);

H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program (S. Rept. 1632);

S. 3373, 3392, 3440, 3447, H.R. 1528, 2263, and 2282, private bills (S. Repts. 1633–1639);

H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees under the Immigration and Nationality Act (S. Rept. 1640);

H.R. 8096, S. 2393, 2957, 3289, 3464, 3573, 3776, and H.R. 5818, private bills (S. Repts. 1641–1648);

S. 2721, to provide that antitrust suit appeals from a U.S. district court decision may only be taken to the Court of Appeals (S. Rept. 1649);

H.R. 7567, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the definition of compensation for purposes of tax under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act (S. Rept. 1650);

H.R. 14095, to amend the Internal Revenue Code so as to make certain changes to facilitate the production of wine (S. Rept. 1651);

H.R. 18486, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the treatment of income from the operation of a communications satellite system (S. Rept. 1652);

H.R. 18942, relating to the income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations (S. Rept. 1653);

H.R. 2478, private bill (S. Rept. 1654);

H.R. 15450, to broaden the term "nonquota immigrant" under the Immigration and Nationality Act to include certain persons serving in religious capacities, with amendments (S. Rept. 1655);

S. 1169, private bill (S. Rept. 1656);

H.R. 15003, to amend the tariff schedules so as to prevent the payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for the purpose of racing, with amendments (S. Rept. 1657);

H.R. 17332, to amend the Internal Revenue Code regarding credits and payments in the case of certain use of gasoline and lubricating oil, with amendments (S. Rept. 1658);

H.R. 11394, to amend certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code relating to distilled spirits, with amendments (S. Rept. 1659);

H.R. 18101, to amend section 337 of the Internal Revenue Code with respect to recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations, with amendments (S. Rept. 1660);

S. Res. 82 and S. Res. 89, private resolutions (S. Repts. 1661–1662);

H.R. 3193, private bill (S. Rept. 1663);

H.R. 859, for relief of public utility district No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash. (S. Rept. 1664);

H.R. 2760 and 5677, private bills (S. Repts. 1665–1666); and

S. Res. 410–414, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees (no written reports). Pages 30149–30150, 30153

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee. Page 30144

President's Communication—Supplemental Appropriations: President submitted communication transmitting proposed supplemental appropriations and other provisions for fiscal year 1969 in the amounts of $469,829,000 in budget authority for executive branch and $4.18 million in proposals not increasing budget authority—referred to Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 109. Page 30149

Authority To Report: Committee on Foreign Relations was granted until midnight tonight to file report on H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program. Page 30144

Gun Control: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 17735, providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms. Pages 30176–30184

Labor-HEW Appropriations: By 56 yeas to 3 nays, Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 18037, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies. Senate then concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 7, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 31, 32, 42, 49, and 52.

Senate rejected, by 15 yeas to 42 nays, Hill motion to concur in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 10 (funds for school assistance in federally impacted areas and providing that such funds shall not be subject to antideficiency statute and shall be exempt from certain limitations in Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968), following which Senate adopted Mundt motion to further insist on Senate amendment No. 10.

Hill motion to recede from Senate amendment No. 65 was adopted.

Senate further insisted on its amendment No. 10, asked for further conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Russell, Stennis, Magnuson, Bible, Byrd of West Virginia, Javits, and Cotton.

Pages 30186–30206

Secretary of Senate: Secretary of Senate was authorized to receive message from the House and to refer same following recess of Senate today. Page 30206

Authority To Meet: Committee on Armed Services was authorized to meet while Senate is in session on Thursday, October 10. Page 30206

Campaign Broadcast Equal Time: By unanimous consent, it was agreed that after approval of Journal on Thursday, October 10, Senate will take up the matter of concurring in House amendments to S.J. Res. 175, suspending for the 1968 campaign the equal-time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President. Pages 30206–30207

Gratuities: Senate adopted S. Res. 410–414, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of deceased Senate employees. Page 30207

Taxation: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts, but action was not completed thereon and it remains Senate's unfinished business. Pages 30174–30175

Drugs: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 14096, to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs by unauthorized persons, agreed to hold conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Hill, Yarborough, Williams of New Jersey, Pell, Kennedy, Javits, Murphy, and Dominick. Page 30208

Supplemental Appropriations: Notices of intention to move to suspend rules for purpose of proposing amendments to H.R. 20300, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, were filed by Senators Sparkman, McGee (for Magnuson), and Pastore (two notices).

Pages 30155–30156

Confirmations: Senate confirmed three civilian nominations, including those of Will E. Leonard, Jr., of Louisiana, and Herschel D. Newsom, of Indiana, both to be members of the Tariff Commission; one judicial nomination; and 42 postmaster nominations.

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Nomination: One judicial nomination was received. Page 30209

Recess: Recessed at 6:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Committee on Appropriations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 20300, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969.

BANK CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions held hearings to receive testimony on bank credit-card and check-credit plans, having as its witnesses Andrew F. Brimmer, member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System;

Thomas J. Bailey, Marine Midland Banks, Inc., Buffalo, N.Y.; and Royal Jackson, Office of the Bankruptcy Division, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

MERCHANT MARINE

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries held hearings on H.R. 163, preventing vessels built outside of the U.S. or documented under foreign registry from carrying cargoes restricted to vessels of the U.S., having as its witnesses James W. Gulick, Acting Maritime Administrator, Department of Commerce; Lane C. Kendall, Military Sea Transportation Service, Department of the Navy; Page Groton, Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders Marine Council, accompanied by Alfred Maskin, American Maritime Association, and Andrew A. Pettis, Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America; E. A. Terres, States Marine-Isthmian Agency, Inc.; Wayne L. Horvitz, Matson Navigation Co.; and Hoyt Haddock, AFL–CIO Maritime Committee.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Finance: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

H.R. 18101, to amend section 337 of the Internal Revenue Code with respect to recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations (amended so as to make cement mixers exempt from the truck tax);

H.R. 18942, relating to income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations;

H.R. 18486, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the treatment of income from the operation of a communications satellite system;

H.R. 11394, to amend certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code relating to distilled spirits (amended so as to add the text of H.R. 16552, to revise tariff schedules with respect to tariff classification of invert or high-test molasses);

H.R. 14095, to amend the Internal Revenue Code so as to make certain changes to facilitate the production of wine;

H.R. 17332, to amend the Internal Revenue Code regarding credits and payments in the case of certain use of gasoline and lubricating oil (amended);

H.R. 7567, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the definition of compensation for purposes of tax under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act; and

H.R. 15003, to amend the tariff schedules so as to prevent the payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for the purpose of racing.

Committee also approved the nominations of Will E. Leonard, Jr., of Louisiana, and Herschel D. Newsom, of Indiana, both to be members of the U.S. Tariff Commission.

FOREIGN MILITARY SALES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings into rioting in American cities, with further testimony on operations of the Wilmington Youth Emergency Action Council, of Wilmington, Del., which received $162,000 from the Office of Economic Opportunity, and allegations that such funds were being paid to Wilmington street gangs. Witnesses heard were John E. Eabiarz, Mayor of Wilmington; George L. Johnson, Community Action of Greater Wilmington, Inc.; O. Francis Biondi, Solicitor of Wilmington; Captain Thomas Buckmaster, criminal division, Delaware State Police; Allan Rusten and Edward J. Goett, both of the Greater Wilmington Development Council, Inc.; and Robert J. Beatson, investigator on the subcommittee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LANDS CLAIMS, AND NOMINATIONS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee, in executive session, reconsidered its action of September 25, and ordered favorably reported without amendment H.R. 10256, to render assertion of land claims by the U.S. based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defense to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject.

Committee also approved the nominations of John F. O'Leary, to be Director, Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior; and Mrs. Margaret H. Pierce, to be a member of the Indian Claims Commission, prior to which action, in open session, Mr. O'Leary was introduced by Kenneth Holum, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, and Mrs. Pierce was introduced by Marion T. Bennett, Chief Commissioner, Court of Claims.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following:

The nominations of David Stahl, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. circuit judge for the third circuit; Albert J. Henderson, Jr., to be U.S. district judge for the northern district of Georgia; Morton L. Susman, to be U.S. attorney for the southern district of Texas; John O. Newman, to be U.S. attorney for the district of Connecticut; and J. Paul Teal, Jr., to be U.S. marshal for the western district of North Carolina;

H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees under the Immigration and Nationality Act;

S. 2721, to provide that antitrust suit appeals from a U.S. district court decision may only be taken to the Court of Appeals;

H.R. 18612, to enact and codify the general and permanent laws relating to public printing and documents;

H.R. 17864, to amend titles 5, 10, 37, and 42 of the U.S. Code dealing with government organizations and employees, the Armed Forces, etc.;

H.R. 15450, to broaden the term "nonquota immigrant" under the Immigration and Nationality Act to include certain persons serving in religious capacities (amended);

Nine private immigration bills (S. 2957, 3289, 3373, 3392, 3440, 3447, 3464, 3573, and 3776);

An omnibus private immigration bill embodying the provisions of the following bills: H.R. 2478, H.R. 3010, H.R. 3527, H.R. 5029, H.R. 6323, H.R. 6673, H.R. 7047, H.R. 7900, H.R. 7901, H.R. 7902, H.R. 7957, H.R. 8245, H.R. 8816, H.R. 9022, H.R. 10415, H.R. 10457, H.R. 10854, H.R. 10857, H.R. 10859, H.R. 10861, H.R. 10862, H.R. 10863, H.R. 10989, H.R. 11085, H.R. 11253, H.R. 11322, H.R. 11591, H.R. 11592, H.R. 11593, H.R. 11787, H.R. 11901, H.R. 12071, H.R. 12115, H.R. 12116, H.R. 12246, H.R. 12306, H.R. 12378, H.R. 12419, H.R. 12420, H.R. 12502, H.R. 12816, H.R. 12850, H.R. 12860, H.R. 13159, H.R. 13351, H.R. 13353, H.R. 13380, H.R. 13381, H.R. 13382, H.R. 13469, H.R. 13577, H.R. 13650, H.R. 13863, H.R. 14016, H.R 14017, H.R. 14238, H.R. 14324, H.R. 14380, H.R. 14389, H.R. 14513, H.R. 14654, H.R. 14658, H.R. 14660, H.R. 14751, H.R. 14786, H.R. 15060, H.R. 15061, H.R. 15174, H.R. 15210, H.R. 15476, H.R. 15634, H.R. 15840, H.R. 15969, H.R. 16238, H.R. 17222, H.R. 18174, H.R. 18274, H.R. 18316;

Twenty private claims bills (H.R. 859, 1528, 1596, 2263, 2282, 2283, 2288, 2760, 3913, 4939, 5677, 5818, 8096, S. 1169, 1339, 2393, 2584, 3517, S. Res. 82, and S. Res. 89).

Committee also approved a motion to vacate its previous action in calling for the rereferring to the Committee on Armed Services of S. 725, giving the District Courts jurisdiction concurrent with that of the Court of Claims of claims relating to retired pay of Armed Forces officers who served prior to November 12, 1918.

Committee indefinitely postponed further action on 18 private immigration bills (S. 1210, 1405, 1728, 1782, 2177, 2799, 3138, 3326, 3371, 3389, 3393, 3412, 3422, 3489, 3512, 3673, 3715, and 3843), and 1 private claim bill (H.R. 4015).

DEATH GRATUITIES

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee announced that it has approved for reporting five original resolutions (S. Res. 410–414), authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of five deceased Senate employees.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Bills for legislative day October 8, 1968: 49 public bills, H.R. 20301–20349; 56 private bills, H.R. 20350–20405; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1468, H. Con. Res. 843, and H. Res. 1317 and 1318, were introduced. Pages 30103, 30243–30246, 30304–30305

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 20313, regarding medical and dental officers of the uniformed services (H. Rept. 1954);

H. Res. 1317, providing for the waiving of points of order against H.R. 20300, the supplemental appropriations for 1969 (H. Rept. 1955);

Conference report on H.R. 17735, regarding interstate traffic in firearms (H. Rept. 1956);

Report entitled "The Ocean, a Challenging New Frontier" (H. Rept. 1957); and

Conference report on H.R. 14096, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (H. Rept. 1958).

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House Motions: A motion to overrule a ruling of the Chair was rejected by a record vote of 136 yeas to 102 nays, and a motion to reconsider the vote to overrule the Chair was rejected by a record vote of 137 yeas to 104 nays. A motion that the House adjourn was rejected by a record vote of 92 yeas to 149 nays.

Pages 30215–30217

Equal-time Requirements: By a record vote of 280 yeas to 35 nays the House passed S.J. Res. 175, to suspend for the 1968 campaign the equal-time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for candidates for the offices of President and Vice President.

A motion to recommit with instructions, designed to provide for equal but separate time for the three major candidates instead of a debate, was rejected by a record vote of 112 yeas to 204 nays.

The House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for consideration of the bill by a record vote of 285 yeas.

Adopted the committee amendments and rejected an amendment regarding division of time between the candidates during a debate and an amendment identical to the recommittal motion.

The previous question was ordered on H. Res. 1315 by a record vote of 162 yeas to 111 nays.

Adopted H. Res. 1315, providing for the consideration of S.J. Res. 175 by a record vote of 284 yeas to 1 nay.

Pages 30217–30243

LSD: Disagreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 14096, regarding LSD and other depressant and stimulant drugs; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Rogers of Florida, Satterfield, Springer, Nelsen, and Carter. Page 30243

Defense Appropriations: Granted permission to the Committee on Appropriations to file a conference report on H.R. 18707, the Defense Department appropriations, by midnight, October 10. Page 30246

Supplemental Appropriations: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 20300, making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969.

Adopted H. Res. 1317, waiving points of order against the bill.

Adopted amendments regarding—

$20 million additional for food stamp program;

$1.5 million additional for flood insurance program; and

$250,000 for Indian scholarships.

Rejected a motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations. Pages 30224, 30246–30271

D.C. Legislation: Concurred in Senate amendments to District of Columbia bills, H.R. 18248 and H.R. 7417, thus clearing the bills for the White House. Pages 30271–30274

D.C. Legislation: The House passed S. 2012, regarding D.C. food for public schools, amended. Pages 30274–30276

Cascade Locks: The House passed S. 3615, to convey lands to Port of Cascade Locks, Oregon, thus clearing the bill for the President. Page 30278

Presidential Message—Trade Agreements: Received and read a message from the President transmitting the 12th annual report of the trade agreements program—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered printed as a House document, with illustrations (H. Doc. 394). Pages 30278-30279

Adjournment: Adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

Committee Meetings

WATERSHED PROJECT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit held a hearing on the New Jerusalem, Calif., Watershed project. Testimony was heard from Representative McFall and officials of the Department of Agriculture. Following the open hearing, the subcommittee met in executive session and approved the project for full committee action.

Committee on Agriculture: Met in executive session and approved the New Jerusalem, Calif., Watershed project.

Joint Committee Meetings

RADIATION

Conferees continued, in an evening executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices.

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Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30397–30472

Bills Introduced: 10 bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4176–4185; S.J. Res. 201; and S. Con. Res. 81. Pages 30410–30411

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 20300, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, with amendments (S. Rept. 1667)—reported during recess of Senate on October 9 under prior authorization;

H.R. 11618, to prevent the importation of endangered species of fish or wildlife into the U.S., with amendments (S. Rept. 1668);

H.R. 8364, to provide for the termination of the interest of the U.S. in certain real property in Allen Park, Mich. (S. Rept. 1669); and

H.J. Res. 691, extending greetings to St. Louis University in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on the 150th anniversary of its founding (no written report). Pages 30398–30412

Armed Forces: Senate passed without amendment S. 4158, clarification of conditions relating to continuous pay to certain physicians and dentists in the Armed Forces. Page 30399

Medals: S. 3531, providing for striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of founding of city of Memphis, was passed without amendment. Pages 30399–30400

Private Bill: Senate passed without amendment S. 1339, private bill. Page 30400

Appointment by Vice President: Senator Goodell was appointed, on behalf of Vice President, to be a member of the Select Committee To Study the Unmet Basic Needs Among the People of the U.S. Page 30398

Campaign Broadcast Equal Time: Senate considered question of concurring in House amendments to S.J. Res. 175, suspending for the 1968 campaign the equal-

time requirements of section 315 of the Communications Act of 1934 for nominees for the offices of President and Vice President, and, by adoption of Mansfield motion, the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Pages 30400–30402

Foreign Military Sales: Senate passed without amendment (motion to reconsider tabled) H.R. 15681, authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program. This action cleared bill for White House. Pages 30403–30405

Printing: The press conferences of the Republican leadership were ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 110.

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Printing: Letter from Secretary of the Army transmitting a report, dated January 17, 1968, from Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army, on review of report on Ozark lock and dam, and lock and dam No. 9, Arkansas River, Ark., was referred to Committee on Public Works, and ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 111.

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Supplemental Appropriations: By 57 yeas to 3 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Senate passed with amendments H.R. 20300, supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969, after taking the following actions on amendments thereto:

Adopted: All committee amendments, except that the one comprising chapter III on foreign assistance was amended by eliminating the language providing $160 million for International Development Fund. The question was divided on adoption of committee amendment to substitute for section 1002, section 1302(a), and section 1302(b). On division of the question section 1302(a) to exempt from Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968 farm price supports paid by Commodity Credit Corporation up to $907 million was adopted by 31 yeas to 25 nays (motion to reconsider tabled); and section 1302(b) to exempt similarly Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for grants to States for public assistance up to $750 million was adopted by 30 yeas to 28 nays (motion to reconsider tabled).

The following amendments from the floor were then adopted: Sparkman amendment No. 1023 respecting divestiture of uninsured savings and loan associations by savings and loan holding companies; Mansfield (for Magnuson) amendment No. 1024 to provide protection to the historic archeological finds at Marmes Rock Shelter Area, Washington; Harris amendment authorizing agencies to contribute to National Council on Indian Opportunity $275,000 rather than $100,000; Harris amendment to increase by $400,000 funds for education and welfare services, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and Javits amendment to increase by $1.5 million authorized annual grants for college housing.

Senate insisted on its amendments, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Holland, Pastore, Russell, Hill, Stennis, Byrd of West Virginia, McGee, Mundt, Young of North Dakota, Kuchel, and Allott. Pages 30405, 30472–30494

Veterans: Senate concurred (with an amendment) in House amendment to H.R. 3593, providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii. Pages 30494–30495

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 14 bills, 13 of which are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Private bills: Four private bills, H.R. 1596, 2263, 2282, and 5677.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Immigration: H.R. 15450, to broaden the term "nonquota immigrant" under the Immigration and Nationality Act to include certain persons serving in religious capacities; and

Private bills: Two private bills, H.R. 8096 and 5818.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 3517 and 3392.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Five private bills, S. 2393, 2957, 3573, 3776, and 1169. Pages 30497–30498

Confirmations: The following nominations were confirmed: Margaret Hunter Pierce, of D.C., to be a Commissioner of the Indian Claims Commission; John F. O'Leary, of Maryland, to be Director of the Bureau of Mines; Robert F. Hardesty, of D.C., to be a member of the Advisory Board for the Post Office Department; Mordecai M. Merker, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Office of Emergency Planning; Lewis E. Evans, of Pennsylvania, to be member of Federal Coal Mine Safety Board of Review; and numerous judicial, postmaster, Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps. Page 30555

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Nathaniel Davis, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Guatemala; John B. Rehm, of Maryland, to be Deputy Special Representative for Trade Negotiations, with rank of Ambassador; and numerous postmaster, Army, and Navy. Pages 30551–30555

Adjournment: Adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the nomination of Mordecai Merker, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Emergency Planning; and 8,244 nominations in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, Mr. Merker was introduced to the committee by OEP Director Price Daniel.

BANK CREDIT CARDS

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions continued hearings to receive testimony on bank credit-card and check-credit plans. Witnesses heard were Miss Betty Furness, Special Assist-

ant to the President for Consumer Affairs; William F. Willier, professor of law, Boston College; and Eric E. Bergsten, professor of law, University of Iowa.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings into rioting in American cities, with further testimony on operations of the Wilmington Youth Emergency Action Council, of Wilmington, Del., which received $162,000 from the Office of Economic Opportunity, and allegations that such funds were being paid to Wilmington street gangs. Today's witness was Bertrand M. Harding, Acting Director, who was accompanied by other officials of the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Hearings continue tomorrow, with further testimony from Mr. Harding.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 20406–20430; 63 private bills, H.R. 20431–20493; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 1469 and 1470, and H. Res. 1319, were introduced. Pages 30728–30730

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 1314, regarding House beauty shop funds, amended (H. Rept. 1959);

H. Res. 995, regarding pay of Expert Transcriber to Official Reporters of Debates and Expert Transcriber to Official Committee Reporters, amended (H. Rept. 1960);

H. Con. Res. 763, to provide for the printing as a House document of a survey and handbook entitled "Federal Education Policies, Programs, and Proposals" (H. Rept. 1961);

H. Con. Res. 797, to provide for the printing of the report entitled "Commercial Banks and Their Trust Activities: Emerging Influence on the American Economy" (H. Rept. 1962);

H. Con. Res. 801, to provide for the printing as a House document the listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth study (H. Rept. 1963);

H. Res. 497, provide for the printing as a House document of the bibliographical list entitled "Hungarians in Rumania and Transylvania," prepared by the Library of Congress (H. Rept. 1964);

H. Res. 1280, to print as a House document the eulogy proceedings on former Representative Hubert B. Scudder (H. Rept. 1965);

H. Res. 1301, to authorize the printing of "Compilation of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968" (H. Rept. 1966);

H.R. 19415, regarding fourth-class or library mailing rates (H. Rept. 1967);

Conference report on H.R. 15147, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act (H. Rept. 1968);

Conference report on H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program (H. Rept. 1969);

Conference report on H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment (H. Rept. 1970); and

Conference report on H.R. 10790, providing for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices (H. Rept. 1971). Page 30728

Committee Appointments: Adopted H. Res. 1319, providing that the following-named Members be elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Kazen;

Committee on the Judiciary: Ryan and Waldie; and

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Purcell.

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Manpower Development: Passed S. 2938, to extend various expiring provisions under the Manpower Development and Training Act. Pages 30557–30560

House Administration: The following resolutions from the Committee on House Administration were considered and passed: H. Res. 1314, amended, H. Res. 995, amended, H. Con. Res. 763, H. Con. Res. 797, H. Con. Res. 801, H. Res. 497, H. Res. 1280, and H. Res. 1301 (for titles see "Bills Reported" in this issue of the DIGEST). Pages 30560–30561, 30566–30568

Physicians—Dentists: Passed S. 4158, regarding Armed Forces physicians and dentists. Page 30561

Special Courts-Martial: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15971, to create a single-officer general and special courts-martial, thus clearing the measure for the White House. Pages 30561–30566

Firearms: By a record vote of 160 yeas to 129 nays, agreed to the conference report on H.R. 17735, State Firearms Control Assistance Act, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 30568–30588

Conference Reports: Granted permission that conference reports be considered on the same day as reported for the balance of the week. Page 30589

Standard Baskets: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 13058, relating to standard baskets and containers for fruits and vegetables. Page 30588

HEW Appropriations: The House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 10 to H.R. 18037, the Labor-Health, Education, and Welfare appropriations. Pages 30588–30589

Veterans' Widows: Agreed to Senate amendments with House amendments to H.R. 16025, regarding widows of deceased veterans. Pages 30589–30592

Alumina: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 7735, regarding duty on certain articles of alumina, bauxite, copper, and cellulosic plastics, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 30592–30600

Renegotiation Act: By a record vote of 196 yeas to 44 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 17324, the Renegotiation Amendments Act of 1968, thus clearing the legislation for Presidential action.

Pages 30600–30609

Iron Castings: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 653, regarding duty on certain nonmalleable iron castings and fabrics in chief weight of wool, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 30609–30611

Private Bill: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 3865, a private bill. Page 30611

Housing Study: Adopted, by a record vote of 152 yeas to 66 nays, H. Res. 1304, regarding investigation and study of housing, and new town and community development, and government financial institutions and central banks.

Pages 30611–30613

Private Bill: Adopted H. Res. 1305, a private bill.

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Supplemental Appropriations: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 20300, the supplemental appropriations bill; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Mahon, Whitten, Rooney of New York, Passman, Boland, Natcher, Flood, Hansen of Washington, Jonas, Laird, Cederberg, Lipscomb, and Shriver. Page 30613

Foreign Assistance: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 19908, the foreign assistance and related agencies appropriation bill, by a record vote of 125 yeas to 93 nays, and sent the legislation to the Senate. Receded and concurred with an amendment to Senate amendment No. 4.

Pages 30613–30617

Acting Clerk: Received a communication from the Clerk of the House designating Billie Gene Hollowell to act during his absence. Page 30617

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AIRPORT SURVEY

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Navigation, held a hearing to obtain information on the Environmental Science Services Administration's Airport Obstruction Survey Program. Testimony was heard from government and public witnesses. The committee adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

APPROPRIATIONS—FOREIGN AID

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program.

RADIATION

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices.

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Friday, October 11, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 30820–30959

Bills Introduced: 11 bills and nine resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 4186–4196; S. Con. Res. 82–83; and S. Res. 417–423. Pages 30839, 30858–30859

Bill Reported: Report was made as follows: S. 3378, providing for U.S. contribution of $480 million to the International Development Association, with amendment (S. Rept. 1670). Page 30838

Armed Forces: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 15147, providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961.

Pages 30830–30831

Drugs: Conference report was adopted on H.R. 14096, to prescribe penalties for the possession of LSD and other hallucinogenic drugs by unauthorized persons.

Pages 30963–30965

Nonproliferation Treaty: The majority leader announced that matter of ratification of Treaty on the Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (Ex. H, 90th Cong., second sess.) will not be taken up at this time, outlining the reasons for this decision. This subject was discussed by other Senators. Pages 30965–30970

Library of Congress: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H.R. 10725, providing

salary increases for certain members of the police force of the Library of Congress.

S. 1943, companion bill, was indefinitely postponed.

Page 30831

Calendar Call: On call of calendar Senate passed 30 measures, of which 10 are private, as follows:

Without amendment and cleared for President:

Printing: H.R. 18612, to enact and codify the general and permanent laws relating to public printing and documents;

U.S. Code: H.R. 17864, to amend titles 5, 10, 37, and 42 of the United States Code dealing with Government organizations and employees, the Armed Forces, etc.;

Land claims: H.R. 10256, to render assertion of land claims by the U.S. based upon accretion or avulsion subject to legal and equitable defense to which private persons asserting such claims would be subject;

Immigration: H.R. 2792, to eliminate the statutory prescription of fees under the Immigration and Nationality Act;

Klickitat County, Wash.: H.R. 859, for relief of public utility district No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash.;

St. Louis University: H.J. Res. 691, extending greetings to St. Louis University in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on the 150th anniversary of its founding;

Public lands—Michigan: H.R. 8364, to provide for the termination of the interest of the U.S. in certain real property in Allen Park, Mich.;

Self-employed pension plans: H.R. 18253, to make January 1, 1968, the effective date relating to definition of "earned income" for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals;

Conventions implementation: H.R. 18373, to implement five international customs conventions which were ratified by the Senate March 1, 1967;

Savings bonds: H.R. 15114, authorizing banks to redeem savings notes and to be reimbursed for losses they incurred in connection with such redemption;

Railroad retirement tax: H.R. 7567, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the definition of compensation for purposes of tax under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act;

Taxation—wine: H.R. 14095, to amend the Internal Revenue Code so as to make certain changes to facilitate the production of wine;

Taxation: H.R. 18486, to amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the treatment of income from the operation of a communications satellite system;

Taxation: H.R. 18942, relating to the income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations;

Merchant Marine: H.R. 159, to establish a Federal Maritime Administration as an independent agency; and

Private bills: Four private bills, H.R. 2288, 2283, 4939, and 2760.

With amendment, to be sent back to House:

Tariff: H.R. 15798, to extend for an additional temporary period the existing suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk;

Tariff: H.R. 15003, to amend the tariff schedules so as to prevent the payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for the purpose of racing;

Taxation: H.R. 17332, to amend the Internal Revenue Code regarding credits and payments in the case of certain use of gasoline and lubricating oil;

Taxation: H.R. 18101, to amend section 337 of the Internal Revenue Code with respect to recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations;

Private bill: One private bill, H.R. 2478.

Without amendment and cleared for House:

Antitrust: S. 2721, to provide that antitrust suit appeals from a U.S. district court decision may only be taken to the Court of Appeals; and

Private bills: Three private bills, S. 2584, 3373, and 3440.

With amendment and cleared for House:

Private bills: Two private bills, S. 3289 and 3464.

Pages 30820–30828, 30831–30835

Bills Cleared for President: The following bills were cleared for President when Senate took the actions indicated:

Foreign aid appropriations: H.R. 19908, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program (adoption of conference report and concurrence in House amendment to Senate amendment No. 4 respecting funds for technical cooperation and development grants, Alliance for Progress);

D.C.: S. 2012, relating to the administration of the school lunch program in the D.C. (concurrence in House amendments);

Food containers: H.R. 13058, to repeal certain acts relating to containers for fruits and vegetables (when Senate receded from its amendment);

Educational assistance: H.R. 16025, providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans (concurrence in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 3, and 5);

Woodrow Wilson Memorial: S. 3174, to establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution (concurrence in House amendment);

Supplemental appropriations: H.R. 20300, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969 (adoption of conference report and concurrence in House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 11, 40, 50, and 71);

Stockpiling: H.R. 5785, authorizing disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile (when Senate receded from its amendment);

Defense appropriations: H.R. 18707, fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment (adoption of conference report and concurrence with House amendment to Senate amendment No. 17 respecting exemption from Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of certain employees situated in Southeast Asia Theater of Operations);

Health—radiation: H.R. 10790, to provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emissions from electronic devices (adoption of conference report);

Medals: H.R. 17361, providing for striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of founding of city of Memphis (when Committee on Banking and Currency was discharged from its consideration and it was passed without amendment);

Public lands—New Mexico: S. 3736, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to village of Central, N. Mex., certain lands formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation (concurrence in House amendment);

Private bill: S. 857, private bill (concurrence in House amendment); and

Inaugural Committee: S. 3416, to authorize GSA to render direct assistance to and perform special services for the Inaugural Committee (concurrence in House amendment). Pages 30827–30828, 30831, 30972

Taxation: Senate passed with amendments H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts. During consideration of the bill Senate adopted Long of Louisiana motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Finance with instructions to report it back forthwith after eliminating the Long of Louisiana amendment that had been adopted on September 24 providing a revised formula for payments to States toward medicaid program and barring payments for medicaid to individuals whose income exceeds an amount to be determined in accordance with certain standards.

Senate then continued consideration of the bill as reported back without the Long of Louisiana medicaid amendment, adopting Harris amendment to exempt Division of Indian Public Health from personnel restrictions in Revenue and Expenditures Control Act of 1968, and rejecting Smathers amendment to impose a 5-percent tax on overseas transportation of passengers by air.

Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill, asked for conference with House, and appointed as conferees Senators Long of Louisiana, Smathers, Anderson, Williams of Delaware, and Carlson. Pages 30959–30963

Appointments by Vice President: The following appointments by the Vice President were announced:

To attend the 14th meeting of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association to be held at Nassau on October 30–November 7—Senators Randolph, Jordan of North Carolina, and Young of Ohio;

As alternate delegate to the North Atlantic Assembly to be held at Brussels November 11–16—Senator Metcalf; and

To the Public Land Law Review Commission in lieu of Senator Kuchel—Senator Fannin. Page 30838

Printing: A study entitled "The Relationship Between Highway Facilities and Other Modes of Commuter Service in the Movement of People to and From the Washington, D.C., Area From Areas Beyond the Proposed Range of Projected Mass Transit and Urban Freeway Facilities" was ordered to be printed as a Senate document. Page 30859

Printing: Summary of the legislative record and accomplishments of the 90th Congress was ordered to be printed as a Senate document. Page 30828

Printing: The major laws digest was ordered to be printed in Congressional Record at a later date, and the customary number of copies were ordered to be printed as a separate Senate document.

The customary end of the session report of the minority leader was ordered to be printed in a later edition of the Congressional Record, and was also ordered to be printed as a Senate document. Page 30859

Taxation: Senate passed H.R. 11394, to amend certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code relating to distilled spirits, after adopting the first committee amendment, and rejecting committee amendment comprising sections 5 and 6 of the bill respecting sugars, sirups, and molasses. Senate adopted Williams of Delaware amendment comprising the reported text of sections 1 through 4 of H.R. 2767, to allow farmers an amortized tax deduction for assessments levied by soil or water conservation districts. Pages 31804–31805

Veterans: Senator Long of Louisiana announced appointment of Special Subcommittee on Veterans of the Committee on Finance to be made up of Senators Gore, Talmadge, Hartke, Metcalf, Bennett, and Curtis. By unanimous consent this subcommittee was authorized to hold hearings during sine die adjournment. Page 31805

Secretary of Senate: Senate adopted S. Res. 418, authorizing Secretary of Senate to honor certain vouchers submitted during sine die adjournment. Page 31103

Water Pollution: Senate concurred (with an amendment) to House amendment to S. 3206, proposed Water Quality Improvement Act. Pages 31105–31113

Printing: Senate adopted H. Con. Res. 763, to print as a House document a survey and handbook entitled "Federal Educational Policies, Programs, and Proposals." Page 31025

Printing: H. Con. Res. 801, to print as a House document a listing of operating Federal assistance programs compiled during the Roth Study, was adopted. Page 31025

Printing: Senate adopted an original resolution, S. Res. 417, authorizing printing of a compilation entitled "Mineral and Water Resources of Colorado".

Pages 31013–31014

Printing: H. Con. Res. 797, providing for printing of report entitled "Commercial Banks and Trust Activities," was adopted. Page 31078

Authority To Report: Committee on Government Operations was authorized to file reports during adjournment sine die. Page 31025

Adjournment Resolutions: Senate adopted the following adjournment resolutions:

Adjournment: S. Con. Res. 83, providing for sine die adjournment of second session of the 90th Congress on October 11, 1968;

Enrolled bills: S. Con. Res. 82, authorizing the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions notwithstanding the sine die adjournment of Congress;

Committee to wait on President: S. Res. 419, to notify the President that the second session of the 90th Congress has completed its work;

Appointments to Boards: S. Res. 421, authorizing Vice President to make appointments during sine die adjournment to commissions and committees authorized by law;

Vice President: S. Res. 422, tendering thanks of Senate to Vice President for manner in which he has presided over Senate;

President pro tempore: S. Res. 423, tendering thanks of Senate to President pro tempore for manner in which he has presided over Senate; and

Acting President pro tempore: S. Res. 420, tendering thanks of Senate to Acting President pro tempore for manner in which he has presided over Senate.

Pages 30858–30859

Senate Committee: Senate took up, but did not complete action on, S. Res. 13, to create a Standing Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Pages 31113–31115

Confirmation: Senate confirmed the following nomination: Covey T. Oliver, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Pages 31115–31116

Nominations: The following nominations were received: Walter B. Lewis, of D.C., to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; and Covey T. Oliver, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. Executive Director of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Page 31115

Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:01 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CITY RIOTS

Committee on Government Operations: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations continued its series of hearings concerning rioting in American cities, particularly on operations of the Wilmington Youth Emergency Action Council, of Wilmington, Del., which received $162,000 from the Office of Economic Opportunity, and allegations that such funds were being paid to Wilmington street gangs. Further testimony was received from Bertrand M. Harding, Acting Director, accompanied by other officials of the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Hearings were adjourned subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 20494–20507; 69 private bills, H.R. 20508–20576; and four resolutions, H.J. Res. 1471 and 1472, and H. Res. 1320 and 1321, were introduced. Pages 30767, 30817–30818

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 20300, the supplemental appropriations (H. Rept. 1972); and

H. Res. 1211, regarding additional Capitol Police, amended (H. Rept. 1973). Page 30817

Watershed Protection: Received and read communications from the chairman of the Committee on Agriculture regarding watershed protection—referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Page 30731

Recess: Granted permission for the Speaker to call a recess at any time on Friday, October 11. Page 30731

Veterans' Nursing Home Care: Agreed to Senate amendment to House amendment to H.R. 3593, to eliminate certain requirements for the furnishing of nursing home care in the case of veterans hospitalized by the Veterans' Administration in Alaska or Hawaii, thus clearing the bill for the White House.

Pages 30731–30732

Radiation Control: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 10790, Radiation Control for Health and Safety Act of 1968, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Page 30733

D.C. Parking: The House insisted on its amendments to S. 944, to establish District of Columbia parking facilities; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives McMillan, Abernethy, Dowdy, Whitener, Nelson, Harsha, and Broyhill of Virginia. Page 30738

Crude Pine Gum: A point of order was sustained against S. 2511, to maintain and improve the income of producers of crude pine gum, and to stabilize production of crude pine gum, and the bill was recommitted.

H. Res. 1256, the rule under which the bill was to be considered, was adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 30738–30739

Supplemental Appropriations: By a record vote of 209 yeas to 12 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 20300, the supplemental appropriation bill, 1969, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred in Senate amendments Nos. 15, 27, 28, 45, and 65, and receded and concurred with amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 11, 40, 50, and 71. Pages 30739–30750

Low-Income Housing: The Speaker appointed Representatives Patman, Barrett, Del Clawson, and Brown of Michigan to the National Advisory Committee on Low-Income Housing. Page 30751

Private Bill: Agreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 5818, a private bill. Page 30751

Firefighters: Sustained a point of order against S. 1507, to include firefighters within the provisions of section 8336(c) of title 5, U.S. Code, relating to the retirement of Government employees engaged in certain hazardous occupations, and ordered the bill recommitted.

Page 30751

Remote Worksites: The House passed H.R. 12881, to authorize the payment of allowances to defray commuting expenses of civilian employees of executive agencies assigned to duty at remote worksites, amended.

Pages 30751–30752

Erroneous Payments—Executive Agencies: The House passed S. 4120, to authorize the waiver, in certain cases, of claims of the U.S. arising out of erroneous payments of pay to employees of the executive agencies, thus clearing the legislation for the White House.

Pages 30752–30753

Defense Appropriations: By a record vote of 213 yeas to 6 nays, the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 18707, the Department of Defense appropriations, and sent the legislation to the Senate. The House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 17, with an amendment. Pages 30753–30761

LSD: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 14096, regarding LSD and other depressant and stimulant drugs, thus clearing the legislation for the White House.

Pages 30761–30762

Capitol Police: Adopted H. Res. 1211, to provide for an additional number of positions on the U.S. Capitol police force for duty under the House of Representatives, amended. Pages 30762–30763

Immigration: Adopted the conference report on H.R. 15147, regarding naturalization for Armed Forces personnel in combat areas, thus clearing the legislation for the White House. Pages 30763–30764

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Immigration: The House disagreed to Senate amendments to H.R. 15450, to include within the terms "nonquota immigrant" immigrants who for 2 years prior to seeking admission into the United States were serving as a missionary, brother, nun, or sister of a religious denomination. Page 30764

Private Bill: Agreed to Senate amendment to H.R. 2478, a private bill, with an amendment.

Pages 30764–30767

Legislative Program: Adopted H. Res. 1320, providing for a committee to notify the President of the completion of all business before the Congress. Representatives Albert and Gerald R. Ford were appointed to the committee on the part of the House. Pages 30767–30768

Referrals: Eight Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate committees. Pages 30815–30816

Adjournment: Adjourned at 7:53 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—SUPPLEMENTAL

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 20300, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969.

D.C. PARKING

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 944, providing an effective method for dealing with present and future needs for auto parking facilities in the D.C.

Saturday, October 12, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bill Introduced: One public bill, H.R. 20577, was introduced. Page 31154

Bill Reported: One Report was filed as follows:

Conference report, S. 944, regarding D.C. parking (H. Rept. 1974). Page 31154

Presidential Messages—Annual Reports: Received and read a message from the President transmitting annual reports regarding Office of Economic Opportunity; National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Atomic Energy Agreement. Pages 31117–31118

Adjournment: Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, October 14, 1968

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 31271–31296

Bills Introduced: Three bills were introduced, as follows: S. 4197–4199. Page 31272

President's Message—Atomic Energy: President's message transmitting amendment to the agreement between the U.S. and United Kingdom for cooperation on the uses of atomic energy for mutual defense, signed at Washington, September 27, 1968, was received and referred to Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Page 31272

D.C. Parking: Senate adopted conference report on S. 944, providing an effective method for dealing with present and future needs for auto parking facilities in the D.C. Pages 31252–31253

Adjournment: Senate concurred in House amendment to S. Con. Res. 83, providing for sine die adjournment of the second session of the 90th Congress. The amendment changed the date of such adjournment from October 11 to October 14. Page 31296

Confirmations: The nomination of one postmaster was confirmed.

In addition to the nominations shown as confirmed on October 11, Senate also confirmed nominations of Nathaniel Davis, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to Guatemala; and 45 postmasters. Page 31310

Nominations: Senate received nine postmaster nominations.

In addition to the nominations shown as received on October 11, Senate also received the nominations of William H. Brown III, of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission; Louis Levin, of Maryland, to be Deputy Director of the National Science Foundation; 30 postmasters; and one postmaster withdrawal. Page 31310

Adjournment Sine Die: Adjourned sine die at 2:17 p.m. Page 31309

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Two public bills, H.R. 20578 and 20579; eight private bills, H.R. 20580–20587; and five resolutions, H.J. Res. 1473, H. Res. 1322–1325, were introduced. Pages 31313, 31371–31372

Legislative Program: Received the report of the committee to notify the President of the completion of all business before the Congress. Page 31311

Adjournment Resolution: Adopted S. Con. Res. 83, providing for the sine die adjournment of the second session of the 90th Congress, amended. Pages 31312–31313

91st Session Rules and Manual: Adopted H. Res. 1322, providing for the printing of the Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives for the 91st Congress. Page 31313

Report of Comptroller General: Adopted H. Res. 1323, providing for the printing during adjournment of reports of the Comptroller General. Page 31313

Senate Amendments: Considered Senate amendments to the following bills:

S. 3206, relating to the construction of waste treatment works;

H.R. 17332, regarding credits and payments in the case of certain use of gasoline and lubricating oil;

H.R. 18101, regarding recognition of gain or loss on sales or exchanges in connection with certain liquidations;

H.R. 15798, regarding suspension of duties on certain classifications of yarn of silk;

H.R. 15003, to prevent payment of multiple customs duties in the case of horses temporarily exported for the purpose of racing; and

H.R. 11394, to provide for refund of the tax imposed on distilled spirits when such spirits are lost by reason of flood, fire, or other disaster after completion of bottling and casing but before removal from the plant (cleared for the White House). Pages 31316–31325

Speaker: Adopted H. Res. 1324, expressing the gratitude of the House to the Honorable John W. McCormack, Speaker of the House. Page 31371

Adjournment Sine Die: Adjourned sine die at 2 p.m. Pages 31372–31373

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

This table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the House and Senate from January 10, 1967, through October 14, 1968.

RÉSUMÉ OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

FIRST SESSION

January 10 through December 15, 1967

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	200	189	..
Time in session	1,090 hrs., 48′	868 hrs., 16′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	19,086	17,334	36,420
Appendix	..	..	6,586
Public bills enacted into law	94	155	249
Private bills enacted into law	95	109	204
Bills in conference	5	6	..
Bills through conference	16	44	..
Measures passed, total	965	892	..
Senate bills	465	160	..
House bills	271	457	..
Senate joint resolutions	35	17	..
House joint resolutions	12	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	17	15	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	23	..
Simple resolutions	143	204	247
Measures reported, total	*1,035	*937	..
Senate bills	491	146	..
House bills	277	572	..
Senate joint resolutions	39	10	..
House joint resolutions	12	16	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	22	10	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	15	..
Simple resolutions	189	168	357
Special reports	26	50	..
Conference reports	..	63	..
Reported measures not acted on	19	74	..
Measures introduced, total	3,207	17,180	20,387
Bills	2,822	14,593	17,415
Joint resolutions	131	971	1,102
Concurrent resolutions	52	605	657
Simple resolutions	202	1,011	1,213
Quorum calls	80	202	..
Yea-and-nay votes	315	245	..
Bills vetoed	..	3	3
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

RÉSUMÉ OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

SECOND SESSION

January 15 through October 14, 1968

	Senate	*House*	*Total*
Days in session	158	139	..
Time in session	870 hrs., 11′	726 hrs., 36′	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	12,896	10,056	22,952
Extensions of Remarks	..	..	9,826
Public bills enacted into law	165	226	391
Private bills enacted into law	76	82	158
Bills in conference	3	3	..
Bills through conference	22	52	..
Measures passed, total	766	767	..
Senate bills	255	181	..
House bills	295	335	..
Senate joint resolutions	24	20	..
House joint resolutions	19	27	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	13	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	23	24	..
Simple resolutions	137	175	312
Measures reported, total	*860	*808	..
Senate bills	281	152	..
House bills	314	449	..
Senate joint resolutions	27	10	..
House joint resolutions	16	14	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	13	5	..
House concurrent resolutions	22	15	..
Simple resolutions	187	163	350
Special reports	27	48	..
Conference reports	..	69	..
Reported measures not acted on	32	76	108
Measures introduced, total	1,699	7,047	8,746
Bills	1,377	5,994	7,371
Joint resolutions	70	502	572
Concurrent resolutions	31	238	269
Simple resolutions	221	313	534
Quorum calls	**48	195	..
Yea-and-nay votes	**280	233	..
Bills vetoed	..	5	5
Vetoes overridden	..	..	..

*These figures on measures reported include all placed on calendar or acted on by Senate even if there was no accompanying report. In the Senate 946 reports were filed during the first session and 724 in the second session; while the House filed 1,050 in the first session and 925 in the second session.

**These figures do not include three quorum calls which did not develop quorums, and one yea-and-nay vote which was ruled invalid for lack of a quorum.

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

These tables account for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for confirmation.

FIRST SESSION

January 10 through December 15, 1967

Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,678, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,515
Unconfirmed	146
Withdrawn	17
Army nominations, totaling 12,884, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	12,883
Unconfirmed	1
Air Force nominations, totaling 19,990, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	19,988
Unconfirmed	2
Navy nominations, totaling 17,512, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	17,512
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 12,543, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	12,543
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 4,647, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,641
Unconfirmed	4
Withdrawn	2

Summary

Total nominations received	69,254
Total confirmed	69,082
Total unconfirmed	153
Total withdrawn	19

SECOND SESSION

January 15 through October 14, 1968

Army nominations, totaling 10,497, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	10,389
Unconfirmed	108
Air Force nominations, totaling 19,767, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	19,766
Unconfirmed	1
Navy nominations, totaling 12,168, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	10,763
Unconfirmed	1,405
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 3,779, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,779
Civilian nominations other than postmasters, totaling 3,398, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,374
Unconfirmed	21
Withdrawn	3
Postmaster nominations, totaling 1,368, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,078
Unconfirmed	278
Withdrawn	12

Summary

Total nominations received	*50,977
Total confirmed	49,149
Total unconfirmed	1,813
Total withdrawn	15

*Totals include 153 nominations carried over from the 90th Congress, first session, by Senate resolution: four civilian, two Air Force, one Army, and 146 postmasters.

BILLS ENACTED INTO PUBLIC LAW (90TH CONG., 2D SESS.)

	Law No.
S. 5	90-321
S. 6	90-453
S. 20	90-515
S. 109	90-288
S. 119	90-542
S. 159	90-296
S. 203	90-393
S. 220	90-516
S. 222	90-480
S. 224	90-523
S. 269	90-262
S. 306	90-252
S. 322	90-404
S. 375	90-299
S. 391	90-306
S. 444	90-540
S. 449	90-497
S. 450	90-496
S. 491	90-256
S. 510	90-439
S. 528	90-317
S. 561	90-326
S. 633	90-494
S. 660	90-419
S. 698	90-577
S. 752	90-433
S. 793	90-276
S. 827	90-543
S. 876	90-280
S. 889	90-271
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To extend until February 5 date for transmission of President's Economic Report, and to March 22 date for report thereon by Joint Economic Committee.	S.J. Res. 132	Jan. 22							430	487	Jan. 22	Jan. 22	Jan. 24	90-250
Broadening the category of kinds of employees who may be compensated for expenses during Presidential inaugural periods.	H.R. 827	Jan. 12 1967	DC	DC	Mar. 8 1967	Dec. 13 1967	91	940	6293	36762	Mar. 13 1967	Dec. 14 1967	Jan. 30 1967	90-251
To increase authorization for Indian adult vocational education.	S. 306	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Oct. 2 1967	July 31 1967	725	466	833	20887	Jan. 24	Aug. 2 1967	Feb. 3	90-252
Designating period of February 11-17, 1968, as LULAC Week (League of United Latin-American Citizens).	H.J. Res. 947	Dec. 4 1967							2433	2661	Feb. 6	Feb. 8	Feb. 10	90-253
Authorizing feasibility studies of proposed irrigation projects in North Dakota, Arizona, and Oklahoma.	S. 1788 (H.R. 10130)	May 16 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 12 1967	May 23 1967	635	285	25713	13687	Sept. 18 1967	May 24 1967	Feb. 13	90-254
To provide for regulation of savings and loan holding companies and subsidiary companies.	S. 1542 (H.R. 8696)	Apr. 14 1967	BC	BC	Dec. 6 1967	June 23 1967	997	354	712	17375	Jan. 23	June 26 1967	Feb. 14	90-255
To determine the rights of Navajo and Ute Indians to certain lands in New Mexico.	S. 491	Jan. 18 1967	IIA	IIA	Dec. 15 1967	July 27 1967	1048	453	2007	20657	Feb. 5	July 31 1967	Feb. 14	90-256
To amend the Railroad Retirement Act and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act so as to provide for an increase in benefits thereunder.	H.R. 14563 (S. 2839)	Dec. 15 1967	IFC	LPW	Jan. 17 1967	Jan. 26	1054	954	1053	1344	Jan. 25	Jan. 30	Feb. 15	90-257
Proposing numerous amendments to the Commodity Exchange Act.	H.R. 13094	Sept. 25 1967	Agr	Agr	Oct. 6 1967	Jan. 18	743	947	34408	592	Nov. 30 1967	Jan. 23	Feb. 19	90-258
Fire Research and Safety Act of 1968	S. 1124 (H.R. 11284)	Feb. 28 1967	SA	Com	July 31 1967	Aug. 14 1967	522	502	2749	22839	Feb. 8	Aug. 16 1967	Mar. 1	90-259
To provide for credit to the Kings River Water Association (California) and others for excess payments in 1954 and 1955.	S. 2402	Sept. 13 1967	IIA	IIA	Feb. 7	Dec. 5 1967	1088	837	3274	35272	Feb. 19	Dec. 6 1967	Mar. 2	90-260
Making the Secretary of Transportation a member of the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission in place of the Secretary of Commerce.	S. 2447	Sept. 20 1967	MMF	Com	Feb. 7	Nov. 14 1967	1089	745	3274	32522	Feb. 19	Nov. 15 1967	Mar. 2	90-261
Authorizing exchange of lands by Secretary of the Interior at Acadia National Park, Maine.	S. 269 (H.R. 5558)	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Jan. 31	Nov. 30 1967	1069	825	3486	34716	Feb. 20	Dec. 1 1967	Mar. 4	90-262
To provide that judgment of the U.S. District Court for the D.C. shall not constitute a lien until recorded in the office of Recorder of Deeds of the D.C.	S. 1227	Mar. 8 1967	DC	DC	Nov. 9 1967	June 12 1967	905	342	33249	15724	Nov. 20 1967	June 13 1967	Mar. 11	90-263
To authorize the leasing of Union Station in the D.C. for purposes of establishing a National Visitor Center.	H.R. 12603	Aug. 25 1967	PW	PW	Oct. 23 1967	Feb. 5	810	959	33760	2604	Nov. 27 1967	Feb. 8	Mar. 12	90-264
Authorizing Secretary of the Interior to exchange certain property at Acadia National Park, Maine.	S. 1821 (H.R. 14463)	May 19 1967	IIA	IIA	Jan. 31	Nov. 30 1967	1070	826	3486	34716	Feb. 20	Dec. 1 1967	Mar. 12	90-265
Authorizing consolidation and use of judgment funds of the Apache Tribe of the Mescalero Reservation.	S. 1727	May 9 1967	IIA	IIA	Feb. 7	Aug. 18 1967	1087	529	4913	23423	Mar. 4	Aug. 21 1967	Mar. 12	90-266
Extending period within which the Export-Import Bank is authorized to exercise its functions.	S. 1155 (H.R. 6649)	Mar. 2 1967	BC	BC	May 11 1967	Aug. 4 1967	256	493	2432	22405	Feb. 7	Aug. 11 1967	Mar. 13	90-267
To amend the Merchant Marine Act with regard to cargo container vessels.	S. 2419	Sept. 18 1967	MMF	Com	Nov. 29 1967	Nov. 3 1967	991	722	4461	31151	Feb. 28	Nov. 6 1967	Mar. 16	90-268
To eliminate the 25-percent reserve requirement for Federal Reserve notes.	H.R. 14743 (S. 2857)	Jan. 22	BC	BC	Feb. 9	Feb. 20	1095	1007	3697	6607	Feb. 21	Mar. 14	Mar. 18	90-269
To designate the Oahe Reservoir on the Missouri River in North Dakota and South Dakota as Lake Oahe.	H.R. 2901	Jan. 18 1967	IIA	IIA	Feb. 5	Feb. 28	1072	1011	3273	6037	Feb. 19	Mar. 11	Mar. 21	90-270
To designate the San Rafael Wilderness, Los Padres National Forest, Calif.	S. 889 (H.R. 5161)	Feb. 8 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 17 1967	Apr. 28 1967	568	199	28966	11412	Oct. 16 1967	May 2 1967	Mar. 21	90-271

Approving long-term contracts for delivery of water from the Navajo Reservoir, N. Mex.	S.J. Res. 123	Nov. 27 1967	IIA	IIA	Feb. 27	Nov. 29 1967	1106	821	4915	34315	Mar. 4	Nov. 30 1967	Mar. 22	90-272
Calling on the Boy Scouts of America to serve the youth of this Nation as required by their congressional charter.	S.J. Res. 138	Feb. 7	EdL	LPW	Mar. 14	Feb. 16	1177	.....	6482	3308	Mar. 14	Feb. 19	Mar. 26	90-273
To establish judicial machinery for the random selection of Federal juries.	S. 989	Feb. 16 1967	Jud	Jud	Feb. 6	Dec. 6 1967	1076	891	4008	35628	Feb. 26	Dec. 8 1967	Mar. 27	90-274
Liberalizing laws relative to payment of veterans' pensions....	H.R. 12555	Aug. 23 1967	VA	Fin	Dec. 12 1967	Feb. 28	1039	1009	37189	6037	Dec. 15 1967	Mar. 11	Mar. 28	90-275
Providing for conveyance of certain U.S. land to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission.	S. 793	Feb. 1 1967	AS	AS	Mar. 7	Dec. 12 1967	1161	925	6741	201	Mar. 18	Jan. 18	Mar. 28	90-276
To designate second week of May 1968 as National School Safety Patrol Week.	S.J. Res. 72 (H.J.Res. 1053)	Apr. 14 1967	.....	Jud	.....	May 17 1967	.....	246	4912	13186	Mar. 4	May 18 1967	Mar. 29	90-277
Relating to the rights of Colville and Yakima Indians to certain judgment funds.	S. 2336	Aug. 23 1967	IIA	IIA	Mar. 5	Oct. 31 1967	1152	697	6739	30695	Mar. 18	Nov. 1 1967	Mar. 30	90-278
Providing that the U.S. shall hold in trust for the Cherokee Nation certain Chilocco Indian school lands in Oklahoma.	H.R. 536	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	May 29 1967	Aug. 21 1967	325	525	14586	23768	June 5 1967	Aug. 23 1967	Mar. 30	90-279
Relating to Federal support of education of Indian students in sectarian institutions of higher education.	S. 876	Feb. 7 1967	IIA	IIA	Mar. 5	Oct. 31 1967	1150	703	6739	30699	Mar. 18	Nov. 1 1967	Mar. 30	90-280
To proclaim National Jewish Hospital Save Your Breath Month.	H.J. Res. 933	Jan. 23	.....	Jud	.....	Mar. 27	.....	1023	4720	8097	Feb. 29	Mar. 28	Apr. 5	90-281
To establish the Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site, Massachusetts.	H.R. 1308	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 23 1967	Mar. 25	593	1019	27481	7658	Oct. 2 1967	Mar. 26	Apr. 5	90-282
Relating to application of auto safety standards to vehicles produced in quantities of less than 500.	S. 2029	June 27 1967	IFC	Com	Mar. 14	Nov. 1 1967	1178	712	7286	31142	Mar. 21	Nov. 6 1967	Apr. 10	90-283
Civil Rights Act of 1968.....	H.R. 2516	Jan. 17 1967	Jud	Jud	June 29 1967	Nov. 2 1967	473	721	22778	5992	Aug. 16 1967	Mar. 11	Apr. 11	90-284
Continuing until May 1, 1968, the existing excise tax rates on autos and communication services.	H.J. Res. 1223	Apr. 9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9622	9502	Apr. 10	Apr. 10	Apr. 12	90-285
Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for the Bureau of Employment Security.	H.J. Res. 1229	Apr. 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9677	9727	Apr. 11	Apr. 11	Apr. 12	90-286
Assuring full citizenship rights to the Tiwa Indians of El Paso County, Tex.	H.R. 10599	June 6 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 11 1967	Mar. 29	558	1070	23306	8437	Aug. 21 1967	Apr. 1	Apr. 12	90-287
Prohibiting discrimination against agricultural producer concerning his right to belong to an association of producers.	S. 109 (H.R. 13541)	Jan. 11 1967	Agr	Agr	Oct. 26 1967	Aug. 3 1967	824	474	7469	21411	Mar. 25	Aug. 4 1967	Apr. 16	90-288
Fiscal 1969 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission..	H.R. 16324 (S. 3262)	Apr. 1	AE	AE	Apr. 2	Apr. 3	1266	1074	9019	9211	Apr. 4	Apr. 8	Apr. 19	90-289
To provide that gifts to minors may be deposited in savings and loan associations and related institutions in the District of Columbia.	H.R. 5799	Feb. 20 1967	DC	DC	June 22 1967	Apr. 3	379	1075	17180	9190	June 26 1967	Apr. 8	Apr. 19	90-290
Providing compensation to survivors of local law-enforcement officers killed while apprehending persons for committing Federal crimes.	H.R. 11816 (S. 798)	July 26 1967	Jud	Jud	Aug. 17 1967	Aug. 17 1967	567	521	24938	25571	Sept. 11 1967	Sept. 14 1967	Apr. 19	90-291
To provide for an elected school board in the District of Columbia.	H.R. 13042	Sept. 21 1967	DC	DC	Sept. 22 1967	Dec. 14 1967	659	942	26560	36893	Sept. 25 1967	Dec. 15 1967	Apr. 22	90-292
Extending to masters of certain U.S. vessels a right of a lien on such vessels for wages and certain other disbursements.	H.R. 14401	Dec. 12 1967	MMF	Com	Feb. 8	Apr. 5	1092	1079	3274	9408	Feb. 19	Apr. 10	Apr. 25	90-293
Authorizing funds for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal year 1969.	S. 3135	Mar. 11	.....	Com	.....	Mar. 20	.....	1017	10437	7357	Apr. 24	Mar. 22	Apr. 26	90-294
For the relief of the city of El Dorado, Kans.....	S. 1664	May 2 1967	Jud	Jud	Mar. 5	Nov. 15 1967	1151	756	6739	32756	Mar. 18	Nov. 16 1967	Apr. 29	90-295
Authorizing transfer to a single district of civil actions involving one or more common questions of fact pending in diferent districts.	S. 159	Jan. 11 1967	Jud	Jud	Feb. 28	July 27 1967	1130	454	4928	22125	Mar. 4	Aug. 9 1967	Apr. 29	90-296
Authorizing funds for saline water conversion for fiscal year 1969.	S. 2912	Feb. 1	IIA	IIA	Apr. 1	Feb. 28	1247	1010	9034	6037	Apr. 4	Mar. 11	Apr. 29	90-297
Authorizing Federal Maritime Commission to permit a carrier to refund a portion of freight charges collected from a shipper.	H.R. 9473	May 1 1967	MMF	Com	Nov. 14 1967	Apr. 5	920	1078	33214	9407	Nov. 20 1967	Apr. 10	Apr. 29	90-298
To set penalties for persons convicted of making obscene or harassing telephone calls.	S. 375	Jan. 17 1967	IFC	Com	Feb. 27	Apr. 19 1967	1109	189	4935	10600	Mar. 4	Apr. 24 1967	May 3	90-299
To extend for 2 years the authority of Federal Reserve banks to purchase U.S. obligations directly from the Treasury.	H.R. 15344	Feb. 15	BC	BC	Mar. 14	Apr. 22	1179	1091	8062	10483	Mar. 28	Apr. 24	May 4	90-300
Increasing maximum amount of guarantee on VA-guaranteed home loans, and increasing interest rates on FHA loans.	H.R. 10477	May 31 1967	VA	BC	Mar. 13	Apr. 10	1171	1090	7637	10080	Mar. 26	Apr. 19	May 7	90-301
To extend and expand food service programs for schoolchildren..	H.R. 15398	Feb. 19	EdL	Agr	Feb. 27	Mar. 29	1114	1067	5275	9903	Mar. 5	Apr. 17	May 8	90-302
To provide for striking of medals celebrating the 100th anniversary of the completion of the first transcontinental railroad.	S. 1909	June 6 1967	BC	BC	Apr. 30	July 18 1967	1341	404	11790	19624	May 6	July 21 1967	May 10	90-303

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Authorizing State of Ohio to use proceeds from the sale of certain public lands for educational purposes.	H.R. 13176	Sept. 27 1967	IIA	LPW	Mar. 25	Apr. 29	1186	1096	8348	11015	Apr. 1	Apr. 30	May 13	90-304
Designating May 20, 1968, as "Charlotte, N.C., Day"	S.J. Res. 131	Dec. 15 1967	.....	Jud	.....	Mar. 27	.....	1022	11308	8421	May 1	Apr. 1	May 13	90-305
To broaden the use of certain lands in Utah for the Navajo Indian Reservation.	S. 391	Jan. 17 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Nov. 1 1967	1324	710	11786	30866	May 6	Nov. 2 1967	May 17	90-306
Relating to the conveyance of certain lands to the University of Maine.	H.R. 11527	July 18 1967	Agr	Agr	Sept. 27	Mar. 29	717	1068	33247	8521	Nov. 20 1967	Apr. 2	May 17	90-307
Granting mineral rights to the Crow Indians on certain lands of the Crow Reservation, Mont.	S. 1119	Feb. 28 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 9	Oct. 31 1967	1288	690	11777	30692	May 6	Nov. 1 1967	May 17	90-308
Observing centennial of the signing of the 1868 Treaty of Peace between the Navajo Indians and the U.S.	S. 2745	Dec. 7 1967	.....	Jud	.....	Mar. 27	.....	1021	11308	8420	May 1	Apr. 1	May 17	90-309
Declaring that certain public land is held by the U.S. in trust for the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma.	S. 1173	Mar. 3 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	July 28 1967	1325	456	11786	20882	May 6	Aug. 2 1967	May 18	90-310
To amend repayment contract with the Foss Reservoir Master Conservancy District, Clinton, Okla.	S. 1946	June 15 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 11	Oct. 31 1967	1293	702	11778	31247	May 6	Nov. 6 1967	May 18	90-311
Declaring a portion of Boston inner harbor and Fort Point Channel nonnavigable.	H.R. 14681	Jan. 17	IFC	Com	Mar. 13	May 8	1167	1113	6744	12443	Mar. 18	May 9	May 18	90-312
Authorizing Secretary of Transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of all aspects of the auto insurance system.	S.J. Res. 129 (H.J. Res. 958)	Dec. 14 1967	IIA	Com	Apr. 4	Apr. 8	1282	1086	12096	9413	May 7	Apr. 10	May 22	90-313
Authorizing funds for the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency for fiscal years 1969 and 1970.	H.R. 14940	Jan. 30	FA	FR	Feb. 29	Apr. 10	1140	1068	5428	10181	Mar. 6	Apr. 22	May 23	90-314
Increasing authorizations for continuing work on the Missouri River Basin project.	S. 3033	Feb. 27	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Mar. 25	1326	1018	13014	7659	May 13	Mar. 26	May 24	90-315
Providing for the issuance of a gold medal to the widow of the late Walt Disney in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the United States and to the world.	H.J. Res. 1234 (S.J. Res. 93)	Apr. 23	BC	BC	Apr. 30	Aug. 25 1967	1343	541	11791	12287	May 6	May 8	May 24	90-316
To place in trust status certain lands on the Wind River Reservation, Wyo.	S. 528 (H.R. 15225)	Jan. 19 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	July 27 1967	1323	413	11786	20649	May 6	July 31 1967	May 24	90-317
To designate the San Gabriel Wilderness, Angeles National Forest, in California.	S. 2531 (H.R. 13514)	Oct. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 29	Feb. 26	1321	1008	11785	5463	May 6	Mar. 6	May 24	90-318
Providing salary increases for teachers and school officers in the District of Columbia.	H.R. 16409	Apr. 2	DC	DC	Apr. 8	May 10	1285	1115	10130	13004	Apr. 22	May 13	May 27	90-319
Providing salary increases for D.C. policemen and firemen	H.R. 15131	Feb. 6	DC	DC	Feb. 21	Apr. 5	1101	1083	3988	9429	Feb. 26	Apr. 10	May 27	90-320
Truth-in-Lending Act of 1968	S. 5 (H.R. 11601)	Jan. 11 1967	BC	BC	Dec. 13 1967	June 29 1967	1040	392	1852	18424	Feb. 1	July 11 1967	May 29	90-321
Reappointing Dr. Crawford H. Greenewalt as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res. 142	Feb. 8	HA	RAdm	May 14	Mar. 27	1381	1037	13889	8423	May 20	Apr. 1	May 30	90-322
Reappointing Dr. Caryl P. Haskins as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res. 143	Feb. 8	HA	RAdm	May 14	Mar. 27	1382	1038	13889	8423	May 20	Apr. 1	May 30	90-323
Reappointing Dr. William A. M. Burden as Citizen Regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.	S.J. Res. 144	Feb. 8	HA	RAdm	May 14	Mar. 27	1383	1039	13889	8423	May 20	Apr. 1	May 30	90-324
Authorizing $411,760,000 as U.S. subscription to request for an increase of $1 billion of the capital stock of the Inter-American Development Bank.	H.R. 15364	Feb. 15	BC	FR	Mar. 5	May 16	1145	1131	6980	13964	Mar. 19	May 20	June 4	90-325
Authorizing funds to satisfy civil judgments for acquisition of lands for Cape Hatteras National Seashore.	S. 561	Jan. 23 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 11	Oct. 31 1967	1294	694	13894	30864	May 20	Nov. 2 1967	June 4	90-326
Authorizing establishment of the Robert S. Kerr Memorial Arboretum and Nature Center in the Ouachita National Forest, Okla.	H.R. 15822	Mar. 7	Agr	Agr	Mar. 28	May 16	1220	1126	11804	13795	May 6	May 17	June 4	90-327

Authorizing temporary emergency funds for the Farmers Home Administration.	S.J. Res. 168 (H.J. Res. 1227)	May 3	Agr	Agr	May 1	May 16	1345	1127	14662	13964	May 23	May 20	June 4	90-328
Changing the name of the Army Medical Service to the Army Medical Department.	H.R. 15863	Mar. 11	AS	AS	Apr. 24	May 17	1311	1135	11783	14085	May 6	May 20	June 4	90-329
Extending authority to grant special 30-day leave to military personnel voluntarily extending tours of duty in combat areas.	H.R. 15348	Feb. 15	AS	AS	Apr. 24	May 17	1301	1133	11779	14084	May 6	May 20	June 5	90-330
Authorizing Secret Service to furnish protection to major presidential and vice-presidential candidates and appropriating $400,000 therefor.	H.J. Res. 1292	June 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16271	16223	June 6	June 6	June 6	90-331
Relating to the distribution of judgment funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe in Colorado.	H.R. 14922	Jan. 30	IIA	IIA	Mar. 5	May 24	1155	1144	6740	15142	Mar. 18	May 27	June 7	90-332
Permitting the Secretary of the Interior to accept gifts for the benefit of Indians.	H.R. 14672	Jan. 17	IIA	IIA	Apr. 24	May 24	1300	1141	11778	15143	May 6	May 27	June 8	90-333
Authorizing funds for Coast Guard procurement for fiscal year 1969.	H.R. 15224	Feb. 8	MMF	Com	Mar. 11	May 14	1165	1120	6968	15140	Mar. 19	May 27	June 8	90-334
Authorizing the purchase, sale, and exchange of certain lands of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington.	H.R. 3299	Jan. 23 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 9	May 24	1287	1142	11777	15143	May 6	May 27	June 10	90-335
To extend the expiration date of several authorities under the Federal Civil Defense Act.	H.R. 15004	Jan. 31	AS	AS	Mar. 11	May 17	1163	1134	6743	15535	Mar. 18	May 29	June 10	90-336
Authorizing the use of judgment funds in favor of the Spokane Indian Tribe, Washington.	H.R. 15271	Feb. 8	IIA	IIA	Apr. 9	May 24	1286	1140	11776	15143	May 6	May 27	June 10	90-337
Authorizing National Commission on Causes and Prevention of Violence to compel attendance of witnesses and production of evidence.	H.J. Res. 1298	June 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16668	16655	June 11	June 11	June 15	90-338
To adjust legislative jurisdiction of the U.S. over lands within the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge, Ill.	S. 2452	Sept. 21 1967	MMF	IIA	May 22	Nov. 30 1967	1417	827	15799	34716	June 3	Dec. 1 1967	June 15	90-339
To establish a U.S. Court of Military Appeals in the Department of Defense.	S. 2634	Nov. 7 1967	AS	AS	May 27	Nov 27 1967	1480	806	15804	33910	June 3	Nov. 28 1967	June 15	90-340
To set maximum rate of interest permitted on federally insured ship loans and mortgages.	S. 3017 (H.R. 14796)	Feb. 21	MMF	Com	May 22	May 14	1416	1119	15799	15138	June 3	May 27	June 15	90-341
Authorizing the President to reappoint for 1 year Gen. Earle G. Wheeler as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.	H.J. Res. 1224	Apr. 9	AS	AS	May 1	May 17	1343	1132	13085	15791	May 14	June 3	June 15	90-342
Recommending to the States that its absentee registration and voting procedures be extended to all citizens temporarily residing abroad.	S. 2884 (H.R. 8176)	Jan. 29	HA	RAdm	May 14	Mar. 27	1384	1025	13890	9224	May 20	Apr. 8	June 18	90-343
To increase participation of service personnel in Federal elections.	S. 1581	Apr. 19 1967	HA	RAdm	May 14	July 13 1967	1385	397	13891	18916	May 20	July 17 1967	June 18	90-344
Liberalizing the capitalization of Federal intermediate credit banks.	H.R. 16674	Apr. 22	Agr	Agr	Apr. 30	June 6	1334	1166	13893	16480	May 20	June 10	June 18	90-345
To amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to advertising in a national political convention program.	H.R. 17325	May 16	WM	.....	June 10	.....	1537	.....	16668	16655	June 11	June 11	June 18	90-346
Providing for the appointment of additional U.S. circuit judges.	S. 2349	Aug. 25 1967	Jud	Jud	May 7	Nov. 15 1967	1356	782	16065	33018	June 5	Nov. 17 1967	June 18	90-347
Authorizing funds for continuation of programs under the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965.	H.R. 11308	July 10 1967	EdL	LPW	Jan. 30	May 3	1066	1103	4350	11980	Feb. 27	May 7	June 18	90-348
To provide for U.S. participation in the International Monetary Fund facility based on special drawing rights.	H.R 16911	Apr. 30	BC	FR	May 6	June 4	1349	1164	12737	16185	May 10	June 6	June 19	90-349
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies.	H.R. 16489	Apr. 4	App	App	Apr. 4	June 5	1284	1165	9306	16176	Apr. 9	June 6	June 19	90-350
Safe Streets and Crime Control Act	H.R. 5037 (S. 917)	Feb 8 1967	Jud	Jud	July 17 1967	Apr. 29	488	1097	21861	14798	Aug. 8 1967	May 24	June 19	90-351
Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968 for highways and certain claims.	H.J. Res. 1268	May 9	App	App	May 9	June 12	1373	1227	12583	17202	May 9	June 13	June 19	90-352
Permitting reproduction of U.S. and foreign postage stamps for philatelic and certain other uses.	H.R. 15972	Mar. 14	Jud	Jud	Mar. 27	June 10	1213	1206	8357	16880	Apr. 1	June 12	June 12	90-353
To establish the Federal City College in the D.C. as a land-grant college.	S. 1999 (H.R. 15280)	June 23 1967	DC	DC	May 24	Dec. 6 1967	1465	888	15039	35623	May 27	Dec. 8 1967	June 20	90-354
To authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Hualapai Reservation, Ariz.	H.R. 4919	Feb. 6 1967	IIA	IIA	May 23 1967	Nov. 30 1967	273	829	14583	34717	June 5 1967	Dec. 1 1967	June 20	90-355
Authorizing payment of Federal share for development of Gilmer County Airport, Georgia.	H.R. 7431	Mar. 16 1967	Jud	Jud	Oct. 26 1967	June 10	852	1202	31404	16879	Nov. 7 1967	June 12	June 22	90-356
Revising the provisions of the Canal Zone Code with relation to civil procedure and evidence.	H.R. 13439	Oct. 11 1967	MMF	Jud	Nov. 14 1967	June 10	924	1177	33217	16873	Nov. 20 1967	June 12	June 22	90-357

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To set forth conditions under which cruise ships must operate	H.R. 12639	Aug. 28 1967	MMF	Com	Nov. 28 1967	Apr. 5	988	1081	34760	9520	Dec. 4 1967	Apr. 10	June 22	90-358
Authorizing funds for continued study to determine a site for a new interoceanic sea-level canal.	H.R. 15190	Feb. 27	MMF	Com	Mar. 28	May 8	1222	1112	11043	13218	Apr. 30	May 14	June 22	90-359
Authorizing conveyance of certain land to the city of Glendale, Ariz.	S. 974	Feb. 15 1967	Agr	Agr	Nov. 22 1967	Aug. 28 1967	985	546	16403	24387	June 10	Aug. 29 1967	June 22	90-360
Permitting Secretary of Agriculture to contract for works of improvement under the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act upon request of local organizations.	S. 2276	Aug. 11 1967	Agr	Agr	June 11	May 16	1539	1125	17428	13964	June 17	May 20	June 27	90-361
Authorizing funds for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1969	S. 2914 (H.R. 15087)	Feb. 1	FA	FR	June 5	Apr. 29	1519	1095	17092	11014	June 13	Apr. 30	June 27	90-362
Providing for uniform annual observance of certain holidays on Mondays.	H.R. 15951	Mar. 13	Jud	Jud	Apr. 4	June 21	1280	1293	12611	18347	May 9	June 24	June 28	90-363
Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968	H.R. 15414	Feb. 7	WM	Fin	Feb. 23	Mar. 15	1104	1014	4713	8562	Feb. 29	Apr. 2	June 28	90-364
Authorizing payroll savings deductions for credit union shares for Federal employees.	H.R. 6157	Feb. 27 1967	BC	BC	Nov. 7 1967	June 12	893	1228	2015	17204	Feb. 5	June 13	June 29	90-365
Continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969 until July 31, 1968.	H.J. Res. 1368	June 26	App	.....	June 26	.....	1588	.....	19066	19251	June 27	June 28	June 29	90-366
Extending certain benefits to employees of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.	S. 1028	Feb. 20 1967	POCS	POCS	May 9	June 27 1967	1371	365	17525	17712	June 18	June 28 1967	June 29	90-367
To provide franked mail privileges for surviving spouse of Member of Congress for 180 days following his death.	S.J. Res. 180	June 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17810	17718	June 19	June 19	June 29	90-368
Providing naturalization for surviving spouses of U.S. military personnel who die while on active duty.	H.R. 10135	May 22 1967	Jud	Jud	Feb. 12	June 21	1097	1303	4913	18428	Mar. 4	June 24	June 29	90-369
To extend the Defense Production Act	H.R. 17268	May 14	BC	BC	May 23	June 25	1455	1322	15892	18852	June 4	June 26	July 1	90-370
Authorizing the Federal Bureau of Prisons to lend technical assistance to State correctional institutions.	H.R. 15216	Feb. 8	Jud	Jud	Mar. 27	June 21	1212	1285	8355	18348	Apr. 1	June 24	July 1	90-371
Designating the U.S. customhouse building in Providence, R.I., as the "John E. Fogarty Building."	S. 3363 (H.R. 16629)	Apr. 23	PW	PW	May 20	May 15	1396	1122	15796	13799	June 3	May 17	July 2	90-372
Fiscal 1969 authorizations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.	H.R. 15856	Mar. 11	SA	Aer	Mar. 19	May 21	1181	1136	11500	16559	May 2	June 10	July 3	90-373
Increasing from five to nine the number of alternates each Congressman is entitled to nominate for vacancies at the military academies.	H.R. 13593	Oct. 19 1967	AS	AS	Apr. 24	June 24	1308	1316	11782	18539	May 6	June 25	July 5	90-374
To amend in several respects the Federal Credit Union Act	H.R. 14907	Jan. 29	BC	BC	May 9	June 18	1372	1265	15060	17722	May 27	June 19	July 5	90-375
Authorizing construction of an additional building for the National Gallery of Art.	S. 3159 (H.R. 16358)	Mar. 14	PW	PW	June 4	May 9	1513	1114	17438		June 17	May 14	July 5	90-376
To make uniform the laws covering the administration of military correctional facilities and treatment of persons convicted under court-martial.	H.R. 5783	Feb. 20 1967	AS	AS	Apr. 29	June 24	1322	1314	11786	18539	May 6	June 25	July 5	90-377
Authorizing military contracts for services and supplies to extend for 5 years for operation and maintenance of facilities and equipment.	H.R. 15789	Mar. 6	AS	AS	Apr. 24	June 24	1315	1313	11786	18539	May 6	June 25	July 5	90-378
Giving the FCC authority to regulate the manufacture and distribution of devices which cause interference with radio reception.	H.R. 14910	Jan. 29	IFC	Com	Feb. 27	June 21	1108	1276	6173	18348	Mar. 12	June 24	July 5	90-379
To remove sales price limitation for reports of the opinions of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit.	H.R. 8581	Apr. 17 1967	DC	DC	Dec. 8 1967	June 25	1014	1320	36336	18873	Dec. 13 1967	June 26	July 5	90-380

To make it a Federal crime to desecrate the U.S. flag	H.R. 10480	June 1 1967	Jud	Jud	June 9 1967	June 21	350	1287	16498	18358	June 20 1967	June 24	July 5	90-381
To change the corporate name of the Conference of State Societies, to the National Conference of State Societies, Washington, D.C.	H.R. 3931	Jan. 26 1967	DC	DC	Apr. 20 1967	June 25	205	1319	10515	18873	Apr. 24 1967	June 26	July 5	90-382
To improve the geographical definition of the two Federal judicial districts in Virginia.	H.R. 13315	Oct. 4 1967	Jud	Jud	Feb. 6	June 21	1084	1304	3274	18348	Feb. 19	June 24	July 5	90-383
Relating to the prosecution of postal service employees for failure to remit postage-due collections.	H.R. 17024	May 6	Jud	Jud	May 21	June 24	1401	1317	15798	18539	June 3	June 25	July 5	90-384
Increasing limitation on number of officers in the Coast Guard	H.R. 16127	Mar. 21	MMF	Com	May 21	June 21	1400	1274	15520	18426	May 29	June 24	July 5	90-385
Increasing the number of Navy officers who may be designated as specialists in various technical and professional fields.	H.R. 13050	Sept. 21 1967	AS	AS	Apr. 24	June 24	1307	1315	11781	18539	May 6	June 25	July 5	90-386
Relating to conditions imposed in the transfer of certain tobacco acreage allotments.	H.R. 17002	May 2	Agr	Agr	May 22	June 21	1423	1270	15800	18425	June 3	June 24	July 5	90-387
To cooperate with governments of Central America in the control and eradication of foot-and-mouth disease.	H.R. 16451	Apr. 3	Agr	Agr	May 22	June 21	1422	1273	15800	18426	June 3	June 24	July 6	90-388
Banks Protection Act	H.R. 15345	Feb. 15	BC	BC	Apr. 30	June 18	1327	1263	11809	17723	May 6	June 19	July 7	90-389
To improve the U.S. balance of payments situation through loan and other programs of the Export-Import Bank.	H.R. 16162 (S. 3218)	Mar. 26	BC	BC	May 27	May 1	1476	1100	16982	17605	June 12	June 18	July 7	90-390
Vocational Rehabilitation Amendments of 1968	H.R. 16819	Apr. 25	EdL	LPW	May 2	June 21	1346	1309	11823	18425	May 6	June 24	July 7	90-391
Second supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1968	H.R. 17734	June 10	App	App	June 7	June 19	1531	1269	16716	18843	June 11	June 26	July 9	90-392
Permitting institution of suits by certain individual Indians rejecting payments for their lands.	S. 203	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	June 17	May 24	1557	1146	19362	15142	July 1	May 27	July 11	90-393
To prevent or minimize injury to fish and wildlife from the use of pesticides.	H.R. 15979	Mar. 14	MMF	Com	Mar. 29	June 13	1223	1236	8366	18356	Apr. 1	June 24	July 11	90-394
Granting consent of Congress to certain additional powers conferred upon the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority.	H.J.Res. 1111	Feb. 21	Jud	Jud	Apr. 30	June 28	1329	1333	11790	19553	May 6	July 1	July 11	90-395
Authorizing Secretary of Commerce to arrange for the collection of standard reference data for the benefit of scientists and the general public.	H.R. 6279	Feb. 28 1967	SA	Com	May 15 1967	June 12	260	1230	22473	17204	Aug. 14 1967	June 13	July 11	90-396
To exempt certain vessels engaged in the fishing industry from the requirements of certain inspection laws.	S. 2047 (H.R. 13366)	June 28 1967	MMF	Com	May 21	Oct. 25 1967	1339	686	15798	30323	June 3	Oct. 27 1967	July 11	90-397
Authorizing establishment of the Cradle of Forestry in America in the Pisgah National Forest, North Carolina.	S. 2837	Jan. 18	Agr	Agr	June 6	May 16	1530	1129	19385	13795	July 1	May 17	July 11	90-398
To establish standards for determining the safety of drugs for animals.	H.R. 3639	Jan. 24 1967	IFC	LPW	Oct. 31 1967	June 21	875	1308	31297	18424	Nov. 6 1967	June 24	July 13	90-399
To make certain reclamation project expenses nonreimbursable.	S. 1251	Mar. 10 1967	IIA	IIA	June 11	July 28 1967	1538	457	17427	20883	June 17	Aug. 2 1967	July 13	90-400
Land and Water Conservation Fund amendments	S. 1401 (H.R. 8578)	Apr. 3 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 24	Mar. 29	1313	1071	14656	11013	May 23	Apr. 30	July 15	90-401
Providing for the sale or exchange of certain tribal lands on the Flathead Reservation, Montana.	S. 2701 (H.R. 13780)	Nov. 28 1967	IIA	IIA	June 17	May 24	1552	1143	19365	15140	July 1	May 27	July 18	90-402
Relating to the leasing of public lands in Alaska for grazing purposes.	S. 1059	Feb. 23 1967	IIA	IIA	June 19	Dec. 4 1967	1567	834	19363	35269	July 1	Dec. 6 1967	July 18	90-403
Providing that no land can be transferred from the national wildlife refuge system without approval of the Migratory Bird Commission.	S. 322	Jan. 16 1967	MMF	Com	May 22	Nov. 14 1967	1424	746	18319	32523	June 24	Nov. 15 1967	July 18	90-404
Authorizing President to proclaim Aug. 11, 1968, as Family Reunion Day.	S.J. Res. 165	May 2	.....	Jud	.....	June 21	.....	1295	19070	18349	June 27	June 24	July 18	90-405
Designating the week of Oct. 13, 1968, as Salute to Eisenhower Week.	H.J.Res. 1302	June 11	.....	Jud	.....	June 28	.....	1336	17772	19441	June 19	July 1	July 18	90-406
To change in several regards the organization and operation of the National Science Foundation.	H.R. 5404	Feb. 15 1967	SA	LPW	Mar. 6 1967	May 21	34	1137	9136	14890	Apr. 12 1967	May 24	July 18	90-407
Fiscal 1969 authorizations for military construction	H.R. 16703	Apr. 23	AS	AS	Apr. 23	June 13	1296	1232	10670	18538	Apr. 25	June 25	July 21	90-408
Authorizing long-term leases on lands in the El Portal administrative site adjacent to Yosemite National Park, Calif.	H.R. 4739	Feb. 2 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 28 1967	July 8	615	1364	24931	20426	Sept. 11 1967	July 10	July 21	90-409
To release on behalf of the United States conditions in deeds conveying lands to the State of Iowa.	H.R. 16065	Mar. 19	Agr	Agr	May 27	June 21	1479	1272	15802	20477	June 3	July 10	July 21	90-410
To amend the Federal Aviation Act so as to authorize aircraft noise abatement regulation.	H.R. 3400	Jan. 23 1967	IFC	Com	May 23	July 1	1463	1353	16399	20931	June 10	July 11	July 21	90-411
Authorizing use of certain buildings in the District of Columbia for chancery purposes.	H.R. 13402	Oct. 10 1967	DC	DC	Nov. 9 1967	July 2	908	1357	33252	20476	Nov. 20 1967	July 10	July 21	90-412
To permit the wearing of the uniform of U.S. letter carriers in theatrical and related productions under certain conditions.	H.R. 10773	June 13 1967	Jud	Jud	Aug. 17 1967	June 21	566	1286	24930	18349	Sept. 11 1967	June 24	July 21	90-413

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Relating to title to certain lands in the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Indian Reservations, S. Dak.	S.J. Res. 157	Mar. 21	IIA	IIA	June 17	May 24	1558	1139	19363	15142	July 1	May 27	July 21	90-414
To increase size of the Board of Directors of Gallaudet College	H.R. 18203	June 27	EdL	.....	July 11	.....	1689	.....	21446	21758	July 15	July 17	July 23	90-415
Extending the duration of copyright protection in certain cases	S.J. Res. 172	May 22	Jud	Jud	July 2	June 10	1613	1181	21328	16876	July 15	June 12	July 23	90-416
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the legislative branch	H.R. 18038	June 20	App	App	June 20	July 1	1576	1350	19094	20283	June 27	July 9	July 23	90-417
Making frozen concentrated orange juice subject to the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act.	S. 3143	Mar. 12	Agr	Agr	July 2	May 16	1621	1128	21484	13795	July 15	May 17	July 23	90-418
Granting consent of Congress to a Great Lakes Basin compact	S. 660	Jan. 25 1967	FA	Jud	July 3	June 10	1640	1178	21332	16875	July 15	June 12	July 24	90-419
Providing for the protection of mammals under the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Act of 1950.	S. 1260	Mar. 13 1967	FA	Com	July 3	Oct. 25 1967	1624	687	21328	30324	July 15	Oct. 27 1967	July 24	90-420
To amend in several regards the International Claims Settlement Act.	H.R. 9063	Apr. 24 1967	FA	FR	Nov. 3 1967	Dec. 4 1967	888	836	33244	35270	Nov. 20 1967	Dec. 7 1967	July 24	90-421
Extending authorizations for activities under the State Technical Services Act.	S. 3245 (H.R. 16824)	Mar. 27	IFC	Com	June 28	June 12 1967	1607	1231	21042	17204	July 12	June 13	July 24	90-422
Extending program of research and development in the field of high-speed ground transportation.	H. 16024	Mar. 18	IFC	Com	June 28	July 18	1606	1436	21047	22304	July 12	July 19	July 24	90-423
Granting to certain Indians the mineral rights on certain lands in the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation, Montana.	H.R. 5704	Feb. 20 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 11	May 24	1292	1145	11778	15141	May 6	May 27	July 24	90-424
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, and related agencies.	H.R. 17354	May 16	App	App	May 16	June 21	1395	1275	14237	18861	May 21	June 26	July 25	90-425
Extending the act which authorizes loans by the Secretary of Agriculture on leasehold interests in Hawaii.	H.R. 15562	Feb. 26	Agr	Agr	June 3	July 8	1509	1365	17451	20427	June 17	July 10	July 26	90-426
Making it unlawful for foreign vessels to engage in fisheries within U.S. territorial waters.	S. 1752	May 11 1967	MMF	Com	July 3	Oct. 25 1967	1638	684	21328	30322	July 15	Oct. 27 1967	July 26	90-427
To amend in several regards laws relating to passports	S. 1418	Apr. 4 1967	FA	FR	July 3	Dec. 12 1967	1633	926	21423	9214	July 15	Apr. 8	July 26	90-428
Increasing Federal payments to community nursing homes for veterans' care.	H.R. 7481	Mar. 20 1967	VA	LPW	May 14	July 11	1378	1390	13929	21303	May 20	July 15	July 26	90-429
To extend period during which amounts transferred from employment security administration account in the unemployment trust fund to State accounts may be used by States to pay administrative expenses.	H.R. 272	Jan. 11 1967	WM	Fin	May 23	July 18	1457	1440	15880	22436	June 4	July 20	July 26	90-430
Extending subsistence allowance for vocational rehabilitation training for veterans.	H.R. 14954	Jan. 30	VA	LPW	May 14	July 11	1376	1391	13931	21303	May 20	July 15	July 26	90-431
To increase Federal payments to the States for veterans' care	H.R. 16902	Apr. 30	VA	LPW	May 14	July 11	1377	1392	13927	21304	May 20	July 15	July 26	90-432
Clarifying exemption with respect to transportation performed by agricultural cooperative associations for nonmembers.	S. 752	Jan. 31 1967	Jud	Com	Apr. 10 1967	May 28	405	1152	21461	15911	July 16	June 4	July 26	90-433
Continuing authority to promote U.S. foreign commerce through the use of mobile trade fairs.	H.R. 18340	July 3	MMF	Com	July 12	July 18	1713	1441	21480	22436	July 15	July 20	July 27	90-434
To postpone for 2 years the date on which passenger vessels operating solely on the inland rivers and waterways must comply with certain safety standards.	S. 3102 (H.R. 15714)	Mar. 5	MMF	Com	June 18	Apr. 5	1561	1080	19387	9408	July 1	Apr. 10	July 27	90-435
To provide for a 2-year extension of Public Law 480 of the 83d Congress, Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act.	S. 2986 (H.R. 16165)	Feb. 19	Agr	Agr	Apr. 23	Mar. 29	1297	1066	13103	8845	May 14	Apr. 3	July 29	90-436
Providing for SEC regulation of credit extended and maintained with respect to unregistered securities.	S. 1299 (H.R. 7696)	Mar. 15 1967	IFC	BC	July 10	June 18	1663	1264	21445	17722	July 15	June 19	July 29	90-437

Authorizing the SEC to investigate the impact of institutional investors on the stock market.	S.J. Res. 160 (H.J. Res. 946)	Apr. 18	IFC	BC	July 10	June 17	1665	1237	21471	17606	July 15	June 18	July 29	90-438
Providing for full disclosure of corporate equity ownership of securities under the Securities Exchange Act.	S. 510	Jan. 18 1967	IFC	BC	July 12	Aug. 29 1967	1711	550	21484	24666	July 15	Aug. 30 1967	July 29	90-439
To create a District of Columbia Air Pollution Control Board	S. 1941 (H.R. 17414)	June 13 1967	DC	DC	May 24	Dec. 13 1967	1467	941	15023	36765	May 27	Dec. 14 1967	July 30	90-440
Providing that the prosecution of offenses of disorderly conduct or obscene acts shall be conducted in the name of the D.C.	S. 3456	May 8	DC	DC	July 18	July 2	1737	1360	22601	20133	July 22	July 8	July 30	90-441
Authorizing $13.5 million and $14.3 million, respectively, for fiscal years 1970 and 1971 operating expenses for the Foreign Service buildings program.	H.R. 18065	June 24	FA	FR	July 2	July 19	1615	1444	21420	22523	July 15	July 22	July 30	90-442
To designate week of August 4-10, 1968, as "Professional Photography Week."	S.J. Res. 181	June 21	.....	Jud	.....	June 28	.....	1335	22800	19441	July 23	July 1	July 30	90-443
To release restrictions on certain Iowa lands as a site for construction of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy.	S. 3495	May 15	AS	AS	July 18	July 2	1727	1358	22799	20478	July 23	July 10	July 30	90-444
Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act	H.R. 12120	Aug. 7 1967	EdL	LPW	Sept. 19 1967	June 28	647	1332	26884	20207	Sept. 26 1967	July 8	July 31	90-445
Clarifying the term "stockyard" under the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921.	H.R. 10673	June 8 1967	Agr	Agr	Aug. 22 1967	June 27	575	1331	27296	19327	Sept. 29 1967	June 28	July 31	90-446
Making continuing appropriations through Sept. 30, 1968	H.J. Res.1420	July 26	App	.....	July 26	.....	1800	.....	23613	23569	July 26	July 26	July 31	90-447
Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968	S. 3497 (H.R. 17989)	May 15	BC	BC	June 25	May 15	1585	1123		15284	July 10	May 28	Aug. 1	90-448
To provide disciplinary action against postal service employees who assault other such employees in performance of official duties.	H.R. 15387	Feb. 19	POCS	POCS	May 6	July 24	1350	1455	13901	23591	May 20	July 26	Aug. 2	90-449
D.C. Revenue Act of 1968	H.R. 16361	Apr. 1	DC	DC	July 1	July 23	1609	1448	19986	23519	July 3	July 26	Aug. 2	90-450
To establish guidelines for the Federal Power Commission in its licensing authority.	S. 2445 (H.R. 12698)	Sept. 20 1967	IFC	Com	July 3	June 28	1643	1338	21444	20475	July 15	July 10	Aug. 2	90-451
D.C. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Act	H.R. 14330	Dec. 7 1967	DC	DC	Dec. 8 1967	July 17	1015	1435	36342	22320	Dec. 13 1967	July 19	Aug. 3	90-452
Authorizing construction of the first stage of the Oahe unit, James division, Missouri River Basin project, South Dakota.	S. 6	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	July 2	Oct. 31 1967	1612	699	21450	30697	July 15	Nov. 1 1967	Aug. 3	90-453
Authorizing cooperation with the States in protecting and developing estuarine areas of the counties which have sporting, scenic, or recreational value.	H.R. 25	Jan. 11 1967	MMF	Com	Nov. 28 1967	July 17	989	1419	2765	22310	Feb. 8	July 19	Aug. 3	90-454
Requiring performance bonds for the protection of persons furnishing materials and labor for construction of D.C. buildings.	S. 1532	Apr. 13 1967	DC	DC	July 18	Nov. 22 1967	1736	805	22601	33817	July 22	Nov. 27 1967	Aug. 3	90-455
To designate the National Center for Biomedical Communications as the Lister Hill Na tional Center for Biomedical Communications.	S.J. Res. 193	July 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23069	22362	July 24	July 19	Aug. 3	90-456
To authorize grants for construction and modernization of medical facilities in the D.C.	S. 1228	Mar. 8 1967	DC	DC	July 19	Dec. 14 1967	1753	944	22620	36931	July 22	Dec. 15 1967	Aug. 3	90-457
To establish a register of blind persons in the D.C.	S. 1224	Mar. 8 1967	DC	DC	July 16	Oct. 6 1967	1722	587	22602	28286	July 22	Oct. 10 1967	Aug. 3	90-458
Exempting from taxation certain property of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the D.C.	H.R. 9606	May 3 1967	DC	DC	Nov. 8 1967	July 24	901	1452	33247	23314	Nov. 20 1967	July 25	Aug. 3	90-459
Extending programs for assistance to students in institutions of higher learning.	H.R. 16729	Apr. 23	EdL	.....	Apr. 26	.....	1319	.....	12581	24202	May 9	July 30	Aug. 3	90-460
Extending authorizations for the purpose of collecting and publishing documentary sources significant to history of the U.S.	S. 2060	June 29 1967	GO	GO	July 25	May 1	1797	1099	24372	11701	July 31	May 3	Aug. 8	90-461
To correct certain technical errors in Public Law 90-351, Safe Streets and Crime Control Act.	S. 3679	June 25	.....	Jud	.....	June 28	.....	.....	24221	19876	July 30	July 3	Aug. 8	90-462
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, and related agencies.	H.R. 16913	Apr. 30	App	App	Apr. 30	May 24	1335	1138	11304	15574	May 1	May 29	Aug. 8	90-463
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Department of Transportation, and related agencies.	H.R. 18188	June 27	App	App	June 27	July 17	1596	1415	19971	22893	July 3	July 23	Aug. 8	90-464
To assist in development and improvement of recreational opportunities and fish and wildlife programs at reservations.	H.R. 11026	June 20 1967	MMF	Com	May 29	July 25	1508	1458	21473	24013	July 15	July 29	Aug. 8	90-465
Allowing U.S. judges to elect to provide annuities for their widows within 6 months after marriage.	H.R. 9391	Apr. 27 1967	Jud	Jud	Apr. 30	July 25	1330	1464	11793	23816	May 6	July 27	Aug. 8	90-466
Liberalizing requirements with respect to financial advertising imposed on alien life insurance companies doing business in the D.C.	H.R. 10213	May 23 1967	DC	DC	Oct. 6 1967	July 24	737	1453	28157	23315	Oct. 9 1967	July 25	Aug. 8	90-467

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To revise the boundaries of the Badlands National Monument, S. Dak.	H.R. 9098	Apr. 25 1967	IIA	IIA	Apr. 30	July 1	1328	1349	11788	19878	May 6	July 3	Aug. 8	90-468
To provide for operation of William Langer Jewel Bearing Plant at Rolla, N. Dak.	H.R. 15864 (S. 2886)	Mar. 11	AS	Jud	July 17	July 25	1726	1475	23328	23823	July 25	July 27	Aug. 8	90-469
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, the judiciary, and related agencies.	H.R. 17522	May 27	App	App	May 24	July 25	1468	1459	15366	24048	May 28	July 29	Aug. 9	90-470
Authorizing funds for ship construction and modernization programs of the Department of Commerce.	H.R. 15189	Feb. 7	MMF	Com	Apr. 1	May 14	1246	1121	9630	16655	Apr. 10	June 11	Aug. 9	90-471
To authorize a study to determine the advantages and disadvantages of increased use of the metric system in the United States.	H.R. 3136	Jan. 19 1967	SA	Com	Mar. 6 1967	July 18	33	1442	18317	24211	June 24	July 30	Aug. 9	90-472
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the District of Columbia	H.R. 18706	July 18	App	App	July 18	July 30	1729	1487	23636	24214	July 26	July 30	Aug. 10	90-473
Relating to the coastwise transportation of cargo equipment and stevedoring gear.	H.R. 18254	July 1	MMF	Com	July 12	July 30	1712	1485	21481	24615	July 15	Aug. 1	Aug. 11	90-474
Providing for conveyance of certain land in Saline County, Ark., to Dierks Forest, Inc.	H.R. 10864	June 14 1967	Agr	Agr	Nov. 8 1967	Dec. 8 1967	897	909	33327	35739	Nov. 21 1967	Dec. 11 1967	Aug. 11	90-475
Pertaining to the affairs of the Choctaw Indians of Oklahoma with particular reference to lands.	H.R. 16086	Mar. 20	IIA	IIA	July 10	July 29	1666	1481	21334	24557	July 15	July 31	Aug. 11	90-476
Authorizing funds for sea-grant colleges and ocean exploration	H.R. 13781	Oct. 31 1967	MMF	LPW	June 28	July 18	1221	1439	8360	22435	Apr. 1	July 20	Aug. 11	90-477
Authorizing disposal of beryl ore from the national stockpile	H.R. 14367	Dec. 11 1967	AS	AS	Dec. 13 1967	Mar. 28	1043	1043	36598	10802	Dec. 14 1967	Apr. 26	Aug. 11	90-478
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for public works	H.R. 17903	June 17	App	App	June 14	July 15	1549	1405	17810	22475	June 19	July 20	Aug. 12	90-479
To insure that all public buildings shall be constructed so as to be reasonably accessible to the physically handicapped.	S. 222 (H.R. 6589)	Jan. 12 1967	PW	PW	June 7	Aug. 24 1967	1532	538	17433	24134	June 17	Aug. 25 1967	Aug. 12	90-480
Authorizing Secretary of Transportation to prescribe safety regulations for the transportation of natural gas by pipeline.	S. 1166	Mar. 3 1967	IFC	Com	May 15	Nov. 7 1967	1390	733	19746	32062	July 2	Nov. 9 1967	Aug. 12	90-481
Regarding unlawful seizure of U.S. fishing vessels by foreign countries.	S. 2269	Aug. 10 1967	MMF	Com	June 19	Nov. 29 Dec. 11 1967	1566	815 919	24417	8882	July 31	Apr. 3	Aug. 12	90-482
Omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill	S. 3710	June 28	PW	PW	July 11	June 28	1709	1342	21386	19687	July 15	July 2	Aug. 13	90-483
Extending authority for indemnity payments to dairy farmers who are directed to remove their milk from markets because it contains certain chemical residues.	S. 3638 (H.R. 17752)	June 12	Agr	Agr	July 2	July 8	1614	1363	21440	20424	July 15	July 10	Aug. 13	90-484
To liberalize the law relative to election of benefits under the retired servicemen's family protection plan.	H.R. 12323	Aug. 14 1967	AS	AS	Nov. 16 1967	July 26	951	1480	34725	24019	Dec. 4 1967	July 29	Aug. 13	90-485
To clarify the status of National Guard technicians	S. 3865	July 22	AS	AS	July 31	July 22	1823	1446	24710	23256	Aug. 1	July 25	Aug. 13	90-486
To amend the laws relating to the inspection and grading of grain.	H.R. 15794	Mar. 6	Agr	Agr	May 1	July 9	1344	1372	15520	20801	May 29	July 11	Aug. 15	90-487
To facilitate financing of rural community centers and other facilities under the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act.	S. 1504 (H.R. 18209)	Apr. 13 1967	Agr	Agr	July 3	Aug. 25 1967	1635	540	25033	24326	Aug. 2	Aug. 28 1967	Aug. 15	90-488
To establish a National Eye Institute	H.R. 12843	Sept. 12 1967	IFC	.....	July 3	.....	1644	.....	24759	24975	Aug. 1	Aug. 2	Aug. 16	90-489
Health Manpower Act of 1968	S. 3095 (H.R. 15757)	Mar. 5	IFC	LPW	.....	June 21	.....	1307	24796	18424	Aug. 1	June 24	Aug. 16	90-490
Providing reemployment rights and benefits under the Universal Military Training Act to certain former servicemen.	H.R. 1093	Jan. 12 1967	AS	AS	Apr. 24	July 26	1303	1477	11779	24017	May 6	July 29	Aug. 17	90-491

To authorize a more adequate program of poultry inspection in the U.S.	H.R. 16363 (S. 2932)	Apr. 1	Agr	Agr	Apr. 30	July 23	1333	1449	17083	23991	June 13	July 29	Aug. 18	90-492
Making graduated increases in compensation for disabled veterans with wartime disability.	H.R. 16027	Mar. 18	VA	Fin	May 14	July 26	1380	1478	16269	24557	June 6	July 31	Aug. 19	90-493
To establish a Foreign Service Information Officer Corps	S. 633	Jan. 24 1967	FA	FR	July 3	Nov. 1 1967	1632	715	25037	32189	Aug. 2	Nov. 13 1967	Aug. 20	90-494
Authorizing funds for the Federal-aid highway program for fiscal years 1970 and 1971.	S. 3418 (H.R. 17134)	May 1	PW	PW	June 25	June 28	1584	1340	19950	19552	July 3	July 1	Aug. 23	90-495
To provide for the popular election of the Governor of the Virgin Islands.	S. 450	Jan. 17 1967	IIA	IIA	June 5	May 4 1967	1522	217	17450	19217	June 17	July 18 1967	Aug. 23	90-496
To provide for the popular election of the Governor of Guam	S. 449 (H.R. 7329)	Jan. 17 1967	IIA	IIA	June 5	May 4 1967	1521	216	17445	12092	June 17	May 9 1967	Sept. 11	90-497
Designating week including September 15 and 16 as "National Hispanic Heritage Week."	H.J. Res.1299	June 11	.....	Jud	.....	Sept. 11	.....	1521	22800	26654	July 23	Sept. 12	Sept. 17	90-498
Designating the week of November 17-23, 1968, as "National Family Health Week."	H.J. Res.1404	July 15	.....	Jud	.....	Sept. 11	.....	1528	22799	26654	July 23	Sept. 12	Sept. 18	90-499
Authorizing funds for military procurement for fiscal year 1969	S. 3293	Apr. 10	AS	AS	July 5	Apr. 10	1645	1087	20769	10047	July 11	Apr. 19	Sept. 20	90-500
Authorizing Secretary of Defense to lend certain equipment and provide certain services in support of the National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts to be held in Idaho in 1969.	H.R. 15268	Feb. 8	AS	AS	July 19	Sept. 6	1748	1505	22745	26330	July 23	Sept. 11	Sept. 20	90-501
To clarify definition of the term "total commissioned service" for certain staff corps officers of the Navy.	H.R. 18146	July 23	AS	AS	July 19	Sept. 6	1751	1503	22797	26330	July 23	Sept. 11	Sept. 20	90-502
Authorizing construction and operation of the Mountain Park reclamation project, Oklahoma.	H.R. 9362	Apr. 27 1967	IIA	IIA	July 2	Sept. 11	1611	1533	21420	26655	July 15	Sept. 12	Sept. 21	90-503
Authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians.	H.R. 14205	Nov. 15 1967	IIA	IIA	June 17	Sept. 9	1553	1516	19361	26334	July 1	Sept. 11	Sept. 21	90-504
Extending authority for more flexible regulation of maximum rates of interest.	S. 3133 (H.R. 16092)	Mar. 11	BC	BC	July 26	June 28	1814	1343	26970	23039	Sept. 16	July 24	Sept. 21	90-505
Authorizing disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Creek Nation of Indians.	H.R. 16211	Mar. 26	IIA	IIA	June 17	Sept. 9	1554	1517	19361	26334	July 1	Sept. 11	Sept. 21	90-506
To establish a roll of California Indians eligible to participate in distribution of certain judgment funds.	H.R. 10911	June 15 1967	IIA	IIA	May 27	Sept. 9	1478	1513	15801	26333	June 3	Sept 11	Sept. 21	90-507
Providing for disposition of certain judgment funds in favor of the Delaware Nation of Indians	H.R. 16402	Apr. 2	IIA	IIA	June 17	Sept. 9	1555	1518	19361	26335	July 1	Sept. 11	Sept. 21	90-508
Authorizing the city of Hot Springs, Ark., to dispose of certain property heretofore conveyed to it by the U.S.	H.R. 14005	Nov. 14 1967	IIA	IIA	June 19	Sept. 11	1568	1534	19363	26656	July 1	Sept. 12	Sept. 21	90-509
To authorize hostile fire pay for the crew of the U.S.S. *Pueblo*	H.R. 17780	June 11	AS	AS	July 19	Sept. 6	1750	1507	22795	26333	July 23	Sept. 11	Sept. 21	90-510
Increasing funds authorized for the rehabilitation of Guam	S. 3072 (H.R. 16801)	Mar. 1	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	Sept. 9	1855	1509	27003	26336	Sept. 16	Sept. 11	Sept. 24	90-511
To give the Government the right to examine records and other data of contractors relating to negotiations or performance of certain contracts.	H.R. 10573	June 6 1967	AS	AS	Apr. 24	Sept. 6	1314	1506	11783	26331	May 6	Sept. 11	Sept. 25	90-512
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for military construction	H. 18785	July 22	App	App	July 19	July 30	1754	1486	23934	24682	July 29	Aug. 1	Sept. 26	90-513
To amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 with respect to the definition of the term "supplemental air transportation."	S. 3566 (H.R. 17685)	May 29	IFC	Com	July 3	July 1	1639	1354	25064	20291	Aug. 2	July 9	Sept. 26	90-514
To establish a National Water Commission to review water resources problems and programs.	S. 20	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	June 21 1967	Feb. 2 1967	376	25	18581	2673	July 12 1967	Feb. 6 1967	Sept. 26	90-515
Authorizing the sale of certain public lands which are unsuitable for cultivation.	S. 220 (H.R. 13797)	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	July 25	Oct. 31 1967	1791	693	26933	30693	Sept. 16	Nov. 1 1967	Sept. 26	90-516
Authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to South Carolina.	S. 3578 (H.R. 18207)	June 3	Agr	Agr	Aug. 2	July 11	1848	1380	26936	21665	Sept. 16	July 17	Sept. 26	90-517
Requiring certain information on bills of lading accompanying interstate shipment of intoxicants.	H.R. 5754	Feb. 20 1967	Jud	Jud	Sept. 21 1967	Sept. 12	652	1550	34147	26859	Nov. 29 1967	Sept. 16	Sept. 26	90-518
Conveying certain U.S. lands to the city of Kenai, Alaska	H.R. 17609 (S. 2752)	June 3	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 16	1879	1571	26946	27497	Sept. 16	Sept. 18	Sept. 26	90-519
Authorizing release of a condition in a deed conveying certain lands to Ohio.	S. 3687 (H.R. 18033)	June 26	Agr	Agr	Aug. 2	July 11	1847	1379	26935	22304	Sept. 16	July 19	Sept. 26	90-520
To permit the use of officers of any of the armed services on claims commissions.	H.R. 13669	Oct. 24 1967	Jud	Jud	Oct. 31 1967	Sept. 11	872	1525	31308	26651	Nov. 6 1967	Sept. 12	Sept. 26	90-521
Authorizing application of local law in determining the effect of claimant's contributory negligence.	H.R. 10482	June 1 1967	Jud	Jud	June 21 1967	Sept. 11	377	1524	18266	26650	July 11 1967	Sept. 12	Sept. 26	90-522
Providing for the rehabilitation of the Eklutna Dam project, Alaska.	S. 224	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	May 27	1852	1147	27029	15285	Sept. 16	May 28	Sept. 26	90-523
Providing for alteration or relocation of certain highway and railroad bridges by the TVA.	H.R. 8953	Apr. 20 1967	PW	PW	May 21	Sept. 16	1402	1570	15810	27096	June 3	Sept. 17	Sept. 26	90-524

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Authorizing settlement of claims of up to $5,000 which are incident to noncombat activity of the Coast Guard.	H.R. 206	Jan. 11 1967	Jud	Jud	Aug. 24 1967	Sept. 11	602	1527	24936	26651	Sept. 11 1967	Sept. 12	Sept. 26	90-525
Providing for White House Conference on Aging	H.J. Res.1371 (S.J. Res. 117)	June 28	EdL	LPW	July 25	May 2	1792	1102	24220	26154	July 30	Sept. 9	Sept. 28	90-526
Providing for distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Kiowa, Comanche, and Apache Tribes of Indians of Oklahoma.	S. 3728 (H.R. 18192)	July 2	.....	IIA	.....	Sept. 9	.....	1512	26945	26335	Sept. 16	Sept. 11	Sept. 28	90-527
Providing for striking of medals in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of founding of Dartmouth College.	S. 3671	June 21	BC	BC	July 23	July 2	1784	1359	26931	20132	Sept. 16	July 8	Sept. 28	90-528
Providing for disposition of judgment funds to the credit of the Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Reservation, Calif.	S. 3620	June 11	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	July 1	1883	1345	26948	19877	Sept. 16	July 3	Sept. 28	90-529
Providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Muckleshoot Indians.	S. 3621 (H.R. 17850)	June 11	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	July 1	1875	1346	26944	19877	Sept. 16	July 3	Sept. 28	90-530
Authorizing distribution of certain judgment funds in favor of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation.	S. 3420 (H.R. 16947)	May 1	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 9	1872	1510	26942	26336	Sept. 16	Sept. 11	Sept. 28	90-531
To designate as wilderness certain lands in the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J.	S. 3379 (H.R. 16771)	Apr. 24	IIA	IIA	July 26	July 8	1813	1367	27028	20425	Sept. 16	July 10	Sept. 28	90-532
Providing for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Chickasaw Nation or Tribe of Oklahoma.	S. 2715	Dec. 4 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	July 1	1881	1344	26947	19877	Sept. 16	July 3	Sept. 28	90-533
Authorizing purchase, sale, and long-term leasing of land by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, Washington.	S. 3182 (H.R. 16012)	Mar. 18	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 11	1871	1520	26941	26656	Sept. 16	Sept. 12	Sept. 28	90-534
Setting penalties for unlawful transfer of travelers checks bearing a forged countersignature.	S. 1440	Apr. 5 1967	Jud	Jud	July 18	Oct. 11 1967	1728	637	26974	28807	Sept. 16	Oct. 12 1967	Sept. 28	90-535
To provide that the issue of just compensation may be tried by a jury in cases involving land condemnation by the TVA.	S. 1637 (H.R. 4846)	Apr. 26 1967	PW	PW	Aug. 1	Dec. 12 1967	1840	930	26949	36981	Sept. 16	Dec. 15 1967	Sept. 28	90-536
Authorizing construction and operation of the central Arizona project, Arizona and New Mexico.	S. 1004 (H.R. 3300)	Feb. 16 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 24	July 26 1967	1312	408	13589	21689	May 16	Aug. 7 1967	Sept. 30	90-537
Handicapped Children's Early Education Assistance Act	H.R. 18763 (S. 3770)	July 19	EdL	LPW	July 25	July 11	1793	1386	27011	27154	Sept. 16	Sept. 17	Sept. 30	90-538
Equalizing cost-of-living adjustment procedure for retirees under the CIA retirement system with such procedures of the civil service retirement system.	H.R. 18786	July 22	AS	AS	July 22	Sept. 6	1766	1504	23329	27574 27620	July 25	Sept. 19	Sept. 30	90-539
To establish the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area in Utah and Wyoming.	S. 444 (H.R. 15245)	Jan. 17 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	May 27	1854	1150	26938	15545	Sept. 16	May 29	Oct. 1	90-540
Continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1969 until Oct. 12, 1968.	H.J. Res.1461	Sept. 26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28378	28789	Sept. 26	Sept. 30	Oct. 1	90-541
To reserve certain public lands for a national wild rivers system	S. 119 (H.R. 18260)	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	July 3	Aug. 4 1967	1623	491	26607	21751	Sept. 12	Aug. 8 1967	Oct. 2	90-542
To establish a nationwide system of trails for recreation purposes.	S. 827 (H.R. 4865)	Feb. 3 1967	IIA	IIA	July 3	June 13	1631	1233	21439	19458	July 15	July 1	Oct. 2	90-543
Creating North Cascades National Park, Ross Lake Recreation Area, and Lake Chelan Recreation Area, State of Washington.	S. 1321 (H.R. 8970)	Mar. 20 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 9	Oct. 31 1967	1870	700	27041	30918	Sept. 16	Nov. 2 1967	Oct. 2	90-544
Authorizing establishment of Redwood National Park, Calif.	S. 2515	Oct. 10 1967	IIA	IIA	July 3	Oct. 12 1967	1630	641	21414	30758	July 15	Nov. 1 1967	Oct. 2	90-545
Declaring that the United States holds certain lands in trust for the Pawnee Indian Tribe, Oklahoma.	H.R. 5910	Feb. 21 1967	IIA	IIA	Oct. 10 1967	Dec. 4 1967	747	831	28951	35267	Oct. 16 1967	Dec. 6 1967	Oct. 2	90-546
To increase authorizations for water resources planning activities.	S. 3058	Feb. 29	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	June 13	1853	1234	27022	17555	Sept. 16	June 18	Oct. 2	90-547
Designating Mount Jefferson Wilderness, Willamette, Deschutes, and Mount Hood National Forests, in Oregon.	S. 2751 (H.R. 13512)	Dec. 7 1967	IIA	IIA	Aug. 1	Sept. 11	1838	1532	26933	26655	Sept. 16	Sept. 12	Oct. 2	90-548

Authorizing funds to construct an experimental and demonstration plant to develop fish protein concentrate.	S. 3030	Feb. 26	MMF	Com	July 23	Mar. 7	1782	1013	26999	8568	Sept. 16	Apr. 2	Oct. 4	90-549
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for independent offices and the Department of Housing and Urban Development.	H.R. 17023	May 6	App	App	May 3	July 9	1348	1375	12264	22030	May 8	July 18	Oct. 4	90-550
To extend for 3 years the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act.	S. 3866 (H.R. 18808)	July 22	MMF	Com	Sept. 12	July 25	1893	1457	27022	24014	Sept. 16	July 29	Oct. 4	90-551
Extending for 2½ years the food stamp program and authorizing funds therefor.	S. 3068 (H.R. 18249)	Mar. 1	Agr	Agr	July 2	May 16	1619	1130	24244	13796 14126	July 30	May 17	Oct. 8	90-552
Authorizing use of certain D.C. property as sites for construction of headquarters of the OAS and governments of foreign countries.	H.R. 16175	Mar. 25	PW	FR	July 15	Sept. 18	1717	1575	27034	27720	Sept. 16	Sept. 20	Oct. 8	90-553
Fiscal 1969 authorizations for the foreign aid program	H.R. 15263	Feb. 8	FA	FR	June 26	July 26	1587	1479	22121	24552	July 18	July 31	Oct. 8	90-554
Authorizing Secretary of the Interior to accept donations of land for use in extending Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina and Georgia.	H.R. 1340	Jan. 12 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 13 1967	Sept. 12	639	1537	831	27903	Jan. 24	Sept. 24	Oct. 9	90-555
Providing for payment of overtime and standby pay to certain personnel employed in the Department of Transportation.	H.R. 19136	July 31	POCS	POCS	Sept. 4	Oct. 2	1864	1605	27031	29620	Sept. 16	Oct. 4	Oct. 10	90-556
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare, and related agencies.	H.R. 18037	June 20	App	App	June 20	July 30	1575	1484	18941	25977	June 26	Sept. 6	Oct. 11	90-557
Recognizing the significant part that former President Harry S. Truman played in the creation of the United Nations.	H.J.Res. 1459	Sept. 26							28327	28790	Sept. 26	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	90-558
To amend the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965	H.R. 17126 (S. 3590)	May 8	Agr	Agr	May 10	July 11	1374	1378	24413	24687	July 31	Aug. 1	Oct. 11	90-559
Permitting Postmaster General to regulate the mailing of master keys for auto ignition switches.	H.R. 14935	Jan. 30	POCS	POCS	Feb. 6	July 1	1086	1352	3282	20915	Feb. 19	July 11	Oct. 12	90-560
Relating to the settlement of personal property claims by employees of the D.C. government.	H.R. 8140	Apr. 6 1967	Jud	Jud	May 22 1967	Sept. 11	269	1531	14582	26654	June 5 1967	Sept. 12	Oct. 12	90-561
Authorizing funds to construct and operate the Palmetto Bend reclamation project, Texas.	H.R. 5117	Feb. 8 1967	IIA	IIA	July 2	Sept. 26	1610	1591	21426	28974	July 15	Oct. 1	Oct. 12	90-562
Authorizing funds for grants to Eisenhower College, Seneca Falls, N.Y.	H.R. 19831	Sept. 17	EdL		Sept. 25		1923		28367	28790	Sept. 26	Sept. 30	Oct. 12	90-563
Revising tariff schedules with respect to classification of Chinese gooseberries.	H.R. 2155	Jan. 12 1967	WM	Fin	Mar. 9 1967	Aug. 15 1967	114	504	6608	9700	Mar. 14 1967	Apr. 11	Oct. 12	90-564
To correct certain references in Public Law 90-301, which increased maximum amount of guarantee on VA-guaranteed home loans, and increased interest rates on FHA loans.	S.J. Res. 197	Aug. 1							29422	24690	Oct. 3	Aug. 1	Oct. 12	90-565
Prohibiting enforcement of a security interest in real property in the D.C. except through court order.	S. 2592	Oct. 26 1967	DC	DC	July 22	July 17	1912	1431	28885	22314	Oct. 1	July 19	Oct. 12	90-566
Authorizing D.C. Commissioner to provide for inspection of motor vehicles not registered in the D.C.	H.R. 14098	Nov. 20 1967	DC	DC	Nov. 21 1967	Sept. 30	976	1596	33763	29129	Nov. 27 1967	Oct. 2	Oct. 12	90-567
Extending act of Sept. 7, 1957, relating to aircraft loan guarantees.	S. 2499	Oct. 3 1967	IFC	Com	Sept. 26	June 18	1927	1267	28847	17726	Oct. 1	June 19	Oct. 12	90-568
Authorizing funds for U.S. contribution for support of the International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs.	S. 1578	Apr. 19 1967	WM	FR	July 29	May 27	1818	1148	28709	15285	Sept. 30	May 28	Oct. 12	90-569
To authorize longer term leases of Indian lands on the Pueblos of Cochiti, Pojoaque, Tesuque, and Zuni, in New Mexico.	H.R. 17684	June 5	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 26	1874	1590	26944	29125	Sept. 16	Oct. 2	Oct. 12	90-570
Extending suspension of duty on electrodes for use in producing aluminum.	H.R. 17104	May 7	WM	Fin	May 22	June 13	1421	1235	15882	17556	June 4	June 18	Oct. 12	90-571
To amend section 502 of the Merchant Marine Act relative to construction-differential subsidies.	H.R. 17524	May 27	MMF	Com	June 17	July 17	1556	1433	19362	27739	July 1	Sept. 20	Oct. 12	90-572
Authorizing the District of Columbia Commissioner to enter into contracts for maintenance of fixed equipment in District-owned buildings.	S. 2017	June 26 1967	DC	DC	Sept. 19	Apr. 23	1910	1093	28883	10486	Oct. 1	Apr. 24	Oct. 12	90-573
Authorizing funds to extend and improve regional medical programs.	H.R. 15758	Mar. 5	DC	LPW	July 19	July 24	1752	1454	21011	23805	July 12	July 27	Oct. 15	90-574
Higher Education Amendments of 1968	S. 3769 (H.R. 15067)	July 11	EdL	LPW	July 8	July 11	1649	1387	23374	21272	July 25	July 15	Oct. 16	90-575
Vocational Educational Amendments of 1968	H.R. 18366 (S. 3770)	July 9	EdL	LPW	July 8	July 11	1647	1386	21369	21750	July 15	July 17	Oct. 16	90-576
Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968	S. 698 (H.R. 18826)	Jan. 26 1967	GO	GO	Aug. 2	July 24	1845	1456	26994	24057	Sept. 16	July 29	Oct. 17	90-577
Abolishing the Office of U.S. Commissioner and establishing in place thereof the Office of U.S. Magistrate.	S. 945	Feb. 9 1967	Jud	Jud	July 3	June 28 1967	1629	371	28366	17984	Sept. 26	June 29 1967	Oct. 17	90-578
Increasing the number of judges on the D.C. court of general sessions and increasing salaries therefor.	S. 2439 (H.R. 15678)	Sept. 20 1967	DC	DC	July 19	July 10	1752	1377	28856	27498	Oct. 1	Sept. 18	Oct. 17	90-579

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Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the Defense Establishment	H.R. 18707	July 18	App	App	July 18	Sept. 19	1735	1576	26575	29349	Sept. 12	Oct. 3	Oct. 17	90-580
Fiscal 1969 appropriations for the foreign aid program	H.R. 19908	Sept. 19	App	App	Sept. 19	Sept. 27	1906	1595	27668	29619	Sept. 19	Oct. 4	Oct. 17	90-581
To expedite retirement of Government capital from Federal intermediate credit banks.	S. 3986 (H.R. 19418)	Sept. 4	Agr	Agr	Sept. 18	Sept. 18	1897	1573	28882	27718	Oct. 1	Sept. 20	Oct. 17	90-582
Providing for control of noxious plants on land under the control or jurisdiction of the Federal Government.	S. 2671	Nov. 17 1967	Agr	Agr	Sept. 23	Sept. 18	1931	1574	29806	27720	Oct. 7	Sept. 20	Oct. 17	90-583
To provide for disposition of judgment funds in favor of the Southern Paiute Nation of Indians.	S. 3227	Mar. 26	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	July 2	1882	1356	26948	20290	Sept. 16	July 9	Oct. 17	90-584
Providing for the distribution of judgment funds in favor of the Seminole Tribe of Oklahoma.	H.R. 18885	July 24	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 26	1877	1594	26945	29129	Sept. 16	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	90-585
To amend the Interstate Commerce Act so as to provide for the recording of trust agreements and other evidences of equipment indebtedness of water carriers.	S. 913 (H.R. 7151)	Feb. 8 1967	IFC	Com	Sept. 27	Apr. 24	1932	1094	28847	10601	Oct. 1	Apr. 25	Oct. 17	90-586
Authorizing reciprocal agreements for mutual aid between the D.C. police and local governments of the metropolitan area.	S. 2496	Oct. 2 1967	DC	DC	Sept. 19	Apr. 3	1911	1077	28884	9190	Oct. 1	Apr. 8	Oct. 17	90-587
Allowing leave without loss of pay for Federal employees to attend funerals of relatives who die while on duty with the Armed Forces.	H.R. 13844	Nov. 2 1967	POCS	POCS	June 18	July 19	1560	1443	19390	22497	July 1	July 20	Oct. 17	90-588
To limit requirement for proof of future financial responsibility to serious traffic offenses in the D.C.	H.R. 13480	Oct. 12 1967	DC	DC	Nov. 9 1967	Oct. 2	910	1608	33256	29581	Nov. 20 1967	Oct. 4	Oct. 17	90-589
To revise the laws prohibiting the use of mails for fraudulent and lottery matter.	H.R. 1411	Jan. 12 1967	POCS	POCS	May 10 1967	Dec. 6 1967	235	886	27745	35736	Oct. 4 1967	Dec. 11 1967	Oct. 17	90-590
Authorizing exchange of certain public lands in Shasta County, Calif.	H.R. 8781	Apr. 19 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Oct. 4	1878	1613	26945	29894	Sept. 16	Oct. 7	Oct. 17	90-591
Authorizing establishment of the Carl Sandburg Home National Historic Site in North Carolina.	H.R. 13099	Sept. 25 1967	IIA	IIA	July 10	Sept. 26	1676	1592	27024	29127	Sept. 16	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	90-592
Authorizing the erection of a statue of Benito Pablo Juarez on public grounds in the D.C.	S.J. Res. 191	July 17	HA	RAdm	Sept. 18	July 31	1903	1488	29765	24616	Oct. 7	Aug. 1	Oct. 17	90-593
Authorizing funds to satisfy judgments against the U.S. in condemnation proceedings for Padre Island National Seashore, Texas.	H.R. 17787	June 11	IIA	IIA	Sept. 4	Oct. 1	1856	1598	27001	29624	Sept. 16	Oct. 4	Oct. 17	90-594
Authorizing banks to redeem savings notes and to be reimbursed for losses they incurred in connection with such redemption.	H.R. 15114	Feb. 6	WM	Fin	Feb. 28	Oct. 8	1128	1620	28698	31006	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 17	90-595
Authorizing D.C. Commissioners to fix and collect rents for occupancy of space in, on, under, or over D.C. streets.	S. 1247	Mar. 9 1967	DC	DC	Sept. 19	Dec. 6 1967	1914	887	28888	35622	Oct. 1	Dec. 8 1967	Oct. 17	90-596
Permitting appointment of guardians to protect the interest of the Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians.	H.R. 17273	May 14	IIA	IIA	Sept. 10	Sept. 26	1873	1593	26944	29126	Sept. 16	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	90-597
Authorizing the D.C. Commissioners to enter into leases for spaces in, on, under, or over D.C. streets other than freeways.	S. 1246	Mar. 9 1967	DC	DC	Sept. 19	Dec. 12 1967	1913	922	28892	36675	Oct. 1	Dec. 14 1967	Oct. 17	90-598
Authorizing conveyance to the Port of Cascade Locks, Oreg., interest in certain lands for municipal purposes.	S. 3615	June 10	AS	AS	Oct. 7	Sept. 26	1952	1588	30278	29125	Oct. 9	Oct. 2	Oct. 17	90-599
Providing for striking of medals in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city of Memphis.	H.R. 17361 (S. 3531)	May 20	BC	BC	July 23	Oct. 8	1783	1615	26931	31026	Sept. 16	Oct. 11	Oct. 17	90-600
Authorizing funds for loans to encourage development of private enterprise in Guam.	S. 1763 (H.R. 15151)	May 11 1967	IIA	IIA	Sept. 26	Aug. 29 1967	1930	551	29795	24666	Oct. 7	Aug. 30 1967	Oct. 17	90-601
To provide for the protection of the public health from radiation emission from electronic devices.	H.R. 10790	June 13 1967	IFC	Com	Mar. 12	July 17	1166	1432	7073	29346	Mar. 20	Oct. 3	Oct. 18	90-602
Clarifying conditions relating to continuous pay to certain physicians and dentists in the Armed Forces.	S. 4158 (H.R. 20313)	Oct. 8	AS	AS	Oct. 9	Oct. 8	1954	1614	30561	30399	Oct. 10	Oct. 10	Oct. 18	90-603

Authorizing disposal of magnesium from the national stockpile.	H.R. 5785	Feb. 20 1967	AS	AS	Dec. 12 1967	Mar. 28	1036	1042	36597	10801	Dec. 14 1967	Apr. 26	Oct. 18	90-604
Requiring D.C. government to pay to bus companies the difference between reduced school fare and the lowest adult fare.	H.R. 18248	July 1	DC	DC	July 8	Oct. 2	1646	1600	22630	29620	July 22	Oct. 4	Oct. 18	90-605
Authorizing establishment of the Biscayne National Monument in Florida.	H.R. 551	Jan. 11 1967	IIA	IIA	July 25	Oct. 1	1789	1597	26956	29632	Sept. 16	Oct. 4	Oct. 18	90-606
To make Jan. 1, 1968, the effective date relating to definition of "earned income" for purposes of pension plans of self-employed individuals.	H.R. 18253	Aug. 1	WM	Fin	Sept. 10	Oct. 8	1888	1617	28700	31005	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 21	90-607
Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1969	H.R. 20300	Oct. 7	App	App	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	1953	1667	30271	30494	Oct. 9	Oct. 10	Oct. 21	90-608
To eliminate the statutory prescription of fees under the Immigration and Nationality Act.	H.R. 2792	Jan. 18 1967	Jud	Jud	Feb. 12	Oct. 9	1096	1640	8346	30834	Apr. 1	Oct. 11	Oct. 21	90-609
Providing salary increases for certain members of the police force of the Library of Congress.	H.R. 10725 (S. 1943)	June 8 1967	HA	RAdm	Oct. 3	Sept. 25	1940	1586	29795	30831	Oct. 7	Oct. 11	Oct. 21	90-610
Extending greetings to St. Louis University on the 150th anniversary of its founding.	H.J. Res. 691	July 10 1967	Jud	LPW	.....	Oct. 10	.....	.....	4719	30826	Feb. 29	Oct. 11	Oct. 21	90-611
Providing nursing home care for veterans hospitalized by the VA in Alaska or Hawaii.	H.R. 3593	Jan. 24 1967	VA	LPW	Feb. 7 1967	July 11	8	1393	3822	21307	Feb. 20 1967	July 15	Oct. 21	90-612
To provide for the termination of U.S. interest in 1 acre of real property in Allen Park, Mich.	H.R. 8364	Apr. 11 1967	VA	LPW	Dec. 12 1967	Oct. 10	1033	1669	27	30827	Jan. 15	Oct. 11	Oct. 21	90-613
To prescribe administrative procedures for the D.C. government.	H.R. 7417	Mar. 16 1967	DC	DC	Apr. 20 1967	Sept. 24	202	1581	10518	29122	Apr. 24 1967	Oct. 2	Oct. 21	90-614
Relating to the dutiable status of aluminum hydroxide and oxide, calcined bauxite, and bauxite ore.	H.R. 7735	Mar. 23 1967	WM	Fin	May 22	July 17	1418	1429	15881	27615	June 4	Sept. 19	Oct. 21	90-615
Authorizing waiver of Government claims against employees	S. 4120 (H.R. 17954)	Oct. 2	POCS	POCS	Sept. 4	Oct. 2	1863	1607	30753	29579	Oct. 11	Oct. 4	Oct. 21	90-616
Authorizing funds for continuance of the civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.	S. 3207 (H.R. 18205)	Mar. 21	IIA	IIA	Sept. 25	May 27	1925	1151	29799	15287	Oct. 7	May 28	Oct. 21	90-617
Providing for better control of the interstate traffic in firearms.	H.R. 17735 (S. 3633)	June 10	Jud	Jud	June 21	Sept. 6	1577	1501	23096	27492	July 24	Sept. 18	Oct 22	90-618
To amend the Internal Revenue Code so as to make certain changes to facilitate the production of wine.	H.R. 14095	Nov. 20 1967	WM	Fin	Sept. 18	Oct. 9	1899	1651	28706	31008	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-619
To enact and codify the general and permanent laws relating to public printing and documents.	H.R. 18612	July 16	Jud	Jud	July 16	Oct. 9	1719	1621	26929	30821	Sept. 16	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-620
Relating to the income tax treatment of certain statutory mergers of corporations.	H.R. 18942	July 25	WM	Fin	Sept. 18	Oct. 9	1902	1653	28704	31009	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-621
To amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the treatment of income from the operation of a communications satellite system.	H.R. 18486	July 11	WM	Fin	Sept. 10	Oct. 9	1889	1652	28702	31008	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-622
To make technical changes in titles 5, 10, and 37 of the U.S. Code dealing with Government organizations and employees.	H.R. 17864	June 13	Jud	Jud	July 16	Oct. 9	1721	1624	26930	30832	Sept. 16	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-623
To amend the Internal Revenue Code with respect to the definition of compensation for purposes of taxation under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act.	H.R. 7567	Mar. 21 1967	WM	Fin	Aug. 2	Oct. 9	1844	1650	28694	31007	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-624
To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell to the village of Central, N. Mex., certain lands formerly part of the Fort Bayard Military Reservation.	S. 3736	July 8	Agr	Agr	Sept. 30	Sept. 6	1933	1502	29768	26329	Oct. 7	Sept. 11	Oct. 22	90-625
To authorize GSA to render direct assistance to and perform special services for the Inaugural Committee.	S. 3416 (H.R. 18040)	May 1	GO	GO	July 25	July 24	1796	1450	24371	23314	July 31	July 25	Oct. 22	90-626
For relief of public utility district No. 1 of Klickitat County, Wash.	H.R. 859	Jan. 10 1967	Jud	Jud	May 7	Oct. 9	1357	1664	13889	30826	May 20	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-627
To repeal certain acts relating to standard baskets and containers for fruits and vegetables.	H.R. 13058 (S. 2068)	Sept. 21 1967	SA	Agr	Feb. 27	Oct. 19 1967	1107	668	5911	11620	Mar. 11	May 2	Oct. 22	90-628
Authorizing funds for the foreign military sales program	H.R. 15681	Feb. 29	FA	FR	July 3	Oct. 9	1641	1632	26231	30405	Sept. 10	Oct. 10	Oct. 22	90-629
To amend certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code relating to distilled spirits.	H.R. 11394	July 12 1967	WM	Fin	Aug. 2	Oct. 9	1843	1659	28705	31085	Sept. 30	Oct. 11	Oct. 22	90-630
Providing expanded compensation and educational assistance to widows of deceased veterans.	H.R. 16025	Mar. 18	VA	LPW	May 14	July 11	1379	1394	13906	21305	May 20	July 15	Oct. 22	90-631
Relating to procedures governing the conduct of Armed Forces courts-martial.	H.R. 15971	Mar. 14	AS	AS	May 27	Oct. 2	1481	1601	15806	29402	June 3	Oct. 3	Oct. 24	90-632
Providing naturalization for soldiers who have served in a combat area after February 28, 1961.	H.R. 15147	Feb. 6	Jud	Jud	Feb. 28	June 21	1129	1292	4920	18346	Mar. 4	June 24	Oct. 24	90-633
Renegotiation Amendments of 1968, and providing for administration of the Antidumping Act and implementation of International Coffee Agreement.	H.R. 17324	May 16	WM	Fin	May 20	July 11	1398	1385	15056	26440	May 27	Sept. 11	Oct. 24	90-634

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To establish a national memorial to Woodrow Wilson in the Smithsonian Institution.	S. 3174 (H.R. 19988)	Mar. 15	HA	RAdm	Oct. 3	Oct. 1	1942	1599	29809	29282	Oct. 7	Oct. 3	Oct. 24	90-637
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